

**SOUTH PLAINFIELD BOROUGH  
BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES  
MARCH 4, 2013, 7:00 P.M.  
AGENDA MEETING**

**CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Anesh called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Mayor Anesh read the sunshine statement and announced that same is being held pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act of 1974 and all provisions of that Act have been met with adequate notice of this meeting having been provided to the Borough's two official newspapers and also published on the Borough's website.

The roll call was administered by Clerk Antonides as follows:

COUNCIL	Present	Absent	Late
Councilman Barletta	X		
Councilman Bengivenga	X		
Councilman Diana		X	
Councilman McConville	X		
Councilman White	X		
Council President Rusnak	X		
Mayor Anesh	X		
<b>ALSO PRESENT</b>			
Administrator Cullen	X		
Clerk Antonides	X		
Attorney Rizzo	X		
Engineer Miller	X		

**Review of Agenda Items:** Clerk Antonides reviewed all the items on the agenda for this evening. Mayor Anesh asked if the Council has any comments on the agenda this evening.

Councilman Barletta advised that pertaining to resolution #13-85 this evening, as it has been tabled twice, he has since had time to review it further. Councilman Barletta advised that he has met with the homeowner and knows that our engineer has also reviewed it. Mr. Barletta advised that at this time he will recommend that we proceed with passing this resolution especially since the resolution doesn't commit us on a permanent basis.

Councilman Bengivenga asked if pertaining to resolution #13-90 if we are repairing a broken heat exchanger at the Senior Center? Mr. Cullen said yes and advised that the cost for the repair is covered by an older CDBG grant.

**Exec #13-84** Authorize the entering into Executive Session in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, P.L. 1975, Ch. 231 for the following item(s): There was no Executive Session for this evening.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** Mayor Anesh opened the floor for public comments.

Mr. Mark Andrew of 1135 West 8<sup>th</sup> Street expressed his concerns regarding the paving job that was done on his street about a year ago in that he believes the contractors did not clean the street of leaves, dirt and debris prior to the overlay. Mr. Andrew also commented that it is his belief that they ran out of tack coat in a section and paved the surface without the tack coat in the one section. Mr. Andrew showed two undated photographs of his road surface sometime prior to paving. The Borough Engineer, Len Miller, said that they sweep the street right when they are ready to pave. Mr. Miller noted puddles in Mr. Andrews's photographs and said that it would not have been possible to pave when the road surface is wet, especially with puddeling. Mr. Andrew went on to express his concerns pertaining to speed bumps that were installed on his street saying that when trucks hit them they shake his house some 200' away and had he known this in advance he would never have supported the installation of them. Council President Rusnak thanked Mr. Andrew and said he will personally do down his street to investigate.

With no further public comments made, Mayor Anesh closed the floor from public comments.

**ADJOURN AGENDA MEETING:** With no further comments, Mayor Anesh asked for a motion to adjourn from the Agenda Meeting. Councilman White made a motion to adjourn from the Agenda Meeting at 7:17 p.m., seconded by Councilman McConville unanimously carried by an all in favor.

Respectfully Submitted By:

*Amy Antonides*

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