

**TOWNSHIP OF DENNIS
DENNISVILLE, NJ
FEBRUARY 02, 2016**

6:30 P.M. (PREVAILING TIME) TWP. COMMITTEE REGULAR MEETING

Mayor Murphy opened the meeting in compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act requirements.

Mayor Murphy requested the roll call. The Clerk called the roll with: Fry-DeRose, Tozer, Salimbene, O'Connor and Murphy present.

Mayor Murphy asked that everyone please stand for the flag salute, moment of silence.

Mayor Murphy asked for any public comment on agenda items. There being no comments from those present, Mayor Murphy asked for a motion adopting the consent agenda, motion was made by O'Connor seconded by Salimbene, with 5 ayes and no nays, that the consent agenda be adopted.

The following resolution numbers 2016-33 thru 2016-36 were a part of the Consent Agenda:

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-33

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A LICENSE TO CONDUCT
AMUSEMENT GAMES FOR TURNER ENTERPRISES, INC.
T/A OCEAN VIEW RESORT CAMPGROUND**

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Dennis, County of Cape May, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. An application having been filed by Turner Enterprises, Inc. T/A Ocean View Resort Campground, to hold, operate and conduct amusement games under Certification No. 2 – ARCADE GAMES – at the premise known as 2555 Route 9, Ocean View, Dennis Township, a municipality which is resort and the premises are in an area thereof wherein amusement and entertainment are conducted (a campground).
2. It is hereby determined and declared that the application is in proper form and was accompanied by the license fee of \$250.00, and said application is hereby made a part hereof by reference and that the license be and the same hereby is granted and shall expire at the hour of midnight on the 31st day of December, 2016.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to forward a certified copy of this resolution, together with a copy of the application and list of machines, to the State Commissioners of Amusement Games Control.

ATTEST _____ **ATTEST** _____
Jacqueline B. Justice, RMC/Clerk John Murphy, Mayor

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-34

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF VARIOUS
2016 CAMPGROUND LICENSES**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 75 of the Code of the Township of Dennis, the Township Committee is required to approve the issuance of Campground Licenses; and

WHEREAS, the Clerk's Office has received the necessary compliance items to issue the following licenses:

Jersey Shore Haven – 207 Sites
Dennisville Lake Campers Resort. – 132 Sites
Holly Lake Campground Condom. Assoc. – 342 Sites
Driftwood RV Resort & Campground – 832 Sites
Lake & Shore Resort – 452 Sites

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Dennis, County of Cape May, State of New Jersey, that the Clerk's Office is hereby authorized and directed to issue the 2016 Campground Licenses to the aforementioned campgrounds.

ATTEST _____ **ATTEST** _____
Jacqueline B. Justice, RMC/Clerk John Murphy, Mayor

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-35

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING REFUNDS OF VARIOUS TAX OVERPAYMENTS
DUE TO THE REVALUATION PROCESS**

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector, Michele T. Heim, has notified the Clerk of various tax overpayments that need to be refunded; and

WHEREAS, the overpayments are a result of the revaluation process where the valuation of the properties has been reduced.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Dennis, County of Cape May, State of New Jersey, that the Chief Finance Officer be and is hereby authorized and directed to refund the following tax overpayments:

<u>Block</u>	<u>Lot</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Owner</u>
57	24	\$ 318.00	Michele Mazzo 17 Callao Street Punta Gorda, FL 33983
120	46	\$ 213.79	Diane Lanzetta
120	47	213.79	740 Dennisville Road
120	49	213.79	Cape May Court House, NJ 08210

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Municipal Clerk forward certified copies of this Resolution to the Tax Collector and Chief Finance Officer.

ATTEST _____ **ATTEST** _____
Jacqueline B. Justice, RMC/Clerk John Murphy, Mayor

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-36

RESOLUTION ADJUSTING THE SALARY OF A RECREATION ATTENDANT IN THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT

WHAREAS, the Recreation Director has recommended a salary adjustment of Recreation Attendant, Jon Pat Gansert; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee have reviewed the matter and desires to adjust the employee's salary to bring them in line to what the duties warrant as well as the experience level.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Dennis, County of Cape May, State of New Jersey, that the hourly rate of Jon Pat Gansert be increased to \$13.00 per hour retroactive to 01/01/2016

ATTEST _____ **ATTEST** _____
Jacqueline B. Justice, RMC/Clerk John Murphy, Mayor

The Mayor asked for a motion authorizing the payment of the bills, providing that proper vouchers have been filed and that funds are available.

Motion was made by Salimbene, seconded by Tozer, with 5 ayes and no nays, that the payment of the following bills was approved:

GENERAL ACCOUNT:

039106-Twp of Dennis Payroll Account	\$ 52,045.33
039107-Atlantic City Electric	3,512.35
039108-Animal Control of South Jersey	600.00
039109-Atlantic County Municipal Ins Fund	56,323.00
039110-Blaney & Karavan, PC	81.00
039111-A.A.C.M.C.	300.00
039112-Cape May Cnty League Municipalities	500.00
039113-Cape May County Bd of Taxation	25.00
039114-Cape May Cnty Tax Assess Assoc.	330.00
039115-County of Cape May	557,906.17
039116-Computer Access Systems	520.50
039117-Chemsearch Corp.	1,569.76
039118-Scott O. Clarke	60.00
039119-Katherine E. Clarke	60.00
039120-Sarah O. Clarke	60.00
039121-Cody's Power Equipment	121.90
039122-Comcast	556.03
039123-Constellation New Energy, Inc.	99.31
039124-Daycare Cleaning Services, Inc.	1,375.00
039125-Dennis Twp. Board of Education	725,321.16
039126-Delta Dental	2,752.80
039127-Don J. Urie Associates, Inc.	52.00
039128-Jeanette M. Ennis	140.17
039129-FMHUB, LLC	500.00
039130-FP Mailing Solutions	150.00
039131-Mike Gardner & Son, Inc.	380.30
039132-The Gem Grocery & Gas	14.94
039133-G & K Services, Inc.	686.78
039134-Gov't Finance Officer Assoc NJ	90.00

039135-Home Depot Credit Services	222.47
039136-Roy J. Hope	303.86
039137-Diane Lanzetta	641.37
039138-Marsh & McLennan Agency, LLC	9,104.00
039139-Michele Mazzo	318.00
039140-Palladin Tour & Travel	200.00
039141-Pitchforks & Buckets 4-H Club	1,000.00
039142-P.L.I.C. – SBD Grand Island	122.00
039143-Public Works Assoc of NJ	50.00
039144-Eurofins QC, Inc.	852.50
039145-Reel Fire Protection, Inc.	129.00
039146-Remington & Vernick Engineers	7,000.00
039147-Arthur Schellinger	209.80
039148-Service Tire Truck Centers	222.82
039149-Sight & Sound Theaters	2,059.00
039150-South Jersey Water	821.50
039151-Stewart Business Systems	442.43
039152-Carolyn P. Swagler	144.89
039153-T.G.I. Office Automation	26.86
039154-The Southwest Council	625.00
039155-Vision Service Plan	770.98
039156-Vital Communications, Inc.	4,800.00

Motion made by O'Connor, seconded by Tozer, all in favor and the motion carried, that the following Administrative Reports were adopted:

Municipal Clerk's Report	January, 2016
Registrar's Report	January, 2016
Chief Finance Officer's Report	March thru December, 2015
Engineer's Report	02/02/2016

Mayor Murphy asked if there were any comments from the public this evening.

Stanley Bodnar of 483 Hagen Road voiced his concerns over target range being built off of Route 83 in close proximity to his property and the types of weapons being discharged. He discussed his calls to the State Police and indicated that the State Police say it is allowed. Mayor Murphy indicated that he had heard the shots as well and questioned the legality. The Solicitor indicated that he would look into the regulations. There was a general discussion of the regulations and safety concerns with Mr. Bodnar.

Motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Tozer that the public comment portion was closed.

Mayor Murphy asked for comments from the Township Committee.

Committeewoman Fry-DeRose indicated that she had no comment at this time.

Committeewoman Salimbene commented on the Dennis Township Pride Day scheduled by the Municipal Alliance, the PTA and the DT Pride Committee for April 9th and that they will be raising funds for anti-bullying programs at the School. She indicated that the Environmental Commission and that there will be color run and an Alex Lemonade stand and it will be held at the Academy Road School.

Committeeman Tozer commented on surviving the “blizzard of 2016” He commented on the January 27th meeting with the School Superintendent regarding the Active Shooter Drill and commented on working to have a table-top drill. He commented on the N.J. Campground Owners Association’s magazine and the article about Dennis Township by Ray Rebmann. Committeeman Tozer also indicated that the book by Ray Rebmann and Tom Champion regarding the history out in Belleplain is set to be released May 30th.

Deputy Mayor O’Connor indicated that several residents have voiced their concerns with the Sea Isle Blvd. Project especially the lack of lighting at the Parkway entrance. Township Engineer, Jack Gibson, commented on the project and the Committee instructed him to send a letter requesting lighting to the County Engineer, Dale Foster.

Motion was made by Salimbene, seconded by O’Connor, that the meeting be adjourned. All in favor and the motion carried.

ATTEST _____ ATTEST _____
Jacqueline B. Justice, RMC/Clerk John Murphy, Mayor