April 18, 2013 Margate City, New Jersey

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners began at 5:00 p.m. with a flag salute and roll call: Mr. Becker, Ms. Taube & Mr. Blumberg were present. Mr. Deaney was present and Mr. Abbott was absent. The minutes from April 4, 2013 were approved as read on motion with a vote of three ayes. Executive session minutes of March 7, 2013 were approved as read on motion by Mr. Blumberg with a vote of three ayes.

Public Comments: John Sewell spoke on the prospect of rising flood insurance rates & the impact on the community and taxes. **Public Comment on Agenda Items**: John Sewell spoke against Resolution #100. Joan Naden expressed her favor for dune construction. Mr. Blumberg commented on Resolution #100: favorable vote tonight to search for grant money but the city should proceed cautiously so as not assume a burden of millions of dollars if commit to a dune project. There would be maintenance costs and a change in landscape with dunes and both negative and positive restrictions imposed therefore he would not vote in favor of a dune construction project. Ms. Taube spoke in favor of dunes. On motion this portion was closed with a vote of three ayes.

Agenda Items:

Ordinance #07 an Ordinance Amending Chapter 99"Flood Hazard Areas" of the Code of the City of Margate City, County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey was adopted on motion by Mr. Becker with a vote of three ayes. The ordinance will be advertised in accordance with law.

Ordinance #09 An Ordinance Amending Chapter 257, Vehicles & Traffic, of the Code of the

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Resolutions may be found in full in the following pages. All were adopted on motion with a vote of three ayes with the exception of #96 Authorize Payment to Colmar Home Center which was adopted on motion by Mr. Blumberg with a vote of 2 ayes – Mr. Blumberg, Ms. Taube.

#94 Payment of Claims and Payroll (Blumberg)

#95 Authorize Tax Certificate Redemption (Blumberg)

#97 Authorize Dates for Sidewalk Sales (Blumberg)

#98 Approve Place to Place Transfer of Liquor License d/b/a Downbeach Liquors (Taube)

#99 Authorize Recycling Tonnage Grant (Taube)

#100 Authorize City Administrator, Solicitor & Engineer to Investigate & Determine the Feasibility of a Shore Front Protection Project (Becker)

#101 Approve Change Order #3 – 2011 State Aid Reconstruction of Amherst Avenue – decrease (Taube)

#102 Award Emergency Contract to S & M Construction, 2 Violet Lane, Somers Point, NJ 08244 for **Beach Stair Replacement** - \$63,997 (Taube)

#103 Award Contract to Action Janitorial, Inc., 210 East Black Horse Pike, Pleasantville, NJ 08232 for Landscape Maintenance throughout the City - \$49,000 (Becker)

Added after Work Session:

#104 Award Contract to S & M Construction for **Beach Stair Repairs** - \$19,895 (Blumberg) On motion the meeting was adjourned on motion with a vote of three ayes.

Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City, New Jersey	
Attest:	
Thomas D. Hiltner, City Clerk	