# **Township of Toms River Parking Authority**

## **Meeting Minutes**

Regular Meeting March 22, 2017

#### Call to order

The regular meeting of the Toms River Township Parking Authority was called to order at 4:45 p.m. by Chairman Mike Sutton who also led those present in the flag salute.

### **Open Public Meetings Act Statement**

This meeting is called in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act of the State of New Jersey. Notice of the meeting was published in the Asbury Park Press. Notice was also posted on the bulletin board at Town Hall and placed on file with the Township Clerk for public review.

#### Roll call

Executive Director Pam Piner conducted a roll call as follows:

Commissioner/Chairman Michael Sutton
Commissioner/Vice Chairman Tariq Siddiqui
Commissioner/Treasurer Bill Beining
Commissioner/Secretary Norvella Lightbody
Commissioner/Vice Treasurer Richard J. Banach
Commissioner Brenda Tutela

Present
Present

Additional Attendees are as follows:

Executive Director Pam Piner Maintenance Manager Ken Kufall

Public Guests: None

### **Approval of Minutes**

Motion to accept the Minutes of the February 2017 meeting: Secretary Norvella

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2<sup>nd</sup> Motion: Commissioner Brenda Tutela

Abstention: Vice Treasurer Richard J. Banach - absent

All in Favor

#### Approval of the March 2017 Bill List for the Parking Authority

Twenty Six (26) checks totaling \$244,745.75.

Motion to accept bill list for the Parking Authority: Vice Chairman Tarig Siddigui

**2<sup>nd</sup> Motion:** Vice Treasurer Richard J. Banach

All in Favor

### Approval of the March 2017 Bill List for the Park and Ride

Ten (10) checks totaling \$9,986.72

Motion to accept bill list for the Park and Ride: Secretary Norvella Lightbody

2<sup>nd</sup> Motion: Commissioner Brenda Tutela

**Abstention:** Vice Chairman Tarig Siddigui from all TR MUA Checks

All in Favor

### **Financial Overview**

## Parking Authority

Total revenue for February was \$49,723 higher than the previous year. Increases are being seen in parking meter and parking decal revenue while income is declining in bus ticket sales and vending. Fine revenue is still lower than previous year. However, the number of municipal conversions and voided violations has substantially declined. Administrative expenses were \$8,688 higher than the previous year in the categories of liability insurance, health benefits and office expense. These amounts will be lower at the end of the 1st quarter as a result of Park and Ride quarterly reimbursements. Operating expenses were \$8,056 higher than the previous year. This is an improvement from the previous month. The increases in operating expenses are a result of new costs associated with the new meters (license fees/communication fees/merchant account fees). The Authority's net position showed an improvement of \$31,832 compared to the same time frame in 2016.

#### Park and Ride

Total revenue for February was \$6,753 higher than 2016. This was due to the increase in parking permits purchased for 2017. Expenses were \$3,084 higher than the previous year. Categories experiencing the increase are utilities and equipment rental. The Park and Ride's net position improved by \$3,669 as compared to the same time frame in 2016.

#### **Unfinished Business**

• No unfinished Business to discuss

#### **New Business**

No new Business to discuss

#### **Executive Session**

No Executive Session was held.

#### **Next Meeting Date**

Wednesday, April 26, 2017 @ 4:45 p.m. in the Community Room.

## **Adjournment**

There being no further business before the Board of Commissioners, a motion was made to adjourn the meeting.

Motion to Adjourn: Secretary Norvella Lightbody

**2**<sup>nd</sup> **Motion:** Commissioner Brenda Tutela

All in Favor

Respectfully Submitted,

Pam Piner
Executive Director