

**BOROUGH OF SOUTH TOMS RIVER
REGULAR MEETING
NOVEMBER 9, 2015, 7:00 PM**

Mayor Oscar Cradle opened the meeting with a Moment of Silence, and followed with the Flag Salute.

The Municipal Clerk read the following State of Public Notice:

This meeting of the Mayor and Borough Council was called pursuant to the provisions of the Open Public Meeting Law. Notice of this meeting was sent to the Asbury Park Press on November 15, 2014; in addition a copy of notice is posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building, and filed in the office of the Borough Clerk.

ROLL CALL:

	Gleason	Handshy	Mosley	Murray	Reevey	Ross	Cradle
Present	x	x	x	x		x	x
Absent					x		

PRESENTATION:

Council Member Mosley spoke to the families and students on the importance of dedicating themselves to their studies, and subsequently distributed the Students of the Month Certificates.

S.T.E.P.S: Mike McNeil (Executive Director), Lorraine Palmer and staff spoke to Students of the Month, their families, and others in attendance, on the resources available through their program for those needing housing assistance for both renter or owner. Toms River, South Toms River and Berkeley are a combined territory for office.

Mayor Cradle stated that STEPS gets results and urged those who may need assistance to reach out. STEPS has meetings on the 2nd Tuesdays of the month at 2nd Baptist Church.

Council Member Mosley motioned for a short Recess, seconded by Councilman Handshy, and unanimous Council consent.

Following a 15 minute Recess, Councilman Ross motioned to enter into Public Session, seconded by Council Member Mosley and unanimous Council consent.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were two residents who briefly spoke, but due to audio complications, their Public Comment address was not recorded. Those individuals are: Ernest Hemman, 8 Dartmouth; and Tom Rolzhausen, 420 Applegate.

APPOINTMENT

Mayor Cradle appointed Michael Sadinsky to the Land Use Board as a Alternate Class IV, taking the place of George Rutzler.

The following minutes were read to be considered at the Council Meeting on November 23, 2015.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- Resolution 2015-224 Approving the minutes of, October 13, 2015 Council Meeting
- Resolution 2015-225 Approving the minutes of October 26, 2015 Council Meeting

ORDINANCES:

- Ordinance 12-15 **ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH TOMS RIVER, COUNTY OF OCEAN, NEW JERSEY ADOPTING THE ‘REDEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR 19 DOUBLE TROUBLE ROAD, BLOCK 19, LOT 1’ PURSUANT TO THE LOCAL REDEVELOPMENT AND**

HOUSING LAW, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1 et seq. (First Reading)

MOTION	SECOND	NAME	YEAS	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
x		Gleason	x			
		Handshy	x			
		Mosley	x			
		Murray	x			
		Reevey			x	
	x	Ross	x			

Ordinance 13-15 **ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH TOMS RIVER, COUNTY OF OCEAN, NEW JERSEY ADOPTING THE ‘REDEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR MUNICIPAL COMPLEX, BLOCK 8, LOTS 7 AND 8’ PURSUANT TO THE LOCAL REDEVELOPMENT AND HOUSING LAW, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1 et seq. (First Reading)**

The Governing Body requested this be tabled for consideration at a later date.

Motion to TABLE

MOTION	SECOND	NAME	YEAS	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
	X	Gleason	X			
		Handshy	X			
		Mosley	X			
X		Murray	X			
		Reevey			X	
		Ross	X			

Ordinance 13-15 was Tabled.

RESOLUTIONS

The following Resolutions were read to be considered at the Council Meeting on November 23, 2015.

Resolution 2015-226 Authorizing a contract with Abaco Corp for South Toms River First Aid Squad Renovations

Resolution 2015-227 Bill List

NEW BUSINESS

Mayor Cradle announced the South Toms River Annual Tree Lighting will be held at Borough Hall on December 14, 2015 at 6pm. A special Jolly guest will be in attendance for kids.

COMMITTEE AND LIAISON REPORTS

Councilman Ross stated he was in receipt of a letter from a resident concerning the noise of Tri-State. He asked this letter be copied to all Council Members.

Mayor Cradle stated the Veterans Day Celebration was at Mathis Veterans Memorial, in addition to a Monument Dedication Ceremony for a new monument that was installed. The ceremony will be lead by the Submarine Veterans on November 14, 2015.

A member on the South Toms River Youth Baseball League updated the Council on the ongoing improvements at the Baseball fields.

ADJOURNMENT @ 8:00pm

First: Councilwoman Mosley Second: Councilman Ross, with unanimous Council consent

Respectfully submitted:

Borough Clerk

Mayor