

**WORKSHOP MEETING MINUTES
CITY COMMISSION – MARGATE CITY**

June 4, 2015

MARGATE CITY, NEW JERSEY

THE PRESS AND THE DOWNBEACH CURRENT WERE NOTIFIED OF THESE MEETINGS AND A COPY OF SAME WAS POSTED ON THE BULLETIN BOARD AND THE MUNICIPAL WEBSITE

The Margate City Board of Commissioners held a work meeting on the above date at 4:00 p.m. The meeting began with a flag salute & roll call: Mr. Becker, Mr. Amodeo and Mr. Blumberg were present. The following department heads were present: Mr. Walberg, Mr. Ricciotti, Mr. Rubin, Chief Wolfson, Mr. Verna, Ms. McLaughlin. Mr. Deaneay and Mr. Abbott were also present.

Items for Discussion: Presentation of the 2014 Municipal Audit was given by Mr. Frenia. Solicitor Abbott presented the need for a license agreement with 221 N. Clermont Ave. He will draw up the contract for the Mayor and Commissioners to sign.

Department Reports:

Mr. Verna: Nothing to report.

Mr. Rubin: Post Sandy Planning Grant Studies moving forward. July 7th is the next meeting. Planning Board is very busy.

Mr. Abbott: Post Sandy Planning Studies will be very helpful with the back bay dredging issue of spoil removal. Stu Farrell is willing to come on board with the dredging project. A letter on elevation will be drafted.

Mr. Deaneay: Bids for notes will be coming due. In 2016 they will be permanently financed.

Chief Wolfson: le de Tour downbeach will be held on Sunday. The Leason was in and accreditation is on target.

Ms. McLaughlin: Resolution #112-2015 Requesting the Amendment to the 2015 Budget will be offset. There will be no increase in the overall budget.

Mr. Ricciotti: Fountains will be shut off for maintenance. The Historical Building has been cleaned out for demolition. Bricks have been saved. Beaches are in great shape.

Mr. Wahlberg: Reviewed his Status report.

Commissioner Blumberg: Dr. Stu Farrell makes sense for Margate. The Margate Library looks beautiful.

Commissioner Amodeo: Nothing to report

Mayor Becker: Nothing to report.

Public Participation:

John Sewell; 22 West Drive,: inquires as to the percentage of financial responsibility of the City for the dredging project.

Sharon Simon; 424 N Thurlow Ave.: comments on the beach.

On motion by Mr. Blumberg, second by Mr. Becker public portion was closed with a vote of three ayes. On motion by Mr. Blumberg, second by Mr. Amodeo the meeting was adjourned with a vote of 3 ayes.

Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City, New Jersey

Attest: _____ Deborah J. Smith, Acting City Clerk