

**BOROUGH OF LAKEHURST  
WORK SESSION/REGULAR MEETING  
FEBRUARY 2, 2017  
MINUTES**

MEETING OPENED AT 7:30 P.M. BY MAYOR HARRY ROBBINS.

ALL STOOD FOR THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND MOMENT OF SILENCE.

PUBLIC MEETINGS STATEMENT READ INTO RECORD BY MUNICIPAL CLERK DUGAN:

“IN COMPLIANCE WITH N.J.S.A. 10:4, OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT, NOTICE WAS GIVEN TO TWO NEWSPAPERS, AND POSTED, THAT A WORK SESSION AND REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL IS SCHEDULED FOR THE SECOND DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2017, WITH THE WORK SESSION TO BEGIN AT THE HOUR OF 7:30 P.M. AND THE REGULAR MEETING TO BEGIN IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING AT THE LAKEHURST COMMUNITY CENTER, 207 CENTER STREET, LAKEHURST, NEW JERSEY, AT WHICH TIME, THE BUSINESS OF THE BOROUGH WILL BE CONDUCTED.”

ROLL CALL:

ROBIN BUSCH: ABSENT	PATRICIA HODGES: PRESENT
STEPHEN CHILDERS: PRESENT	GARY LOWE: PRESENT
JAMES DAVIS: PRESENT	STEVEN OGLESBY: PRESENT
MAYOR HARRY ROBBINS: PRESENT	

WORK SESSION:

REVIEW OF REGULAR MEETING AGENDA:

Municipal Clerk Dugan reviewed regular meeting agenda.

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS:

Time opened: 7:31 p.m.

NO PUBLIC COMMENTS

Time closed: 7:31 p.m.

Councilman Childers stated the Public Works Department is doing a "great job" with the remodeling at Borough Hall.



To open the second public hearing for 2017 Community Development Block Grant funding. Roll call vote held. All votes affirmative.

Time opened: 7:36 p.m.

#### NO PUBLIC COMMENTS

Time closed: 7:36 p.m.

Motion by: Stephen Childers  
To close the second public hearing for 2017 Community Development Block Grant funding. Roll call vote held. All votes affirmative.

Seconded by: James Davis

#### RESOLUTION REGARDING 2017 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT APPLICATION:

Motion by: James Davis  
To approve resolution #17-051 regarding 2017 Community Development Block Grant application. Roll call vote held. All votes affirmative.

Seconded by: Stephen Childers

#### COMMITTEE/COUNCIL REPORTS:

Councilman Davis reported a Public Safety Committee meeting with the Fire Company previously scheduled has been cancelled as it is "not necessary at this time."

Councilman Lowe reported fire truck 6211 had an issue with a "bleeder valve that needs repair."

Councilwoman Hodges reported she met with Denise O'Hara of the Lakehurst Revitalization Association regarding suggested projects such as resurfacing the playground. Mrs. Hodges added the Revitalization Association members are "thankful" for increased communication so they can make a "meaningful contribution."

#### MAYOR COMMENTS:

Mayor Robbins announced Germaine Jackson will be hosting a "Take Back our Communities" seminar at the Community Center on Saturday, February 4 at 4:00 p.m. Mayor Robbins added that Mr. Jackson is "trying to make a difference" and fight the drug addiction problem.

#### COMMENTS FROM PUBLIC:

Time opened: 7:40 p.m.

Greg Morris, 217 Cedar Street, asked about the water main project.



Motion by: Stephen Childers

Seconded by: James Davis

To adjourn meeting. Roll call vote held. All votes affirmative. Time: 8:01 p.m.

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Bernadette Dugan, RMC/CPM  
Municipal Clerk