

Public Meeting  
December 15, 2014

Meeting was opened by Mayor Theresa Branella at 6:00pm. Those present were P. MacAdams, G. Gilbert, J. McCleary, J. Meehan and M. Mevoli. The Solicitor was Timothy Higgins, Esq.. J. Granstrom was absent.

This Meeting was advertised in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, and complies with all the laws therein.

**Reading and Approval of Minutes of November 17<sup>th</sup> and December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2014:**

Motion – G. Gilbert  
2<sup>nd</sup> – P. MacAdams  
All in favor: Carried.

**Swearing In Police Officer Thomas Jackson by Mayor Branella**

Everyone on council congratulated Officer Jackson.

**Open to Public:**

Gary Rinear, 304 Marne Road, thanked everyone for the help in getting the 9/11 Memorial fixed. He said that they have a solution for the moisture in the soil box. They are going to dry out the soil by heating it in a oven for 48 to 72 hours. They will reset the box after everything is dried out. He asked about the well lights. The clerk said they are ordered and our electrician will install them by early next year. He thanked everyone again.

Closed to the public.

**Old Business**

Ordinance:

# 14-14 Amending Chapter 130 - Taxation Second Reading  
Second Reading  
Public Hearing  
Motion to Table Ordinance to Next Public Meeting – J. Meehan  
2<sup>nd</sup> – M. Mevoli  
All in Favor: Carried

**New Business**

Ordinance:

# 15-14 Amending Chapter 150 - Zoning  
First Reading  
Motion – M. Mevoli  
2<sup>nd</sup> – G. Gilbert  
All in Favor: Carried

Resolutions:

# 141-14 Award Contract for Purchase of Calcium Hypochlorite  
# 142-14 Authorize Agreement with Camden County Animal Shelter  
# 143-14 Authorize Budget Transfers #2

- # 144-14 Cancellation of Property Tax balances Less Than \$10.00
- # 145-14 Approving Participation with Safe and Secure Grant for 2014-2015
- # 146-14 Authorizing a Tax Abatement on Block 125 Lot 2
- # 147-14 Referring a Certain Matter to the Planning Board for Review and Recommendations

Motion – M. Mevoli  
2<sup>nd</sup> – J. Meehan  
All in Favor: Carried.

**Approval of payment of bills:** \$ 285,160.30

Motion – P. MacAdams  
2<sup>nd</sup> – M. Mevoli  
All in favor: Carried.

**Resolution 148-14** Award Contract to Charles Marandino for \$183,590.00

**Open to Council:**

Mayor Branella thanked everyone in the celebrations committee for all the work they did at the Tree Lighting. The mayor said that she has attended numerous Gloucester City Business Association meetings and is working to join the Brooklawn businesses. She also thanked the American Legion for inviting us to the Christmas Party.

M. Mevoli thanked everyone for helping with the Tree Lighting. He gave a special thanks to the police, EMS, fire department, lady auxiliary, and the celebration committee. He gave a quick report on the event.

J. McCleary reminded everyone that the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual MacAdams/Vitola Run is April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2015. She said she will have meetings starting in January.

**Motion to Adjourn** – M. Mevoli

2<sup>nd</sup> – P. MacAdams  
All in favor: Adjourned.

Ryan Giles  
Borough Clerk