Regular Monthly Meeting of the Mayor and Common Council of Gloucester City Thursday, July 28, 2016 7:30 P.M.

313 Monmouth Street

Minutes

- 1. Call Meeting to Order: by Mayor James at 7:30 pm
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance:
- **3. Roll Call**: Baus, Johnson, Keating, Parry, Spencer and Mayor James being present. Hutchinson was excused.
- 4. Open Public Meetings Act Notice: This meeting is being held in accordance with the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act, otherwise known as the "Sunshine Law." It has been legally noticed in accordance with the law and copies have been given to those requesting the same.
- 5. Proclamation: Fire Chief Brian Hagan
- 6. Resolutions:

R148 Awarding a Contract to Xylem Dewatering Solutions, Inc. for Supply for Four Inch (4") Cast Iron Sound Attenuated Skid Mounted Natural Gas Driven Pump

Motion by Parry, 2nd by Spencer to approve. All in favor.

7. **Ordinances**: None for this evening

8. Old Business/New Business:

a) Bills paid from June 24 to July 20, 2016 Bills Approved July 28, 2016

\$1,716,725.17 \$ 488,985.08

Total amount being approved

\$2,205,710.25

Motion by Spencer, 2nd by Keating to approve.

Roll Call: Baus, Johnson, Keating, Spencer and Mayor James voting in the affirmative. Parry abstained.

9. Open Forum: The Governing Body has approved the following rules governing the procedures of the Open (General) Public Forum: Any citizen or taxpayer wishing to address the Governing Body may do so after approaching the rail, stating his or her name and address and being recognized by the chair. Said citizen or taxpayer will then be permitted to address the Governing Body for five minutes. After all persons wishing to address the Governing Body have had the opportunity, persons may approach the rail for a second and final five-minute interval during this session

Charles Walmsley, Highland Blvd.-unhappy with ballfield incident-Mayor explained full committee was not necessary in this instance because the organization handled. Parry explained if organization did not handle then it would go to committee. Mr. Walmsley also expressed knowledge of a traveling team coach that had been arrested last year for drug charges.

Ed Cowgill, 167 S. Burlington St. – unhappy with result of last incident at ballfields.

Katie Rodgers, Marlborough Ave. – wants waiver for her son to play elsewhere because he is being - disrespected by coaches-Mayor will speak with Mr. Wright.

John Gorman, 223 S. Broadway – has not heard back regarding problem with manhole cover. Johnson reported he has not yet been able to discuss with Fred.

EEN M. TENTSCH, CITY CLERK

There were no other persons wishing to speak.

Motion by Parry, 2nd by Baus to adjourn. All in favor. Meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm.

ATTEST: