

Approve the hire of Kyle Joaquin as a full-time Laborer in the Department of Public Works, at an annual salary of \$30,332.00, with a six-month probationary period, effective May 2, 2017.

By:

2nd:

RC:

CORRESPONDENCE –

- Notice - River Edge Board of Education – 4/3/17
Re: Meeting Notice – April 5, 2017
- Report - Alan P. Negreann, Administrator/CFO-4/10/17
Re: Damage to Public Property
- Notice - County of Bergen – 4/10/17
Re: Open Space Hearing – 2016 Proposed Funding
Allocations – River Edge - \$30,000-KBG Lights
- Report - Alan P. Negreann, Administrator/CFO – 4/11/17
Re: Farmer’s Market Report - 4/11/17
- Letter - Bergen County Freeholders – 4/6/17
Re: Adoption of Ordinance #17-03
- Report - Alan P. Negreann, Administrator/CFO-4/13/17
Re: Revenue Report – 4/13/17
- Letter - Board of Chosen Freeholders – 4/21/17
Re: Introduction of Ordinance #17-02
- Letter - Board of Chosen Freeholders – 4/21/17
Re: Introduction of Ordinance #17-04
- Letter - Linda Albergo – 4/24/17
Re: Safety and Traffic Congestion on Howland
- Notice - N.J. Dept. of Environmental Protection-4/24/17
Re: New Classification Exception Area (CEA)
Huffman Koos Site

MONTHLY REPORTS –

- Library Board - April 2017
- Fire Prevention Bureau - First Quarter 2017
- Zoning Board of Adjustment - May 11, 2016
- Zoning Board of Adjustment - February 8, 2017
- Tax Collector - March 2017
- Historic Commission - March 2017
- Shade Tree Commission - March 2017
- Environmental Commission - April 2017

ORDINANCES – 1ST READING –

Ordinance #17-16 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED ‘POLICE DEPARTMENT’ OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF RIVER EDGE, COUNTY OF BERGEN AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Description: Amend Police Department Table of Organization

By: 2nd: RC:

ORDINANCE – 2ND READING –

Ordinance #17-11 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$56,300.00 FROM THE GENERAL CAPITAL FUND – CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND FOR PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT AS AMENDED

Description: \$56,300 from the Capital Improvement Fund to purchase equipment for Public Works, Fire, Borough Clerk, Health, Construction & Police.

OPEN PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ORDINANCE – Ordinance #17-11

By: 2nd: RC:

CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ORDINANCE – Ordinance #17-11

By: 2nd: RC:

ADOPTION – Ordinance #17-11 AS AMENDED

By: 2nd: RC:

Ordinance #17-12 BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE MAKING OF VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS AND THE ACQUISITION OF NEW ADDITIONAL OR REPLACEMENT EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, NEW INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY EQUIPMENT, NEW COMMUNICATION AND SIGNAL SYSTEMS EQUIPMENT AND NEW AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLES, INCLUDING ORIGINAL APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT, IN, BY AND FOR THE BOROUGH OF RIVER EDGE, IN THE COUNTY OF BERGEN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$1,243,000 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, TO MAKE A DOWN PAYMENT, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS TO FINANCE SUCH APPROPRIATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS

Description: Funding for various public improvements for the Community Center, replacement of equipment and machinery for the Fire Department, new automotive vehicles for the DPW, new information technology equipment & signal systems equipment for the Police Department, stormwater drainage and sanitary sewer improvements at various location in the Borough, budget and accounting computer system for the Finance Department and the 2017 Road Resurfacing Program.

OPEN PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ORDINANCE – Ordinance #17-12

By: 2nd: RC:

CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ORDINANCE –Ordinance #17-12

By: 2nd: RC:

ADOPTION – Ordinance #17-12

By: 2nd: RC:

Ordinance #17-13 - AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF RIVER EDGE AMENDING CHAPTER 330 OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF RIVER EDGE AND ADDING A NEW CHAPTER TO BE ENTITLED “ABANDONED PROPERTIES” PROVIDING FOR REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS, REGISTRATION FEES, INSPECTION, MAINTENANCE AND CREDITOR RESPONSIBILITIES OF ABANDONED PROPERTIES

Description: Allow the Borough to impose a fee to lenders and lien holders for unnecessary costs incurred by the Borough with regard to abandoned structures and properties.

OPEN PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ORDINANCE – Ordinance #17-13

By: 2nd: RC:

CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ORDINANCE –Ordinance #17-13

By: 2nd: RC:

ADOPTION – Ordinance #17-13

By: 2nd: RC:

Ordinance #17-14 AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF RIVER EDGE, COUNTY OF BERGEN AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO AMEND CHAPTER 222, “GAMES OF CHANCE”, TO ADD SECTION 222-4 ENTITLED “ISSUING AUTHORITY”

Description: Allow the Borough Clerk to be the issuing authority for Raffle Licenses

OPEN PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ORDINANCE – Ordinance #17-14

By: 2nd: RC:

CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ORDINANCE –Ordinance #17-14

By: 2nd: RC:

ADOPTION – Ordinance #17-14

Ordinance #17-15 - AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF RIVER EDGE, COUNTY OF BERGEN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO AMEND CHAPTER 49 OF THE BOROUGH CODE ENTITLED, “LAND USE PROCEDURES” TO DISSOLVE THE ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT AND TRANSFERING ITS FUNCTIONS INTO THE PLANNING BOARD TO CREATE A LAND USE BOARD PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40:55D-25(c)(1) AS AMENDED

By: 2nd: RC:

Description: Combining the Planning and Zoning Boards (Amended by removing the word “Merging” and replacing it with “Transferring”

OPEN PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ORDINANCE – Ordinance #17-15

By: 2nd: RC:

CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ORDINANCE –Ordinance #17-15

By: 2nd: RC:

ADOPTION – Ordinance #17-15 AS AMENDED

RESOLUTIONS - By Consent

#17-156 Resolution to Go Into Closed Session and Exclude Public

#17-157 Authorize Mayor to Sign Lease with Temple Avodat Shalom for Rental of Premises Located at 385 Howland Avenue, River Edge, New Jersey for the Recreational Needs of the Senior Citizens of River Edge

#17-158 Cancel Unexpended and Dedicated Balances

#17-159 Enter into Agreement with Ferraioli, Wielkotz, Cerullo & Cuva, P.A, 401 Wanaque Avenue, Pompton Lakes, NJ 07442 for Finance and Accounting Services Related to the 2017 Bond Sale

#17-160 Enter Into Agreement with Steve Rogut, Esq., Rogut McCarthy LLC 37

Alden Street, Cranford, NJ 07015 for Legal Services for the 2017 Bond Sale
#17-161 Approval Establishing the River Edge Farmer's Market and Creation of the Farmer's Market Committee

#17-162 Change in Personnel Policy & Procedure Manual, Section III - Benefits

#17-163 Authorize Cancellation of Accounts Payable

#17-164 Authorize Mayor and Clerk to Sign a Shared Services Agreement with the River Dell Board of Education to Re-establish and Maintain a Community Garden

#17-165 Authorize Mayor to Sign 2017 Community Stewardship Incentive Program (CSIP) Grant

#17-166 Grant Raffle License to St. Peter the Apostle Church

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#17-168 Declaration of Intent to Apply for the Bergen County Trust Fund Municipal Program for Park Improvements 2017 Funding Round

#17-169 Authorize Tax Collector to Refund a 2nd Quarter 2017 Tax Overpayment

#17-170 Authorize Tax Collector to refund Taxes for 2009, 2010 and 2011 Due to a New Jersey Tax Court Judgment

#17-171 Authorize Redemption and Disbursement of Tax Sale Certificate

#17-172 Authorize Tax Collector to Refund a 2017 2nd Quarter Tax Overpayment

#17-173 Acknowledge Receipt of Certification of Request for Emergency Purchases – Department of Public Works

#17-174 Enter Into Agreement with Robert Costa, Borough Engineer, for Professional Services Related to Route 4 Turnbridge Road to Route 9W to Act as Responsible Representative to Coordinate Efforts with the State of New Jersey

#17-175 Enter Into Agreement with Robert Costa, Borough Engineer, for Professional Services to Supervise and Inspect Directive Work Required by a County of Bergen Bridge Evaluation Survey Report

#17-176 Authorize Mayor to Sign Agreement between the State of New Jersey Commissioner of Transportation and the Borough of River Edge

#17-177 Approve Borough of River Edge Tier 1 Qualified Facility Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasure Plan and Borough of River Edge Oil Spill Contingency Plan Dated April 2017

#17-178 Authorize the Mayor and Clerk to Execute a Shared Services Agreement with the Bergen County Department of Health Services for an Employee Assistance Program (EAP)

#17-179 Authorize Refund from Trust Other Account

By: _____ 2nd: _____ RC: _____

#17-180 Payment of Bills

By: _____ 2nd: _____ RC: _____

OPEN HEARING OF THE PUBLIC -

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CLOSE HEARING OF THE PUBLIC -

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RC:

COUNCIL COMMENTS –

ADJOURNMENT –

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2nd:

RC: