

June 3, 2019

Minutes of the public meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Dunellen held on June 3, 2019.

Mayor Robert J. Seader called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and he led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Municipal Clerk William Robins read the Sunshine Statement and called the Roll.

Present: Robert Seader, Kenneth Bayer, April Burke, Jessica Dunne, Stacy Narvesen and Joseph Petracca

Absent: Jason Cilento

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On the motion of Mr. Bayer and seconded by Mrs. Narvesen it was moved to accept the Minutes of May 20, 2019:

Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne and Narvesen

Abstain: Petracca, due to his absence

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On the motion of Mr. Bayer and seconded by Dr. Dunne it was moved to accept the following:

**ORDINANCE 2019-06**

**BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN**

**The following DUNELLEN SALARY ORDINANCE was Introduced for first reading on May 20, 2019. It is now being presented for Public Hearing and Adoption on June 3, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. in the Dunellen Borough Municipal Building, 355 North Avenue, Dunellen, New Jersey. Copies of this ordinance have been posted on the Municipal Bulletin Board, and have been available at the Office of the Borough Clerk for any interested members of the public.**

**The following are base salaries, without longevity or benefits:**

<u>Step</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
11	\$120,000.00	\$170,000.00
10	\$75,000.00	\$140,000.00
9	\$60,000.00	\$74,999.00
8	\$45,000.00	\$65,000.00
7	\$35,000.00	\$60,000.00
6	\$30,000.00	\$48,000.00
5	\$25,000.00	\$40,000.00
4	\$15,000.00	\$25,000.00
3	\$8,000.00	\$19,999.00

2	\$2,000.00	\$12,000.00
1	\$1,000.00	\$4,999.00

**Full-Time Positions**

	<b><u>Step</u></b>
Chief of Police	11
Administrator/Clerk	10
DPW Supervisor	10
Court Administrator	8
Human Resources Manager	8
Supervisor, Accounts & Payroll	8
Finance/Payroll Clerk	7
Recreation Director	6
Deputy Municipal Clerk	6
Deputy Registrar	6
Deputy Court Administrator	6
Registrar	5
Clerk's Office Admin. Assistant	5
Violations Clerk, Municipal Court	5

**Part-Time Salary Positions**

Municipal Attorney	7
Construction Code Official	6
Municipal Judge	5
Chief Financial Officer	5
Tax Assessor	4
Tax Collector	3
Municipal Prosecutor	3
Property Maintenance/Code Enf.	3
Sewer Inspector	3
Public Defender	2
Office of Emergency Management	2
Sub Code Official (Electrical, Fire, Plumbing)	2
Sign Ordinance Enforcement Officer	1

**Part Time – Hourly**

	<b><u>Minimum</u></b>	<b><u>Maximum</u></b>
Sewer Inspector - Additional Hourly	\$30.00	\$48.00
Substitute Deputy Clerk (Court)	\$25.00	\$35.00
Interpreter	\$20.00	\$30.00
Tax Assessor Assistant	\$15.00	\$30.00
Planning Board Assistant	\$15.00	\$30.00
Acting Recreation Director	\$20.00	\$25.00
Planning Board Secretary	\$12.00	\$25.00
Tax Clerk	\$12.00	\$18.00
Construction Office Assistant	\$12.00	\$18.00
Head School Crossing Guard	\$12.00	\$18.00
Police Administrative Assistant	\$12.00	\$18.00

School Crossing Guard	\$10.00	\$17.00
Clerk's Administrative Assistant	\$9.00	\$16.00
Senior Citizen Van Driver	\$10.00	\$16.00
Violations Clerk (Court)	\$10.00	\$15.00
Laborer	\$10.00	\$14.00
Janitor	\$9.00	\$14.00
Recreation Department part-time	\$8.00	\$15.00

**Part-Time - Monthly/Meeting**

Planning Board Recording Secretary	\$275/meeting	\$300/meeting
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**Elected Officials**

Mayor	\$5,000 annually
Council President	\$2,800 annually
Council Member	\$2,500 annually

At this point, Mayor Seader opened the meeting for public comment on the ordinance. No one from the public spoke. This portion was closed.

Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne, Narvesen and Petracca

On the motion of Mrs. Burke and seconded by Mrs. Narvesen it was moved to accept the following:

**06-03-2019: #1**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

The bills, as per the attached list, are hereby authorized for payment.

Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne, Narvesen and Petracca

On the motion of Mrs. Burke and seconded by Mr. Bayer it was moved to accept the following:

**06-03-2019: #2**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

Be it resolved by the governing body of the Borough of Dunellen, New Jersey, that:

The Treasurer is hereby authorized to issue the following checks to Windels Marx Lane & Mittendorf, LLP., from the Interim Cost Agreement Escrow Account for work done toward redevelopment, subject to the refunding of the Account:

<u>Windels Marx File Number</u>	<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Amount</u>
0305764-0000001	17519	\$1,530.00
	Total	<hr/> \$1,530.00

Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne, Narvesen and Petracca

On the motion of Mrs. Narvesen and seconded by Mr. Bayer it was moved to accept the following:

**06-03-2019: #3**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

The following persons are hired for summer employment in the Recreation Department’s Good Times Summer Camp. Employment will be between June 24, 2019, and August 9, 2019. These wages will be taken from the Summer Camp Line 9-01-28-370-000-136.

All wages are per hour, except where noted, and there are no benefits.

Kelly Seader	Camp Director	\$18.00 per hour
Skylar Staats	Counselor	\$12.00 per hour
Elizabeth Renavitz	Counselor	\$10.00 per hour
Jeff Manna	Counselor	\$10.00 per hour

Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne, Narvesen and Petracca

On the motion of Mr. Petracca and seconded by Mr. Bayer it was moved to accept the following:

**06-03-2019: #4**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

The Dunellen Mayor and Municipal Clerk are authorized to negotiate and enter into an Interlocal Agreement with the County of Somerset for the provision of dispatch and other services, said agreement subject to review and approval by the Dunellen Municipal Attorney. The term of this Agreement is July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2024.

Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne, Narvesen and Petracca

On the motion of Mr. Bayer and seconded by Mrs. Burke it was moved to accept the following:

**06-03-2019: #5**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

WHEREAS, Kevin Condus has successfully completed his one-year probationary period in the Dunellen Police Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Kevin Condus is appointed as a full-time member of the Dunellen Police Department as of May 21, 2019, salary as determined by the current PBA contract.

Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne, Narvesen and Petracca

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On the motion of Mr. Petracca and seconded by Mr. Bayer it was moved to accept the following:

**06-03-2019: #6**

**ESTIMATED 3<sup>RD</sup> QUARTER LEVY PAYMENT**

WHEREAS, the State of New Jersey has not adopted its budget, and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Dunellen cannot send out its 2019 tax bills until the State of New Jersey adopts the 2020 State Fiscal Budget, therefore, a tax rate cannot yet be certified for 2019, and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Dunellen has determined that there may be insufficient cash flow to support operations in the Borough of Dunellen unless third quarter revenues are received on time, and

WHEREAS, without a 2019 Certified Tax Rate, the Borough of Dunellen will be unable to issue 2019 tax bills on a timely basis, and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has reviewed and computed an estimated tax levy in accordance with N.J.S.A. 54:4-66.2 and N.J.S.A. 54:4-66.3.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN:**

1. That the Tax Collector is hereby authorized to issue estimated tax bills for the Third Quarter of 2019.
2. That the entire estimated tax levy, including Municipal, Library, School, County and County Open Space, for 2019, is hereby set at \$20,384,744.

3. That in accordance with the law, the third installment of 2019 taxes shall not be subject to interest until the later of August 12, 2019, or the twenty-fifth calendar day after the date the estimated bills were mailed. The estimated tax bills shall contain a notice specifying the date on which interest may begin to accrue.

Mayor Seader asked if this resolution included tax rates? Tax Assessor Gianchiglia, a member of the audience, responded that the tax rates have not yet been set. The current tax bills are noted "estimated" and subsequent bills will be adjusted to incorporate the rates.

Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne, Narvesen and Petracca

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On the motion of Mr. Bayer and seconded by Mrs. Burke it was moved to accept the following:

**06-03-2019: #7**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

Whereas, a request was made by Kai Silva to hold a block party on Saturday, June 22, 2019, on Third Street, on the 100 block, from 3:00 pm to 10:00 pm.

Now therefore be it resolved that permission is hereby granted to Kai Silva to hold a block party, and

Be it further resolved that by virtue of this resolution, the Police Department will be notified of the street closing and the Public Works Department will supply the necessary road barricades.

Kai Silva  
118 Third Street

Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne, Narvesen and Petracca

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On the motion of Mrs. Burke and seconded by Dr. Dunne it was moved to accept the following:

**06-03-2019: #8**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

Be it resolved by the governing body of the Borough of Dunellen, New Jersey, that:

The Treasurer is hereby authorized to issue the following checks to CME Associates, from the Interim Cost Agreement Escrow Account for work done toward redevelopment, subject to the refunding of the Account:

<u>CME Associates</u>	Purpose	<u>Amount</u>
0240688	COAH	\$1,850.00
0238394	Redevelopment	\$ 864.50
0234834	Redevelopment	\$4,080.50
0236242	Redevelopment	\$ 84.50
	Total	<hr/> \$6,879.50

Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne, Narvesen and Petracca

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On the motion of Mr. Petracca and seconded by Dr. Dunne it was moved to accept the following:

<b>06-03-2019: #9</b>			
<b>CY 2019 Annual Salaries, including Longevity Longevity percent in ( )</b>			
<b>Department</b>	<b>Name</b>		
<b>Full-time and Part-time Salary</b>			<b>2019</b>
Administration	Robins, William (4)		\$ 107,003.00
	Lauren Staats		\$ 36,208.00
Council	Seader, Robert		\$ 5,000.00
	Cilento, Jason		\$ 2,800.00
	Dunne, Jessica		\$ 2,500.00
	Bayer, Kenneth		\$ 2,500.00
	Burke, April		\$ 2,500.00
	Narvesen, Stacy		\$ 2,500.00
	Petracca, Joseph		\$ 2,500.00
Chief of Police	Smith, Daniel		\$ 145,875.00
Tax Collection	Dougherty, Patricia		\$ 20,000.00
Finance	Olsen, Scott		\$ 30,739.00
	Weaver, Debra (4)		\$ 56,263.00
Tax Assessor	Gianchiglia, Richard		\$ 25,400.00
Building Department	Luthman, Scott		\$ 37,809.00
	Van DeMark, Dennis		\$ 9,470.00
	Rossi, Michael		\$ 9,470.00
	Deene, George		\$ 15,912.00
Recreation	Miller, Alex		\$ 47,223.00
Attorney	Bruder, John		\$ 54,116.00
Court	Crisafulli, Terry (2)		\$ 61,846.00
	Howes, Katherine		\$ 27,220.00
	Colletti, Lauren		\$ 38,429.00
Prosecutor	Lanza, Thomas		\$ 9,036.00
	Winder, Miles		\$ 8,859.00
Office of Emerg. Man.	Whitaker, Jamal		\$ 4,080.00
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<b>Part-time Hourly</b>	<b>Rates are per hour, unless listed</b>		
Planning Board	open	Per meeting	\$ 275.00
Tax Office Clerk	Woerner, Gail		\$ 15.00
Head Crossing Guard	Kriney, Barbara		\$ 16.56
Crossing Guards	Fuenzalida, Elisea		\$ 15.24
	Poltorak, Robert		\$ 13.67
	DeVico, Frank		\$ 13.18
	Smith, Victoria		\$ 13.67
	Soriano, Joseph		\$ 13.67
	Testori, Lawrence		\$ 15.24
	Fleming, Linda		\$ 12.20
	Miller, Karen		\$ 12.69
	Meyer, Kathleen		\$ 11.96
	Egbert, Martha		\$ 11.96
	New Hires		\$ 11.50
Substitute Crossing Guards	Cantanzaro, Mary Ann		\$ 15.24
	Haftmann, Christina		\$ 10.20
Interpreters	Pagan, Lylia		\$ 26.03
Police Admin. Assist.	Ritchey, Deborah		\$ 16.65
Building Maintenance	Santamaria, Silvia		\$ 12.00
Bus Driver	Picone, Ronald		\$ 14.27
Public Defender	Spengler, Robert	per session	\$ 250.00
	Frascella, Daniel	per session	\$ 250.00
Const. Off. Assist.	Richard Gianchiglia		\$ 13.00
Pl. Bd. Secretary	Lauren Staats		\$ 25.00



Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne, Narvesen and Petracca

**Consent Agenda:**

The following resolutions were presented in Consent Agenda format: a single motion and second with a single roll call vote for all:

On the motion of Mr. Petracca and seconded by Mrs. Narvesen it was moved to accept the following:

**06-03-2019: #10**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

The Treasurer is hereby authorized to issue the following proceeds for tax sale redemption(s):

Payable to Trade Money LLC  
29 Palisades Rd.  
Old Bridge NJ 08857

TSC	Block	Lot	Owner/Address	Principal	Interest	Premium	Total
18-3	25	20	Pagoada, Kira 338 First St	868.61	20.72	1,100.00	1,989.33
<b>TOTAL REFUNDED</b>							<b>\$1,989.33</b>

**06-03-2019: #11**

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector has received 1<sup>st</sup> quarter tax payments from lenders on installments prepaid, thereby causing an overpayment, and

WHEREAS, the Lenders have given permission to refund the monies.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN:

That the proper Municipal officers be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue a check(s) as follows:

Block	Lot	Name	Amount
20	19	Deutsche Bank Nat'l Trust	426 Front St 1,759.16
60	37	Bubenick, Richard Anthony	375 Fairview Ave <u>2,353.42</u>

		<b>Total to be refunded</b>	\$4,112.58
		Check payable and Mail to:  Corelogic Real Estate Tax Serv. Attn: Refund Department PO Box 961250 Fort Worth TX 76161-9887	

**06-03-19: #12**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NJ, THAT:**

WHEREAS, it has been determined by information obtained from the assessor’s office that the following sewer unit is to be cancelled.

NOW, THEREFORE: BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN;

That the proper Municipal officers be and they are hereby authorized and directed to cancel 2019 sewer units.

<b>Block</b>	<b>Lot</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Amount</b>
34	4	519 Front St.	\$350.00
		<b>No Refund Required</b>	

**06-03-2019: #13**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

WHEREAS, NJSA 40A:4-87 provides that the Director of the Division of Local Government Services may approve the insertion of any special item of revenue in the budget of any county or

municipality when such item shall have been made available by law and the amount thereof was not determined at the time of the adoption of the budget, and

WHEREAS, said Director may also approve the insertion of an item of appropriation for an equal amount, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Municipal Council of the Borough of Dunellen in the County of Middlesex, New Jersey, hereby requests the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to approve the insertion of an item of revenue in the budget of Calendar Year 2019 in the sum of \$5,500.00, which is now available from the Division of Highway Traffic Safety Distracted Driving Grant.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the like sum of \$5,500.00 is hereby appropriated under the caption Division of Highway Traffic Safety Distracted Driving Grant.

**06-03-2019: #14**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

WHEREAS, NJSA 40A:4-87 provides that the Director of the Division of Local Government Services may approve the insertion of any special item of revenue in the budget of any county or municipality when such item shall have been made available by law and the amount thereof was not determined at the time of the adoption of the budget, and

WHEREAS, said Director may also approve the insertion of an item of appropriation for an equal amount, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Municipal Council of the Borough of Dunellen in the County of Middlesex, New Jersey, hereby requests the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to approve the insertion of an item of revenue in the budget of Calendar Year 2019 in the sum of \$2,942.50, which is now available from the Division of Highway Traffic Safety Aggressive Driving Grant.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the like sum of \$2,942.50 is hereby appropriated under the caption Division of Highway Traffic Safety Aggressive Driving Grant.

**06-03-2019: #15**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

WHEREAS, NJSA 40A:4-87 provides that the Director of the Division of Local Government Services may approve the insertion of any special item of revenue in the budget of any county or municipality when such item shall have been made available by law and the amount thereof was not determined at the time of the adoption of the budget, and

WHEREAS, said Director may also approve the insertion of an item of appropriation for an equal amount, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Municipal Council of the Borough of Dunellen in the County of Middlesex, New Jersey, hereby requests the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to approve the insertion of an item of revenue in the budget of Calendar Year 2019 in the sum of \$5,500.00, which is now available from the Division of Highway Traffic Safety Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over Grant.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the like sum of \$5,500.00 is hereby appropriated under the caption Division of Highway Traffic Safety Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over Grant.

**06-03-2019: #16**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

WHEREAS, NJSA 40A:4-87 provides that the Director of the Division of Local Government Services may approve the insertion of any special item of revenue in the budget of any county or municipality when such item shall have been made available by law and the amount thereof was not determined at the time of the adoption of the budget, and

WHEREAS, said Director may also approve the insertion of an item of appropriation for an equal amount, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Municipal Council of the Borough of Dunellen in the County of Middlesex, New Jersey, hereby requests the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to approve the insertion of an item of revenue in the budget of Calendar Year 2019 in the sum of \$4,372.50, which is now available from the Division of Highway Traffic Safety Pedestrian Safety Grant.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the like sum of \$4,372.50 is hereby appropriated under the caption Division of Highway Traffic Safety Pedestrian Safety Grant.

**06-03-2019: #17**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

WHEREAS, NJSA 40A:4-87 provides that the Director of the Division of Local Government Services may approve the insertion of any special item of revenue in the budget of any county or municipality when such item shall have been made available by law and the amount thereof was not determined at the time of the adoption of the budget, and

WHEREAS, said Director may also approve the insertion of an item of appropriation for an equal amount, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Municipal Council of the Borough of Dunellen in the County of Middlesex, New Jersey, hereby requests the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to approve the insertion of an item of revenue in the budget of Calendar Year 2019 in the sum of \$12,502.59, which is now available from the Solid Waste Administration FY 2019 Clean Communities Grant.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the like sum of \$12,502.59 is hereby appropriated under the caption 2019 Clean Communities Grant.

Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne, Narvesen and Petracca

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Reports:

Mr. Petracca: no report.

Mrs. Burke: 1) Dunellen Public Library officially has a manager: Liz Lopez; 2) Library is starting its Summer reading Program and you can sign-up now; 3) the Dunellen Street Fair, sponsored by the Dunellen Fire Company, will be Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>.

Mr. Bayer: 1) the people who want to feed members of the public at the Senior Center have obtained their own insurance. They will be making formal application for the building shortly. Approval is granted by Recreation Director Miller on behalf of the Recreation Commission. The organization will probably limit the program to 20 people and there will be a registration system; 2) Alex is working on an agreement with the School District to obtain a new sand pro, ours having recently expired.

Dr. Dunne: 1) We had a very successful "Set the Table" and she thanked Stacy for hosting. This is for Middlesex County 2040 and there will be additional opportunities for community engagement and she will make sure to publicize them; 2) Flag Rugby is open for registration to kids ages 5 – 14; 3) in reference to the Madison Avenue block party recently approved by Council, how do residents access their own properties? Mr. Robins responded that the barriers are moveable and can be temporarily put to the side to allow entrance or egress. He has also spoken directly to the resident who is separately having an event and explained to her the system of moving the saw horses; 4) asked Mr. Bruder about the OPRA obligations of archiving a social media site. He will speak to the Social Media Committee about this; 5) asked about the concern of Columbia Street residents who have commuter parkers on their street all day. Mr. Bruder responded that we could amend the ordinance to expand its scope, specifically to that street or town-wide. Mayor Seader asked if the Council could amend the ordinance itself or does it need Parking Authority approval or input? Mr. Bruder responded that the Council could amend by itself, though information from the Parking Authority would be valuable; 6) the Green Brook Flood Control Commission will be coming to the Council in August; 7) she will be out-of-town for the next meeting on a business trip.

Mr. Cilento (relayed by Mr. Robins): 1) the Dunellen Arts and Culture Commission is finalizing the July Music in the Park program; 2) there will be free Yoga in the Park (Washington Memorial Park) on June 22, 9:30 am to 12:30 pm; 3) Coffee with a Cop will be on Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, 10 am to 12 pm, Dunellen Hotel; 4) the Transit Hub Study will be presented to the Council on June 17<sup>th</sup>; 5) he plans to work with Mr. Robins on grant opportunities; 6) copy for the *Dunellen Report* is due on June 14<sup>th</sup>; 7) the Municipal Alliance is working on a draft ordinance proposing the prevention of selling electronic smoking devices to those under 21 years of age.

Mrs. Narvesen: no report.

Mayor Seader: 1) he congratulated the Girls' Softball Team who came very close to winning the championship; 2) thanked everyone for the Memorial Day Parade. It was well attended, and many people helped to make it a success; 3) thanked Mrs. Narvesen and Mr. Cilento for assisting with the ribbon cutting at the PAR Building. It was a nice event. They also were at the Iron Gym grand opening; 4) asked Mr. Bruder about the building next door which apparently was sold without any of the requisite inspections. What can be done? Mr. Bruder responded that Construction Department would deal with that but if there are any health and safety issues then the Health Department could be notified; 5) asked Chief Smith about the applications for a new officer. Chief Smith responded that he would shortly be reaching out to the interested applicants and invite them in for a meeting. Mayor Seader also noted that the "lights around town" from the police cars seemed to be slowing down speeders. He also thanked the Police for their participation during the Memorial Day Parade.

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## **PUBLIC PORTION**

Terry Pileggi, 700 North Washington Avenue, asked a question regarding Resolution 06-03-2019: #16, what does that entail? Chief Smith responded: these grants provide extra money targeted for specific enforcements (though an officer can cite whatever he sees during that patrol). This one is for distracted driving. Mrs. Pileggi thanked the Chief for his many years of service to the community. She is particularly concerned with speeding. The trucks and cars on North Washington Avenue often exceed the speed limit, "they just fly." Are there any thoughts on placing "solar signs"? Mayor Seader responded that he and the Chief had recently discussed that very topic and the Chief is obtaining prices on such units. Furthermore, the police are beefing up the squad and putting younger officers on the street doing radar.

Mayor Seader: asked if anyone had information on a School District referendum for \$23,000,000? No one did. Apparently, there was an email distributed within the District but not generally shared. He believed such information should be shared with the municipality's governing body.

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On the motion of Mr. Petracca and seconded by Mrs. Burke it was moved to accept the following:

### **06-03-2019: #18**

#### **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

The Dunellen Borough Council Meeting of June 3, 2019 is adjourned.

Yes: Bayer, Burke, Dunne, Narvesen and Petracca

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