

Egg Harbor Township Committee Executive Closed Session
Egg Harbor Township Municipal Building
H. Robert Switzer Room

Meeting of April 19, 2023
Pursuant to Resolution No. 204-2023
MINUTES

Mayor Pfrommer called the closed session portion of the meeting to order at 5:50 p.m. Present were Committee Members Ellis, Hodson, O'Donoghue, Deputy Mayor Cafero and Mayor Pfrommer, Administrator Markulic, Deputy Township Administrator D'Intino, Township Solicitor Friedman, and Deputy Township Clerk Hughes.

PERSONNEL

Conflict of Personnel

Solicitor Friedman referred to the opinion letter Labor Relations Attorney William Blaney provided in regards to committee members needing to recuse themselves during certain subject matters being discussed in closed session meetings. Discussion ensued in regards to what subjects constitute preclusion, legal challenges, the person or persons responsible for determining conflictive subject matters and ethics. The governing body directed Administrator Markulic to refer the matter back to Attorney Blaney seeking guidelines to follow. They also requested Administrator Markulic request the timeline used by the police department for internal investigations.

LEGAL

Pending Notice of Violation – Ferrier

REDACTED – Not Released - Open Public Meetings Act, P.L. 1975, Chapter 231

Committeeman O'Donoghue recused himself, leaving the closed session portion of the meeting at 6:45 p.m.

PERSONNEL

Captain Promotions

Administrator Markulic said with the recent retirements of Chief Hughes and Captain Per, there are two (2) Captain positions vacant. Discussion ensued regarding the structure of the police department, those eligible to fill positions and when to hold interviews. It was decided that a Special Meeting will be held at 4:00 p.m., prior to the Regular Meeting, on May 3rd and promotions will occur at the May 24th Regular Meeting, effective June 1st.

There being no further business, Ellis second Hodson, the meeting was reconvened to the public session at 7:00 p.m. All members present voted in the affirmative.

Janice F. Hughes, RMC
Deputy Township Clerk

These minutes approved at the May 3, 2023 Township Committee meeting.
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