

At 5:00 p.m. the Regular Meeting of the Alloway Township Finance Committee was called to order by P. Ed McKelvey, Mayor. The meeting was advertised in the designated newspapers in accordance with Public Law 1975, Chapter 231. The flag salute was led by Mayor McKelvey.

Roll Call: Present: Leady, Morgan, McKelvey

Also in attendance: Municipal Clerk/Admin. Charlet Cheeseman; Deputy Clerk Brittany Vanaman; CFO/QPA Elizabeth Pigliacelli and Treasurer Lois Yarrington

**PUBLIC SESSION:** There was no one in the audience.

**BILL LIST:**

The Township Committee members reviewed the bill list. With no other questions or comments, the approval sheet for the bill list was signed.

Motion by: Leady Seconded by: Morgan

Vote: All in favor

**FINANCE ITEMS:**

Pertaining to the A.R.A. funds, CFO Pigliacelli told the Committee that there is a new eligible expense for what purpose it can be used for and now it includes vacant/abandoned properties. That is good news for the Township. A notification that the township was approved for \$128,546.00 for Wistars Mill Road NJDOT Grant was received.

**OLD BUSINESS/UPDATES:**

The following were discussed:

1. 4-Way stop signs in center of town: Mayor McKelvey stated he and resident Biff Crossley attended the last County Commissioners meeting. They were told there were 4-Way stop signs in the past although the Mayor doesn't recall. They added they don't know when the light will be fixed.
2. Penton Station Road (B-4, L-1) Clerk Cheeseman stated Mannington Clerk will get an update from Attorney Horner.
3. Junkyard Matter: Waiting for the Attorneys update.
4. NJ DEP Stormwater Tier A Gant Offer: Committee still in agreement not to apply.
5. Pump Station—Access to Front: Resolutions are on the upcoming meeting agenda so the Attorney can move to the next step which is to file the 2 complaints.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Clerk Cheeseman informed the Committee that there were pretzel vendors at the parade. A brief discussion ensued.

**CORRESPONDENCE:**

The following correspondence was received:

1. Resignation from Municipal Clerk/Local Registrar and recommendation to hire
2. Retirement letter from Township Tax Collector and recommendation to hire
3. Troop 38 Boy Scout Leader requested a recognition certificate to Alloway resident Jack Fowler as Eagle Scout
4. Recommendation for Deputy Tax Collector
5. Kevin Bass from Atlantic City Electric called regarding the current strike. He informed the Township that there is full coverage in our area and that if we had any questions or concerns to please reach out to him directly.
6. Habitat for Humanity: They're available to assist the Township.

**AGENDA REVIEW:** November 16, 2023

The Committee members had no revisions to the October's meeting minutes.

At this time, Clerk Cheeseman reviewed a few items for the 2024 Reorganization meeting and the bid opening for RFP's is Wednesday December 13, 2023 @ 11 am.

Lastly, the Committee members expressed their thanks to Clerk Cheeseman and wished her best wishes.

There being no further business to come before the Committee, on motion by Leady, seconded by Morgan, the meeting was adjourned at 5:41 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Brittany Vanaman, Acting Clerk