

**TOWNSHIP OF OCEAN
COUNTY OF OCEAN
BUSINESS MEETING
April 23, 2020
10:00 am**

Call to Order

Flag Salute

ROLL CALL: LOPARO _____ DODD _____ BAULDERSTONE _____

STATEMENT: Pursuant to the provisions of the New Jersey Open Public Meeting Act, adequate notice of this meeting was properly provided by sending a copy of the Notice of Meeting to two newspapers, The Asbury Park Press and the Press of Atlantic City. The Notice was posted at the office of the Township Clerk

PUBLIC COMMENT: Submitted by e-mail by 4:30 pm April 22, 2023

Motion to Open to the Public: Motion made by: 1st _____ 2nd _____
LOPARO _____ DODD _____ BAULDERSTONE _____

Motion to Close to the Public: Motion made by: 1st _____ 2nd _____
LOPARO _____ DODD _____ BAULDERSTONE _____

Resolution 2020-148

Resolution Authorizing - SELF-EXAMINATION OF BUDGET, Township of Ocean has been declared eligible to participate in the program by the Division of Local Government Services, and the Chief Financial officer has determined that the local government meets the necessary conditions to participate in the program for the 2020 budget year.

Motion to approve: 1st _____ 2nd _____
LOPARO _____ DODD _____ BAULDERSTONE _____

Resolution 2020-149

Resolution authorizing the submittal of the 2019 Recycling Tonnage Grant Application to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection

Motion to approve: 1st _____ 2nd _____
LOPARO _____ DODD _____ BAULDERSTONE _____

Motion to Adjourn: 1st _____ 2nd _____
LOPARO _____ DODD _____ BAULDERSTONE _____

Next Scheduled Meetings
May 14, 2020 – Business Meeting - 7:00 pm

RESOLUTION 2020-148
SELF-EXAMINATION OF BUDGET RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-78b has authorized the Local Finance Board to adopt rules that permit municipalities in sound fiscal condition to assume the responsibility, normally granted to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services, of conducting the annual budget examination; and

WHEREAS, N.J.A.C. 5:30-7 was adopted by the Local Finance Board on February 11, 1997; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-7.2 through 7.5, the *Township of Ocean* has been declared eligible to participate in the program by the Division of Local Government Services, and the Chief Financial officer has determined that the local government meets the necessary conditions to participate in the program for the 2020 budget year.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the governing body of the Township of Ocean that in accordance with N.J.A.C. 5:30-7.6a & 7.6b and based upon the Chief Financial Officer's certification, the governing body has found the budget has met the following requirements:

1. That with reference to the following items, the amounts have been calculated pursuant to law and appropriated as such in the budget:
 - a. Payment of interest and debt redemption charges
 - b. Deferred charges and statutory expenditures
 - c. Cash deficit of preceding year
 - d. Reserve for uncollected taxes
 - e. Other reserves and non-disbursement items
 - f. Any inclusions of amounts required for school purposes.
2. That the provisions relating to limitation on increases of appropriations pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.2 and appropriations for exceptions to limits on appropriations found at N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.3 et seq., are fully met (complies with CAP law).
3. That the budget is in such form, arrangement, and content as required by the Local Budget Law and N.J.A.C. 5:30-4 and 5:30-5.
4. That pursuant to the Local Budget Law:
 - a. All estimates of revenue are reasonable, accurate and correctly stated,
 - b. Items of appropriation are properly set forth
 - c. In itemization, form, arrangement and content, the budget will permit the exercise of the comptroller function within the municipality.

5. The budget and associated amendments have been introduced and publicly advertised in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Local Budget Law, except that failure to meet the deadlines of N.J.S.A. 40A:4-5 shall not prevent such certification.

6. That all other applicable statutory requirements have been fulfilled.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution will be forwarded to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services upon adoption.

Certification

I, Diane B. Ambrosio, Clerk of the Township of Ocean, County of Ocean, and State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Governing body at their regular business meeting held on the 23rd day of April 2020.

Diane B. Ambrosio, RMC
Municipal Clerk

Township of Ocean
OCEAN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

CERTIFICATION OF APPROVED BUDGET

It is hereby certified that the Approved Budget complies with the requirements of law and approval is given pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:4-78(b) and N.J.A.C. 5:30-7.

It is further certified that the municipality has met the eligibility requirements of N.J.A.C. 5:30-7.4 and 7.5, and that I, as Chief Financial Officer, have completed the local examination in compliance with N.J.A.C. 5:30-7.6.

Dated: _____

By: _____
Edward Simone, Chief Financial Officer

This certification form and resolution of the governing body executing such certification should be annexed to the adopted budget (N.J.A.C. 5:30-7.6(e))

Resolution 2020-149
TONNAGE GRANT APPLICATION RESOLUTION

- WHEREAS,** The Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act, P.L.1987, c.102, has established a recycling fund from which tonnage grant may be made to municipalities in order to encourage local source separation and recycling programs; and
- WHEREAS,** It is the intent and the spirit of the Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act to use the tonnage grants to develop new municipal recycling programs and to continue and to expand existing programs; and
- WHEREAS,** The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection has promulgated recycling regulations to Implement the Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act; and
- WHEREAS,** The recycling regulations impose on municipalities certain requirements as a condition for applying for tonnage grants, including but not limited to, making and keeping accurate, verifiable records of materials collected and claimed by the municipality; and
- WHEREAS,** A resolution authorizing this municipality to apply for such tonnage grants 2019 will memorialize the commitment of this municipality to recycling and to indicate the assent of Township of Ocean, County of Ocean to the efforts undertaken by the municipality and the requirements contained in the Recycling Act and recycling regulations; and
- WHEREAS,** Such a resolution should designate the individual authorized to ensure the application is properly completed and timely filed.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Ocean of the County of Ocean hereby endorses the submission of the recycling tonnage grant application to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and designates Matthew Ambrosio, Certified Recycling Coordinator to ensure that the application is properly filed; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the monies received from the recycling tonnage grant be deposited in a dedicated recycling trust fund to be used solely for the purposes of recycling.

CERTIFICATION

I, Diane B. Ambrosio, RMC, Clerk of the Township of Ocean, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution to be a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Ocean on the 23rd day of April 2020.

Diane B. Ambrosio, RMC
Municipal Clerk