

BOROUGH OF SHILOH
REGULAR BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING MAY 2, 2022

CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Shiloh Borough Council was held on May 2, 2022. Mayor Brad Campbell called the meeting to order a 7:00 pm. in the Borough Council Meeting Room, 900 Main Street, Shiloh, New Jersey.

Mayor Campbell read the following Open Public Meeting Act Notice.

This is Regular Monthly Meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of Shiloh. In compliance with the New Jersey "Open Public Meetings Act" enacted ensure the public's right to be notified of and the right to attend any meeting where actions may be taken that could affect them, advance written notice has been given stating the Date, Place and Time of this meeting. Such notice has been placed in the South Jersey Times and posted on the Borough's Bulletin Board in compliance with said Act.

Mayor Campbell led in the Flag Salute.

COUNCIL MEMBERS ROLL CALL

The following members were Present: Mayor Campbell, Mr. Bruso, Mr. Daddario, Mr. Hunzer and Mr. Knerr

Absent: Mrs. Barile and Mrs. Willis

Others Present: A member of the public Bruce Cobb, Carol Russo, Auditor; Rebecca Bertram, Borough Solicitor and Mr. Campbell, Borough Clerk.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion (Daddario, Bruso) to approve the minutes of the Regular Monthly Meeting held April 4, 2022.

The motion to approve the minutes of the Regular Monthly Meeting held April 4, 2022 was unanimously approved. 4-0.

Mrs. Barile and Mrs. Willis enter the Meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

A resident complained about trash being burned at a residence on East Avenue. It was recommended that they call the police, as it is illegal to burn anything without a permit by State law.

Mr. Cobb spoke about his efforts to secure a Cannabis License from the State. Mr. Cobb stated that eight dispensaries opened around the state last week and that there are 109 provisional licenses pending approval. Mr. Cobb believes he has a good chance of getting a license, but has no idea the time frame or how many will be approved at any one time, that is all up to the state. Mr. Cobb brought a sample ordinance that he believes would need to be adopted, for him to have the cannabis business in Shiloh.

PUBLIC HEARING 2022 Budget Amendment

Motion (Knerr, Barile) for a resolution to read the budget amendment by title only at the time of the Budget Hearing.

Mayor Campbell opened the meeting to a Public Hearing on the 2022 Budget amendment.

No one from the public indicated that they wanted to make any comments.

Mayor Campbell closed the Public Hearing on the 2022 Budget amendment.

Motion (Knerr, Daddario) to adopt the amended 2022 Budget.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Governing Body of the Borough of Shiloh, County Of Cumberland, that the following amendments to the Budget of 2022 be adopted:

CURRENT FUND	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
ANTICIPATED REVENUES:		
1. Surplus Anticipated	41,626.42	70,126.42
Total Surplus Anticipated	41,626.42	70,126.42
5. subtotal General Revenues (Items 1, 2,3and 4)	<u>245,922.02</u>	<u>274,422.02</u>

7. Total General Revenues	351,581.36	380,081.36
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ANTICIPATED APPROPRIATIONS:

8. General Appropriations

Deferred Charges – Excluded from “CAPS”

(1) Deferred Charges

Expenditures without a Grant Appropriation	0.00	28,500.00
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H – 2 Total General Appropriations for Municipal Purposes Excluded from “CAPS”	57,234.02	85,734.02
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I) Subtotal General Appropriations (Items (H – 1) and (O))	<u>258,874.02</u>	<u>287,374.02</u>
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9. Total General Appropriations	351,581.36	360,081.36
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Ayes: Brusio, Barile, Daddario, Hunzer, Knerr and Willis

Nays: none Abstain: none Absent: none

SHILOH BOROUGH COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS

FINANCE COMMITTEE: Nothing further

BUILDING & GROUNDS: Council discussed proceeding with the Park / Play Ground, Fralinger’s proposal to design the area was around \$17,000.00

COMMUNICATIONS: Comcast has installed a static IP line and a line for the fax number.

JIF INSURANCE COMMITTEE: No report

POLICE & FIRE COMMITTEE: No report

STREETS AND ROADS COMMITTEE: Street Sign knocked over for Garden Drive and Dickinson Street

SOLID WASTE COMMITTEE: 2021 recycling grant was done and sent into NJDEP as required.

OLD BUSINESS: No Report

NEW BUSINESS:

Motion Barile, Knerr to adopt resolution 2022-30, a resolution for a tax exemption granted to a 100% permanently and totally disabled veteran and to cancel the 2022 tax in the amount of seven dollars and seventeen cents.

RESOLUTION 2022-30

A RESOLUTION FOR A TAX EXEMPTION GRANTED TO A 100% PERMANENTLY AND TOTALLY DISABLED VETERAN AND TO CANCEL THE 2022 TAX AMOUNT FOR THE SAME

WHEREAS, Anthony Philip Azzante has submitted an application and all required documentation for tax exemption as a 100% Permanently and Totally Disabled Veteran on his residence located at 157 West Avenue, Block 1, Lot 28.02, and;

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs has certified the Anthony Philip Azzante is eligible for this tax exemption in accordance with N.J.S.A. 54:4-3.30.

THEREFORE, the Tax Assessor is granting tax exempt status to the residence effective March 11, 2022. The total assessed value eligible for the 2022 tax year exemption is \$ 45,000.00.

FURTHERMORE, due to this tax exemption, the Tax Collector wishes to cancel the property taxes in the amount of \$ 7.17

NOW, THEREFORE , BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Shiloh that 100% Permanently and Totally Disabled Veteran Tax Exemption be applied to Block 1, Lot 28.02 referenced above, and;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the amount of \$ 7.17 be refunded to Anthony Philip Azzante and the remainder of his first and second quarter tax be canceled.

The motion to adopt Resolution 2022-30, a resolution for a tax exemption granted to a 100% permanently and totally disabled veteran and to cancel the 2022 tax in the amount of seven dollars and seventeen cents for the same passed a vote of the Borough Council 5-0 as follows:

Ayes: Daddario, Knerr, Barile, Hunzer and Willis

Nays: none Abstain: none Absent: Bruso

PAYMENT OF BILLS

Motion (Bruso, Knerr) that all properly audited vouchers be paid.

The motion to approve the payment for properly audited vouchers passed unanimously. 6-0

Ayes: Barile, Bruso, Daddario, Hunzer, Knerr and Willis Nays: none Absent: none

ADJOURNMENT

Motion (Bruso, Knerr) to adjourn the meeting at 7:55 p.m. The motion passed with unanimous consent.

MINUTES WHERE APPROVED AT A MEETING HELD JUNE 6, 2022

MAYOR. _____

CLERK _____