

REGULAR MEETING

CITY COUNCIL

MARCH 26, 2013

7:30 P.M.

The Regular Meeting of the Long Branch City Council was held on Tuesday, March 26, 2013 at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Building, 344 Broadway, Long Branch, New Jersey.

Present: Joy Bastelli, Council President; John Pallone, Council Vice-President; Kathleen Billings, Councilwoman; Dr. Mary Jane Celli, Councilwoman; Michael Sirianni, Councilman

Others Present: Mayor Adam Schneider; Howard Woolley, Business Administrator; James Aaron, City Attorney; Ronald Mehlhorn, Finance Director; Kathy L. Schmelz, City Clerk

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and certification was read into the record.

PRESENTATIONS:

None

HEARINGS:

None

READING AND APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES:

March 12, 2013 - Motion was made by Councilwoman Celli, seconded by Councilman Pallone to approve the minutes of March 12, 2013 was carried out upon the following roll call vote: Ayes 5

CONSIDERATION OF ORDINANCES
PUBLIC HEARING AND FINAL CONSIDERATION

None

ORDINANCES FOR INTRODUCTION:

None

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:

A motion was made by Councilman Pallone, seconded by Councilwoman Celli to open the public portion of this meeting.

Jerry Vogel – 525 Ocean Boulevard

Spoke regarding beach access on the southern end of the City.

The Mayor stated that there should be a couple of points where the public could get on and off and get safety people and equipment if necessary. Some points will not be accessible. It will be a game time decision. The City is hopeful but nothing is guaranteed.

Vincent Lapore – 80 North Broadway

Spoke regarding bill payout, United Capital, R78-13 regarding early voting, Governor Christies town meeting in Manasquan relative to the Flood maps, beach easements and Pier Village Phase II abatements.

After ample time was given and no one else came forward, a motion was made by Councilman Sirianni, seconded by Councilman Pallone to close the public portion of this meeting. Ayes 5

RESOLUTIONS:

On file in the Clerks Office and posted on the City's Web Site.

APPLICATIONS:

A motion was made by Councilwoman Celli, seconded by Councilman Pallone to approve the listed applications were approved upon the following roll call vote: Ayes 5

1. Approval of Sean Michael Lampf in the Neptune Hose Company.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

Councilwoman Billings – I just want to wish everyone a Happy Holiday whether it be Passover or Easter and hopefully with that will come some nice warm weather. Thank you.

Councilwoman Celli – I would like to wish everybody a Happy Passover and also a Happy Easter to everyone and their family. Thank you.

Councilman Sirianni – Happy Passover, Happy Easter, pray for sun.

Council Vice President Pallone – Happy Holidays to everyone and thank you for coming this evening.

Council President Bastelli – I'd like to say Happy Easter and Happy Passover as well and I'd like to thank Council Vice President Pallone for helping me this evening and leading workshop portion of this meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Councilman Sirianni, seconded by Councilman Pallone to adjourn this meeting at 7:50 p.m.