

CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION
FEBRUARY 6, 2008

ATTENDANCE

Councilman Kelly
Councilwoman Riley
Councilman Salvatore
Councilman Thompson
Council Pres. Spence
Mayor Begley
Administrator Liston
Mun. Solicitors Baker/Haag

CALLED TO ORDER: Pres. Spence

INVOCATION: Mun. Clerk Richmond

TOPICS:

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Upon motion by Mr. Salvatore and second by Ms. Riley

RESOLUTION NO. 199-07, authorizing an executive close session to discuss contract, litigation and personnel was adopted by unanimous roll call vote. The original resolution may be found in the Resolution Book.

AGENDA –Clerk presented additions to this evening’s meeting agenda

COUNCIL

Pres. Spence presented a letter from Viola Gardner regarding Joint Walk for Health from South Jersey Crusaders to be held on April 19, 2008, and description of area walk, discussion was entered into concerning of how to reach the individual for added information as there was no contact address or phone number.

Letter from Go US Cab & Transport LLC expressing concern over additional Taxi Cab owners, feels two are enough. City has no limit of number of cab companies in City.

City has received application for new Cab Company and police report has been submitted and Council needs to set a date for public hearing on the license. Council agreed for public hearing to be held February 19, 2008 at 4:30 p.m., Clerk will advertise.

Councilman Salvatore questioned items on the agenda:

Ord. 1st Reading Parking Certain Streets where the Schedule A – was inadvertently left off and will be attached.

Triad Professional Service Resolutions, Administrator explained one for CDBG Program and the other Economic initiatives.

Resolution amending Resolution 18-05 after discussion was removed from the agenda

Resolution accepting grant HDSR Fund property not City’s, Administrator explained that we can do investigation on any properties.

Pres. Spence questioned notice received concerning Endorsement Plan – no one had any information regarding it.

Letter regarding appointment of Mr. Blethen to Zoning Board, Mayor's recommendation, Resolution confirming the appointment by Council is on agenda.

Councilman Salvatore expressed concern over no signs on east side of City advertising Zoo.

FIRE DIVISION

Chief David Schock made a presentation regarding the reorganization and restructure of the Fire Division which ordinance is on for first reading this evening.

PUBLIC PORTION

It was moved by Mr. Kelly and second by Ms. Riley to open the meeting to the public for anyone desiring to address Council which motion was carried.

Pres. Spence opened the meeting to the public for anyone desiring to address Council.

Mr. Michael Zapolski, West Avenue, reported taxi cab company still parking in same area after saying he would no longer do it.

Temporary signs place over town for dating service and towing with out permit, public works or police should contact individuals to pick up signs.

Wine and Cheese Festival not allowed to sll and also Recreation should be paid a fee for this event as it is not nonprofit organization.

No one else desiring to be heard, it was move by Mr. Kelly and second by Ms. Riley to close the public portion of the Work Session which motion was carried.

There being no further items of discussion, it was duly moved and second to adjourn the Work Session which motion was carried.

Pres. Spence adjourned the Work Session.

Respectfully submitted,

Darlene J. Richmond, RMC
Municipal Clerk

Approved:

William D. Spence, Council President

Date: _____