

Sea Bright, New Jersey
Budget Workshop Meeting Minutes
March 7, 2011
6:43 P.M.

Mayor Fernandes called the meeting to order and requested those present to join her in the Flag Salute.

Mayor Fernandes read the following statement:

"GOOD EVENING LADIES AND GENTLEMEN. THIS MEETING IS NOW CALLED TO ORDER. IN LINE WITH THE BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT'S LONGSTANDING POLICY OF OPEN GOVERNMENT, AND IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE "OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT", I WISH TO ADVISE YOU THAT ADEQUATE NOTICE OF THIS **BUDGET WORKSHOP MEETING** HAS BEEN SUPPLIED TO, ASBURY PARK PRESS, THE HUB, THE LINK AND TWO RIVER TIMES ON **February 17, 2011** AND POSTED ON THE BULLETIN BOARD IN THE BOROUGH OFFICE. IN EACH INSTANCE, THE DATE, TIME AND LOCATION OF THIS MEETING WERE PROVIDED IN THE NOTICE. THIS MEETING IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC."

3. ROLL CALL:

PRESENT: Bills (arrived at 7:52 p.m.), Keeler, Kelly, LoBiondo (arrived at 6:48 p.m., Long, Murphy, Mayor Fernandes, Chief Financial Officer Bascom Deputy Borough Clerk Branagan.

ABSENT: None

4. 2011 BUDGET - CFO Bascom said that the budget would be introduced on March 15th. This is an increase of 3 cents per one hundred dollars of assessed value. This is about \$30 per hundred thousand for the value of a home.

The Council discussed cutting back legal and engineering fees.

6. REMARKS FROM THE AUDIENCE: No one wished to be heard.

There being no further business before the Governing Body. Councilwoman Long made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:20 P.M. Second by Councilman Keeler and approved upon unanimous voice vote.

Respectfully Submitted,

Suzanne Branagan
Deputy Borough Clerk