

Approved December 9, 2008
Minutes of Public Work Session of November 11, 2008

Present: Councilmembers Ciannella, Wells, Brouwer, Maughan, Levinson,
Acting Mayor Henning

Absent: Mayor Ruschman

Also Present: Gene Vinci, Bor. Adm.
Colleen Ennis, CFO
John D'Anton, Bor. Atty
Lyn Beer, Dep. Clrk

Public work session began at 8:40pm.

NESC: Councilman Wells reported on meeting with staff committee...said Construction Official was measuring for new floor plans for the borough, which are being put on CADD for changes to physical layout.

Pascack Valley Cooperative: Administrator had meeting, discussed adding curbs, drainage and DOT projects next year....will do joint bid again.

Outdoor Dining Ordinance: discussed Construction Official's comments...Councilman Wells suggested changing to 6' as a minimum...borough attorney said borough should be included in indemnification per D. Vozza, approximate cost to property owner \$150.00...Councilwomen Ciannella and Levinson said they were working on recommendations for choice of tables and chairs as well as umbrella colors...could be on Nov. 25th agenda if they were ready with their selections.

Perryland Parking Lot: report from Police Chief received...lot not fully utilized after 6:00pm...council agreed to taking away the parking restrictions...administrator to order new signs...discussion on making Perryland a commuter lot only and reserving 6 parking spaces on Broadway for the condominium.

NESC: still fact gathering...Bill Beattie involved...discussing police department merger.

Pool: both attorney and Joe Bruno have reviewed the pool specs...Tom Scheulen wants to review them again...hearing to have second reading on Nov. 25th....and then go out to bid.

Earth Day: Councilmember Levinson is hoping to get a town wide Earth Day celebration in April. At the very least it is hoped to get recycle bins at the fields. She has been in contact with Rebecca Taormina, who is achieving her Gold Award for Girl Scouts and has an interest in making this happen.

Adjourn:

9:05pm