

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

June 18, 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: Ms. Larkin, Mr. Walberg, Mr. Galantino, Mr. Ricciotti, Mr. Rubin, Chief Wolfson, Chief Tabasso, Mr. Verna, Ms. McLaughlin. Mr. Deane and Mr. Abbott were also present.

Swearing in of Police Captain: Kenneth M. Bergeron was sworn in as Captain of Margate Police Department by Commissioner Amodeo. Class Two Officers; Perry Cooker and Jake Rando were recognized.

Department Reports:

Mr. Verna: 1 S. Washington Ave is coming along.

Ms. Larkin: Audit is good.

Jim Galantino: Working on a “Flood Letter” with Scott Abbott, permits for five new houses were given this week, the demolish 438 N Vendome Ave is moving forward.

Mr. Rubin: Nothing to report.

Mr. Abbott: Nothing to report.

Mr. Deane: Working on a change to the Dumpster Ordinance. Police will be responsible for curb to curb.

Chief Wolfson: Thanks the Commissioner for moving forward with the Dumpster Ordinance.

Ms. McLaughlin: Updates the rollover of Bonds. Sale of BANS will be July 9th. Beach Badge sales have been strong. Jiff contract will be renewed for three more years.

Chief Tabasso: Need for a new fire truck, looking at a Quint 78 foot long ladder truck. Fire Department and Beach are ready for summer. Ready for Fireworks.

Mr. Ricciotti: Busy, working on playground on the back of the municipal Building. There has been an additional 42 recepticals on the beach. Beachstock is next weekend. Increasing the hours of Public Yard to 1 pm to 6pm.

Mr. Wahlberg: Reviewed his Status report.

Commissioner Blumberg: Thanks Lisa and Dave Miller for the preferred rate and in the top third of the Municipalities.

Commissioner Amodeo: Nothing to report.

Mayor Becker: Nothing to report.

Public Participation:

Steven Altman, 9003 Amherst Ave: Inquires as to the delivery of the new fire truck.

John Sewell; 22 West Drive: Request that Class II Officers issue summons for dogs on the beach. Request signs on both sides of the bulkhead. Would like dog census reenacted. Inquires as to the reimbursement for Narcan.

Stanley Waldman, 7400 Bayshore Drive: Speaks on Neighbors condition of home.

Mayor Becker request he speak at the Regular Commission Meeting.

On motion by Mr. Amodeo, second by Mr. Blumberg 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