## MINUTES OF THE PEAPACK & GLADSTONE BOROUGH COUNCIL April 28 2015, COUNCIL CHAMBERS 7:00 PM REGULAR MEETING

The Borough Council of the Borough of Peapack & Gladstone, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey, convened in a regular session meeting on Tuesday, April 28, 2015, at 7 p.m., in Council Chambers in the Municipal Complex, located at 1 School Street, Peapack, New Jersey 07977.

## NOTICE OF MEETING

The following statement was read by the Borough Clerk:

Adequate notice of this meeting of the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Peapack & Gladstone was given to the Courier News, Newark Star Ledger and the Bernardsville News on December 25, 2014, was posted at the Municipal Complex, School Street, the Peapack Post Office, Main Street, Peapack & the Gladstone Post Office, Main Street, Gladstone, New Jersey on December 25, 2014, and was mailed on December 25, 2014, to all those people who have requested individual notice and paid the required fee.

On April 17, 2015, notice of the time change of this meeting was sent to the Bernardsville News and printed April 23, 2015; posted on the Borough website; and posted on the official bulletin board in the Municipal Building.

### FLAG SALUTE

Mayor Muller led the salute to the flag.

# **ROLL CALL**

On the call of the roll, the following were present:

William Muller, Mayor Gian Paolo Caminiti Mark Corigliano Gerald J. Gunning T. William Simpson Royal Smith Anthony Suriano

Also present on the dais were Borough Clerk/Administrator Hector A. Herrera and Borough Attorney John Bruder.

### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CLOSED SESSION TO DISCUSS COAH LITIGATION Councilman Suriano moved to adopt resolution #061.1-15. Councilman Gunning seconded that motion.

On call of the roll, the following vote was cast:	
Aye	

Resolution #061.1-15 was adopted.

A copy of resolution #61.1-15 is appended to the official minutes.

### MINUTES

Councilman Corigliano made a motion that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with, and the minutes of the regular meeting of April 14, 2015, and the special meeting of February 17, 2015, stand approved, as submitted, by the Borough Clerk, to the Mayor and Borough Council. Councilman Suriano seconded that motion.

On call of the roll, the following vote was cast:

Councilman Caminiti	Aye
Councilman Corigliano	Aye
Councilman Gunning	Aye
Councilman Simpson	Aye
Councilman Smith	Aye
Councilman Suriano	Aye

### PUBLIC COMMENT FOR NON-AGENDA ITEMS

No one wished to be heard.

### PRESENTATIONS

Recreation Commission

Borough of Peapack & Gladstone Recreation Director Diane Becker provided a review of the recreation programs offered to the residents.

Council and Ms. Becker discussed the Borough tennis program and the need for a reservation system for the new tennis courts located at Komline Park. Additionally, there was discussion on a new tennis program Ms. Becker intends to run in the summer. The program would be held on afternoons during the summer; after the morning recreation program, and would be open to the public with enrollment fees.

Council had a discussion on whether there were any issues with having Ms. Becker run this program because all proceeds would go to her and she is a Borough employee. Ms. Becker stated she would be following Borough protocol by submitting a use of facilities form, paying for

the use of the courts and carrying all of the required insurance. She stated she would be running this program similar to the other for-profit entities that run programs on Borough facilities.

Council acknowledged and thanked Ms. Becker for disclosing the details of the program.

Council had a brief discussion on the tennis courts and the Apgar Avenue entrance to Komline Park. Mayor Muller stated a comprehensive review of how water runoff affects the area should be done.

Council and Ms. Becker had a discussion on fingerprinting of recreation volunteers. Ms. Becker stated the requirement to fingerprint volunteers is having a negative effect on volunteers and, in some cases, is deterring people from volunteering. Ms. Becker stated that potential volunteers have to make an appointment at one of Sagem Morpho's fingerprinting services located around the State. Appointments are only offered during traditional work hours which makes it difficult for the volunteer. Council agreed to have the Council recreation committee review the matter.

## **PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS:**

There were no petitions or communications to review.

## **REPORTS OF COMMITTEES / RESOLUTIONS**

FINANCE: (Suriano/Corigliano) RESOLUTION TO REFUND LIENHOLDER FOR REDEMPTION OF LIEN #00034 ON BLOCK 29 LOT 19 LOCATED AT 57 MAIN STREET IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,110.50

Councilman Suriano moved to adopt resolution #061-15. Councilman Corigliano seconded that motion.

On call of the roll, the following vote was cast:

Councilman Caminiti	Aye
Councilman Corigliano	Aye
Councilman Gunning	Aye
Councilman Simpson	Aye
Councilman Smith	Aye
Councilman Suriano	Aye

Resolution #061-15 was adopted.

A copy of resolution #061-15 is appended to the official minutes.

RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE INSERTION OF A SPECIAL ITEM OF REVENUE IN THE 2015 BUDGET PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87 (CHAPTER 159, P.L. 1948) -2015 DISTRACTED DRIVING CRACKDOWN GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,400 Councilman Suriano moved to adopt resolution #062-15. Councilman Simpson seconded that motion.

On call of the roll, the following vote was cast:

Councilman Caminiti	Aye
Councilman Corigliano	Aye
Councilman Gunning	Aye
Councilman Simpson	Aye
Councilman Smith	Aye
Councilman Suriano	Aye

Resolution #062-15 was adopted.

A copy of resolution #062-15 is appended to the official minutes.

RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE INSERTION OF A SPECIAL ITEM OF REVENUE IN THE 2015 BUDGET PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87 (CHAPTER 159, P.L. 1948) - 2015 GARDEN CLUB OF SOMERSET HILLS COMMUNITY GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$800

Councilman Suriano moved to adopt resolution #063-15. Councilman Simpson seconded that motion.

On call of the roll, the following vote was cast:

Councilman Caminiti	Aye
Councilman Corigliano	Aye
Councilman Gunning	Aye
Councilman Simpson	Aye
Councilman Smith	Aye
Councilman Suriano	Aye

Resolution #063-15 was adopted.

A copy of resolution #063-15 is appended to the official minutes.

RESOLUTION ISSUING A CHANGE FUND TO THE MUNICIPAL CLERK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$25 AND AUTHORIZING AN INCREASE IN THE BOROUGH CHANGE FUND AND SPECIFYING THE COURT CLERK, MUNICIPAL CLERK AND TAX COLLECTOR AS CUSTODIANS OF THIS FUND FOR THE BOROUGH OF PEAPACK & GLADSTONE

Councilman Suriano moved to adopt resolution #064-15. Councilman Simpson seconded that motion.

On call of the roll, the following vote was cast:

Councilman Caminiti	Aye
Councilman Corigliano	Aye

Councilman Gunning	Aye
Councilman Simpson	Aye
Councilman Smith	Aye
Councilman Suriano	Aye

Resolution #064-15 was adopted.

A copy of resolution #064-15 is appended to the official minutes.

Councilman Suriano stated he spoke with Assemblyman Erik Peterson regarding the NJ Transparent Tax Act of 2015. The bill is currently in committee and not before the New Jersey State Assembly. Councilman Suriano recommended Council take no action on the matter at this time.

Councilman Suriano stated that at the following Council meeting (May 12, 2015), the annual salary resolution was going to be on the agenda and he wanted to make Council aware of some items. He stated that, as per the Borough Code, longevity pay was due to several employees. He stated the Borough would be paying \$19,600 in longevity pay to employees, in 2015, in addition to their regular salaries.

Council discussed the salary and the duties of the Community Communication Coordinator. Council agreed to revisit this issue after the new website is online.

Council discussed the salary of the Class II Special Officer. Councilman Suriano stated the Borough budgeted \$28,000 for his salary based on the current Class II Special Officer working to the fullest extent permitted by law, 1,040 hours per year. Councilman Suriano stated the current Class II Special Officer is not on track to work to the fullest extent allowable.

Council discussed the procedure for hiring a new police officer. Mr. Herrera informed Council the first round of interviews was currently being conducted by himself, Chief Skinner and Sergeant Ferrante. After all interviews were completed, that committee would forward its recommendations to the Police Committee. Council agreed to have the candidate who is the Police Committee's recommendation come before the Governing Body.

Councilman Suriano reviewed the Police Department salary & wage line of the budget.

Council discussed changing the Personnel Manual to amend the vacation policy and the longevity-pay policy so as to prorate the benefit in accordance with the amount of months the employee has worked during the year.

Councilman Suriano discussed a salary increase that was given to a public works employee that he was not made aware of until after the budget was adopted. Council discussed this salary increase, the salary of a potential new hire of a mechanic and the Department of Public Works salary & wages.

Councilman Suriano reviewed the Borough's CAP bank.

Councilman Suriano informed Council that at the next meeting there would be a salary & wage ordinance and a resolution to set the salaries of Borough employees. He stated the ordinance would need to be amended because there are employees whose salaries will be outside the range set by the ordinance.

## SANITATION/SEWER: (Smith/Caminiti)

RESOLUTION TO CANCEL SEWER CHARGES ON BLOCK 26, LOT 5 LOCATED AT 14 TAINTER STREET, ACCOUNT #694-0 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$173.88

Councilman Suriano moved to adopt resolution #065-15. Councilman Gunning seconded that motion.

On call of the roll, the following vote was cast:

Councilman Caminiti	Aye
Councilman Corigliano	Aye
Councilman Gunning	Aye
Councilman Simpson	Aye
Councilman Smith	Aye
Councilman Suriano	Aye

Resolution #065-15 was adopted.

A copy of resolution #065-15 is appended to the official minutes.

# RESOLUTION TO CANCEL SEWER CHARGES ON BLOCK 28, LOT 18.03 LOCATED AT 2 JONAH COURT, ACCOUNT #801-0 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$367.08

Councilman Suriano moved to adopt resolution #066-15. Councilman Gunning seconded that motion.

On call of the roll, the following vote was cast:

Councilman Caminiti	Aye
Councilman Corigliano	Aye
Councilman Gunning	Aye
Councilman Simpson	Aye
Councilman Smith	Aye
Councilman Suriano	Aye

Resolution #066-15 was adopted.

A copy of resolution #066-15 is appended to the official minutes.

# RESOLUTION TO CANCEL SEWER CHARGES ON BLOCK 20, LOT 1 LOCATED AT 32 APGAR AVENUE, ACCOUNT #573-0 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$132.50

Councilman Suriano moved to adopt resolution #067-15. Councilman Gunning seconded that motion.

On call of the roll, the following vote was cast:

Councilman Caminiti	Aye
Councilman Corigliano	Aye
Councilman Gunning	Aye
Councilman Simpson	Aye
Councilman Smith	Aye
Councilman Suriano	Aye

Resolution #067-15 was adopted.

A copy of resolution #067-15 is appended to the official minutes.

## BOROUGH PROPERTY: (Corigliano/Smith)

Councilman Corigliano reported he signed off on the facility use application from Soccer Skills Academy.

Councilman Corigliano reported he did not approve the peddlers permit to sell Verizon branded alarm equipment because the letter provided from Verizon did not appear to be authentic.

Councilman Corigliano reported he received one quote to paint the Borough-owned house at Liberty Park. He is still waiting for a second quote.

Councilman Corigliano reported Mr. Bruder is currently working with Max Spann on a contract to auction the Komline House.

Councilman Corigliano reported he, Councilman Simpson, and DPW Superintendent Rodney McCatharn met with the architect to review the plans for the renovations to the second floor of the fire house.

Councilman Corigliano reported on the progress in the development of the website.

Councilman Corigliano reported he is working with John Bruder on the agreement with the Friends of the Library regarding the renovations.

FIRE/ INFORMATION SYSTEMS: (Simpson/Gunning) No report.

POLICE: (Gunning/Suriano)

AN ORDINANCE SUPPLEMENTING AND AMENDING SECTION 2-50 ENTITLED "MUTUAL POLICE ASSISTANCE WITH OTHER MUNICIPALITIES IN SOMERSET COUNTY" BY ADDING AND CREATING SUBSECTION 2-50.1 ENTITLED "MUTUAL POLICE AID INTERLOCAL SERVICES AGREEMENT" OF CHAPTER II ENTITLED "ADMINISTRATION" OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF PEAPACK & GLADSTONE, AS HERETOFORE SUPPLEMENTED AND AMENDED.

Councilman Gunning reviewed the purpose of this ordinance. Council and Mr. Bruder discussed a mutual aid agreement between the fire company and rescue squad and other municipalities.

Councilman Gunning moved to introduce Ordinance 1009. Councilman Suriano seconded that motion.

The Clerk stated the public hearing for this pending ordinance will be held May 12, 2015, in the Council Meeting Room of the Municipal Complex located at 1 School Street, Peapack, and will be advertised in the Bernardsville News and posted on the official bulletin board in the Municipal Complex.

On call of the roll the following vote was cast:

Councilman Caminiti	Aye
Councilman Corigliano	Aye
Councilman Gunning	Aye
Councilman Simpson	Aye
Councilman Smith	Aye
Council President Suriano	Aye

Ordinance #1009 was introduced.

A copy of ordinance #1009 is appended to the official minutes.

# ROADS/TRANSPORTATION: (Caminiti/Simpson)

Councilman Caminiti reported the Borough received bids for the Branch Road Phase II project. The lowest bid was from Top Line Construction of Somerville, NJ, in the amount \$227,413. Work is expected to begin in July. He stated that Church Street, Deer Path and the municipal parking lot on Main Street are also expected to be paved this year.

Councilman Caminiti reported Mr. McCatharn is researching the Borough Code regarding the maintenance of sidewalks.

LEGAL: (John E. Bruder, Esq.) No report.

# MISCELLANEOUS COUNCIL BUSINESS

Council concurred with the appointment of Octavia Brown to the Library Advisory Board.

Mayor Muller reported that over 75 people participated in the cleanup of the Peapack Brook. He reported that over 1,500 lbs. of trash was removed from the brook.

Councilman Caminiti reported he is working with Mr. Bruder and Land Use Board Attorney Roger Thomas on the solar ordinance.

Councilman Caminiti reported the town-wide garage sale was a successful event.

Councilman Suriano reported there was a successful search & rescue conducted by the Borough Police and DPW of a young girl who was missing.

Mayor Muller reported 70% of juniors at Bernardsville High School did not sit for the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) test.

Mayor Muller reported the Board of Education is considering a ballot question for the November election to raise \$5 million to renovate the former auditorium in Bernardsville High School. The space would be converted to a media center. The school would also be afforded the opportunity to retain certain special-needs students who are otherwise sent to other districts.

# **PUBLIC COMMENT**

No one wished to be heard.

### **AUDITING OF CLAIMS:**

Councilman Corigliano motioned that the payment of Interim Claims be approved and that all vouchers submitted this date, as per voucher list, be paid after proper audit. Councilman Gunning seconded that motion.

On call of the roll the following vote was cast:

Councilman Caminiti	Aye
Councilman Corigliano	Aye
Councilman Gunning	Aye
Councilman Simpson	Aye
Councilman Smith	Aye
Councilman Suriano	Aye

### **ADJOURNMENT**

On the motion of Councilman Suriano, second by Councilman Gunning, the meeting adjourned at 9:32 p.m.

APPROVED:

HECTOR HERRERA BOROUGH CLERK WILLIAM MULLER MAYOR

# RESOLUTION NO. 061.1-15

## EXECUTIVE SESSION TO DISCUSS PERSONNEL

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Peapack & Gladstone that in compliance with N.J.S.A. 10:4-7 et seq., this meeting will be closed to the public to discuss the following matters:

# LITIGATION - COAH

The matters considered in this Executive Session can be released to the public when the reasons for discussing and acting on it in closed session no longer exist.

Introduced	Seconded	Borough Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
		Gian-Paolo Caminiti	Х			
		Mark Corigliano	X			
	Х	Gerald Gunning	X			
		T. William Simpson	X			
		Royal Smith	X			
Х		Anthony Suriano	X			

Adopted: April 28, 2015

# RESOLUTION NO.\_062-15

RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE INSERTION OF A SPECIAL ITEM OF REVENUE IN THE 2015 BUDGET PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87 (CHAPTER 159, P.L. 1948) -2015 DISTRACTED DRIVING CRACKDOWN GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,400

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87 provides that the Director of the Division of Local Government Services may approve the insertion of any special item of revenue in the budget of any county of municipality when such item shall have been made available by law and the amount thereof was not determined at the time of the adoption of the budget; and

WHEREAS, said Director may also approve the insertion of any item of appropriation for equal amount.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Borough of Peapack & Gladstone, County of Somerset, hereby requests the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to approve the insertion of items of revenue in the budget of the year 2015 in the sum of Twenty Four Hundred Dollars and zero cents (\$2,400) which items are now available as a revenue from

2015 Distracted Driving Crackdown Grant \$2,400

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that one certified copy of this Resolution together with a certification from the Borough Treasurer that funds will be made available through a reimbursable Grant from the State of New Jersey SAGE system filed with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services.

Introduced	Seconded	Borough Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
		Gian-Paolo Caminiti	X			
		Mark Corigliano	X			
		Gerald Gunning	Х			
	Х	T. William Simpson	Х			
		Royal Smith	X			
X		Anthony Suriano	X			

# RESOLUTION NO.\_063-15

RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE INSERTION OF A SPECIAL ITEM OF REVENUE IN THE 2015 BUDGET PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87 (CHAPTER 159, P.L. 1948) -2015 GARDEN CLUB OF SOMERSET HILLS COMMUNITY GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$800

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87 provides that the Director of the Division of Local Government Services may approve the insertion of any special item of revenue in the budget of any county of municipality when such item shall have been made available by law and the amount thereof was not determined at the time of the adoption of the budget; and

WHEREAS, said Director may also approve the insertion of any item of appropriation for equal amount.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Borough of Peapack & Gladstone, County of Somerset, hereby requests the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to approve the insertion of items of revenue in the budget of the year 2015 in the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars and zero cents (\$800) which items are now available as a revenue from

2015 Garden Club of Somerset Hills Community Grant \$800

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that one certified copy of this Resolution together with a certification from the Borough Treasurer that funds have already been received by check from the Garden Club of Somerset Hills be filed with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services.

Introduced	Seconded	Borough Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
		Gian-Paolo Caminiti	X			
		Mark Corigliano	X			
		Gerald Gunning	X			
	Х	T. William Simpson	Х			
		Royal Smith	X			
X		Anthony Suriano	Х			

# RESOLUTION NO.\_064-15

RESOLUTION ISSUING A CHANGE FUND TO THE MUNICIPAL CLERK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$25 AND AUTHORIZING AN INCREASE IN THE BOROUGH CHANGE FUND AND SPECIFYING THE COURT CLERK, MUNICIPAL CLERK AND TAX COLLECTOR AS CUSTODIANS OF THIS FUND FOR THE BOROUGH OF PEAPACK & GLADSTONE

WHEREAS, from time to time the Court Clerk, the Municipal Clerk, and the Tax Collector are required to make change for cash payments received; and

WHEREAS, there exists a need to maintain such a fund for use of operation of the Peapack Gladstone Borough Municipal Court, Municipal Clerk's Office, and the Tax Collector's Office; and

WHEREAS, New Jersey State regulations allow change funds to be established by an initial resolution and to continue from year to year without additional governing body action until such time as they take action to have funds returned; and

WHEREAS, such fund will allow for easy separation of accounts.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Peapack & Gladstone in the County of Somerset and State of New Jersey that the Court Clerk will continue to be custodian of one hundred dollars (\$100); the Tax Collector will continue to be custodian of twenty five dollars (\$25); and additional funds will be made available so that the Municipal Clerk will be custodian of twenty five dollars (\$25) totaling one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150) for the purpose of making change to insure the proper exact payment due is paid.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said change funds be safely secured in keeping with established prudent business practices; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said change funds be used to make change only and shall not be used to purchase goods and/or services of any kind.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Borough of Peapack & Gladstone Treasurer is hereby authorized to issue the increase to the Municipal Clerk in the amount of twenty-five dollars (\$25) for use as set forth in the resolution.

Introduced	Seconded	Borough Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
		Gian-Paolo Caminiti	X			
		Mark Corigliano	X			
		Gerald Gunning	Х			
	X	T. William Simpson	X			
		Royal Smith	X			
Х		Anthony Suriano	Х			

Adopted: April 28, 2015

# RESOLUTION NO.\_065-15

# RESOLUTION TO CANCEL SEWER CHARGES ON BLOCK 26, LOT 5 LOCATED AT 14 TAINTER STREET, ACCOUNT #694-0 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$173.88

WHEREAS, the daughter of the late Nancy K. Ferris, owner of Block 26, Lot 5, located at 14 Tainter Street, Laura Kouflie, has requested a review of her mother's sewer billing for 2015; and

WHEREAS, the original sewer billing was based on the March 2014 through May 2014 water usage as there was a zero reading from August 2014 through March 2015; and

WHEREAS, the house has been vacant due to the death of Nancy Ferris since August 2014; and

WHEREAS, the sewer committee has found this to be sufficient reason for reducing the 2015 sewer billing from \$703.88 to a new total of \$530; and

WHEREAS, this reduction caused an over billing in the amount of \$173.88 for the 2015 sewer charges.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the 2015 sewer charges in the amount of \$173.88 are hereby cancelled against Block 26, Lot 5, located at 14 Tainter Street Account #694-0 and that the Tax Collector is authorized to apply this credit and be relieved of the collection of same.

Introduced	Seconded	Borough Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
		Gian-Paolo Caminiti	X			
		Mark Corigliano	X			
	Х	Gerald Gunning	X			
		T. William Simpson	X			
		Royal Smith	X			
Х		Anthony Suriano	Х			

# RESOLUTION NO.\_066-15

RESOLUTION TO CANCEL SEWER CHARGES ON BLOCK 28, LOT 18.03, LOCATED AT 2 JONAH COURT ACCOUNT #801-0 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$367.08

WHEREAS, the owner of Block 28, Lot 18.03, located at 2 Jonah Court, William Dietrich, has requested a review of the 2015 residential sewer billing; and

WHEREAS, sewer usage was based on the October-December water readings as normal; and

WHEREAS, the October water usage was excessive due to lawn sprinklers that were inadvertently not turned off; and

WHEREAS, this usage did not go into the sewer system; and

WHEREAS, the sewer committee has found this to be sufficient reason for adjusting the 2015 billing from \$1,302.80 to the amount used in 2014 of \$935.72; and

WHEREAS, this reduction caused an over billing in the amount of \$367.08 for the 2015 sewer charges.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the 2015 sewer charges in the amount of \$367.08 are hereby cancelled against Block 28, Lot 18.03, located at 2 Jonah Court, Account #801-0 and that the Tax Collector is authorized to apply this credit appropriately and be relieved of the collection of same.

Introduced	Seconded	Borough Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
		Gian-Paolo Caminiti	Х			
		Mark Corigliano	X			
	Х	Gerald Gunning	X			
		T. William Simpson	X			
		Royal Smith	X			
X		Anthony Suriano	X			

# RESOLUTION NO.\_067-15

RESOLUTION TO CANCEL SEWER CHARGES ON BLOCK 20, LOT 1, LOCATED AT 32 APGAR AVENUE ACCOUNT #573-0 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$132.50

WHEREAS, Block 20, Lot 1, located at 32 Apgar Avenue, is owned by the Borough of Peapack & Gladstone; and

WHEREAS, a sewer billing in the amount of 132.50 for the 2015  $1^{st}$  quarter was generated on this account; and

WHEREAS, this property is no longer rented; and

WHEREAS, this billing is the Borough's responsibility and will not be enforceable through the tax sale process.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the 2015 1<sup>st</sup> quarter sewer charges in the amount of \$132.50 are hereby cancelled against Block 20, Lot 1, located at 32 Apgar Avenue, Account #573-0 and that the Tax Collector is relieved of the collection of same.

Introduced	Seconded	Borough Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
		Gian-Paolo Caminiti	Х			
		Mark Corigliano	Х			
	Х	Gerald Gunning	Х			
		T. William Simpson	Х			
		Royal Smith	Х			
Х		Anthony Suriano	Х			

### **RESOLUTION NO. 068-15**

RESOLVED that the annexed:

Police Mutual Aid Ordinance

ORDINANCE is introduced and that the Clerk now reads publicly the title of the same as follows:

AN ORDINANCE SUPPLEMENTING AND AMENDING SECTION 2-50 ENTITLED "MUTUAL POLICE ASSISTANCE WITH OTHER MUNICIPALITIES IN SOMERSET COUNTY" BY ADDING AND CREATING SUBSECTION 2-50.1 ENTITLED "MUTUAL POLICE AID INTERLOCAL SERVICES AGREEMENT" OF CHAPTER II ENTITLED "ADMINISTRATION" OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF PEAPACK & GLADSTONE, AS HERETOFORE SUPPLEMENTED AND AMENDED

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the said pending ordinance be passed on first reading and advertised as required by statute fixing May 12, 2015, at 7:30 p.m. prevailing time on said day as the time and the Council Meeting Room at 1 School Street, Peapack NJ as the place for hearing and final action.

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Borough Clerk shall forthwith post on the bulletin board in the Borough Municipal Building at 1 School Street, a true copy of said ordinance and make copies available to members of the general public and spread the same upon the minutes of the meeting.

Introduced	Seconded	Borough Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
		Gian-Paolo Caminiti	X			
		Mark Corigliano	X			
Х		Gerald Gunning	X			
		T. William Simpson	X			
		Royal Smith	X			
	Х	Anthony Suriano	X			

## BOROUGH OF PEAPACK AND GLADSTONE ORDINANCE NO. 1009

## AN ORDINANCE SUPPLEMENTING AND AMENDING SECTION 2-50 ENTITLED "MUTUAL POLICE ASSISTANCE WITH OTHER MUNICIPALITIES IN SOMERSET COUNTY" BY ADDING AND CREATING SUBSECTION 2-50.1 ENTITLED "MUTUAL POLICE AID INTERLOCAL SERVICES AGREEMENT" OF CHAPTER II ENTITLED "ADMINISTRATION" OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF PEAPACK & GLADSTONE, AS HERETOFORE SUPPLEMENTED AND AMENDED.

<u>Section 1</u>. Section 2-50 entitled "Mutual Police Assistance with other Municipalities in Somerset County" of Chapter II entitled "Administration" of The Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Peapack & Gladstone, is hereby supplemented and amended by the adding and creating of new Subsection 2-50.1 entitled "Mutual Police Aid Interlocal Services Agreement" to read as follows:

### 2-50.1 Mutual Police Aid Interlocal Services Agreement.

- a. *Findings*. The Borough of Peapack and Gladstone finds it to be in the best interests of the Borough to provide supplemental police assistance as a "participating local unit" to any "requesting local unit" for "mutual police aid," as such terms are defined in the Mutual Police Aid Interlocal Services Agreement herein adopted.
- b. *Adoption of Agreement.* The Borough of Peapack & Gladstone does hereby approve and adopt the Mutual Police Aid Interlocal Services Agreement, and does hereby agree to provide supplemental police assistance as a "participating local unit" to any "requesting local unit" which has adopted an ordinance approving and adopting the Mutual Police Aid Interlocal Services Agreement. Any future amendments or modifications to the Mutual Police Aid Interlocal Services Agreement shall not require an amendment to this subsection, provided such amended or modified agreement is authorized by proper Resolution of the Borough.
- c. *Participation by Borough*. The participation by the Borough of Peapack & Gladstone shall be pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth in the Mutual Police Aid Interlocal Services Agreement, in conjunction with the terms and conditions of providing mutual aid as provided by N.J.S.A. 40A:14-156.1, *et seq*.

<u>Section 2.</u> Should any provisions of this ordinance be inconsistent with the provisions of any prior ordinances, the inconsistent provisions of such prior ordinances are hereby repealed, but only to the extent of the inconsistencies.

<u>Section 3.</u> In the event that any provision of this ordinance, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such declaration of invalidity shall not affect any other provision or application of this ordinance which may be given effect, and, to realize this intent, the provisions and applications of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon final adoption, approval and publication in accordance with law.