

**VOORHEES TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE  
MINUTES FOR THE MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 28, 2015**

**FLAG SALUTE**

**ROLL CALL** Mr. Friedman, Mr. Platt, Mr. DiNatale, Mayor Mignogna, Mr. Spellman, Township Administrator; Mr. Long, Township Solicitor; Mr. Bibbs, Remington & Vernick Engineers, Louis Bordi, Police Chief

**ABSENT:** Mrs. Ayes

**SUNSHINE STATEMENT:** Mr. Long stated that this meeting is being held in compliance with the "Open Public Meetings Act and has been duly noticed and published as required in the Courier Post and Inquirer Newspapers.

**FIRST READING ON ORDINANCE**

AN ORDINANCE OF TOWNSHIP OF VOORHEES BANNING THE SALE OF DOGS AND CATS FROM PET SHOPS THAT COME FROM PUPPY MILLS AND KITTEN MILLS

MOTION: MR. PLATT  
SECONDED: MR. FRIEDMAN  
AYES: 4  
NAYS: 0  
ABSENT: 1 MRS. AYES

**PUBLIC PORTION FOR RESOLUTIONS ONLY**

**MOTION TO CLOSE**

PUBLIC PORTION: MR. PLATT  
SECONDED: MR. FRIEDMAN  
AYES: 4  
NAYS: 0  
ABSENT: 1 MRS. AYES

**RESOLUTION NO: 178-15**

AUTHORIZING CONTINUED PARTICIPATION IN THE MUNICIPAL CONSORTIUM FOR THE PURPOSES OF ENGAGING AN EXPERT FOR THE PREPARATION OF STATEWIDE, REGIONAL AND MUNICIPAL FAIR SHARE NUMBERS AND RETENTION OF A NEW EXPERT CONSULTANT

MOTION: MR. PLATT  
SECONDED: MR. FRIEDMAN  
AYES: 4  
NAYS: 0  
ABSENT: 1 MRS. AYES

**RESOLUTION NO. 179-15**

APPROVAL OF A TWA APPLICATION FOR KHMER BUDDHIST HUMANITARIAN ASSOCIATION

MOTION: MR. PLATT  
SECONDED: MR. FRIEDMAN  
AYES: 4  
NAYS: 0  
ABSENT: 1 MRS. AYES

**RESOLUTION NO. 180-15**

ACCEPTING THE RETIREMENT OF ANTHONY RUSTERUCCI FROM THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MOTION: MR. PLATT  
SECONDED: MR. FRIEDMAN  
AYES: 4  
NAYS: 0  
ABSENT: 1 MRS. AYES

**RESOLUTION NO. 181-15**

**TAX COLLECTOR**

MOTION: MR. PLATT  
SECONDED: MR. FRIEDMAN  
AYES: 4  
NAYS: 0  
ABSENT: 1 MRS. AYES

MINUTES FROM SEPTEMBER 8, 2015

MOTION TO APPROVE: MR. DiNATALE  
SECONDED: MR. FRIEDMAN  
AYES: 3  
NAYS: 0  
ABSTAIN: MR. PLATT  
ABSENT: 1 MRS. AYES

BILLS POSTED FOR SEPTEMBER 28, 2015  
TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR AUGUST 2015  
COURT REPORT FOR AUGUST 2015  
TREASURER'S REPORT FOR AUGUST 2015

MOTION TO APPROVE: MR. DiNATALE  
SECONDED: MR. FRIEDMAN  
AYES: 4  
NAYS: 0  
ABSENT: 1 MRS. AYES

COMMENTS FROM COMMITTEE - None

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC - Betty Hightower, 219 Laurel Road, Apt 716

Ms. Hightower asked expressed her concerns regarding the homeless people who are sleeping outside the Camden County Library. She stated that even though there are No Loitering signs posted, these individuals are creating a very dirty, unsanitary situation.

Mayor Mignogna stated that we will reach out to the county concerning these problems. He agreed the library should not be used in this manner.

Mrs. Hightower added that there is also a sanitation problem at Echelon Towers. The areas around the dumpsters are not being cleaned as they should and as a result the sanitation workers are unable to access the dumpsters.

Mayor Mignogna stated that we will reach out to the management at Echelon Towers and ask them to address this matter.

Gwen De Vera, 6 Audrey Court, Voorhees NJ

Mrs. DeVera asked if improvements can be made to Lions Lake Park. She stated that there is a need for tables, benches and trash cans in order for the residents to have picnics in the park. Thank you.

MOTION TO CLOSE

PUBLIC PORTION: MR. DiNATALE  
SECONDED: MR. FRIEDMAN  
AYES: 4  
NAYS: 0  
ABSENT: 1 MRS. AYES

**COMMENDATION – DAVID DACANAY 2015 NURSE.COM GIVING EXCELLENCE MEANING AWARD**

MOTION TO CLOSE : MR. DiNATALE  
SECONDED: MR. FRIEDMAN  
AYES: 4  
NAYS: 0  
ABSENT: 1 MRS. AYES

ADJOURNMENT