

**REGULAR MEETING MINUTES  
SEPTEMBER 12, 2022  
MAYOR AND BOROUGH COUNCIL  
MEETING NO. 14**

A meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of South River, in the County of Middlesex and the State of New Jersey was held on September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 and was called to order by Council President Ciulla at 7:00 PM with the following Council Members in Attendance:

| Mayor and Council Roll Call          | Present | Absent | Excused Tardy |
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| <i>Mayor John M. Krenzel</i>         |         |        | X             |
| <i>Council President Tony Ciulla</i> | X       |        |               |
| <i>Councilwoman Donna Balazs</i>     | X       |        |               |
| <i>Councilman Peter Guindi</i>       | X       |        |               |
| <i>Councilman James Gurchensky</i>   | X       |        |               |
| <i>Councilwoman Julie Meira</i>      | X       |        |               |
| <i>Councilman Jason Oliveira</i>     |         | X      |               |

Also attending this meeting were Business Administrator Arthur Londensky, Police Chief Mark Tinitigan, DPW Director Adriano Soares, Fire Chief William Smith, Borough Attorney Andrea Wyatt and Borough Engineer Bruce Koch.

***IN COMPLIANCE WITH CHAPTER 231 OF PUBLIC LAW OF 1975, NOTICE OF THIS MEETING TO BE HELD AT THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE BUILDING, 61 MAIN STREET, SOUTH RIVER OR REMOTELY VIA ZOOM HAS BEEN PUBLISHED IN THE HOME NEWS TRIBUNE ON JANUARY 6, 2022, POSTED ON THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING BULLETIN BOARD, THE BOROUGH WEBSITE, AND THE FRONT DOOR OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE BUILDING AT 61 MAIN STREET, SOUTH RIVER.***

**SALUTE TO THE FLAG AND MOMENT OF SILENCE**

Mayor Krenzel arrived at 7:02 and lead the salute to the Flag and a moment of silence

**PROCLAMATION**

- South River National Honor Society presented by Mayor Krenzel

***CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION***

Presented to: South River National Honor Society  
For the Brian Sicknick memorial garden project

- Jazzercise of East Brunswick presented by Mayor Krenzel

***CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION***

Presented to: Jazzercise East Brunswick  
For the donation of benches in memory of Officer Brian Sicknick

**AGENDA SESSION**

None

**ORDINANCES – SECOND READING & PUBLIC HEARING**

**ORDINANCE 2022-31**

September 12, 2022 Council Regular Meeting Minutes – ADOPTED 10/3/22

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER,  
CHAPTER 193 ENTITLED "VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC" BY AMENDING SECTION 193-  
31.1, SCHEDULE IIA "HANDICAPPED PARKING" THEREOF**

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of South River, that Chapter 193 of the Code of the Borough of South River entitled "Vehicles and Traffic" be amended by amending Section 193-31.1, Schedule IIA as follows:

**SECTION 1.      Schedule IIA. HANDICAPPED PARKING**

| <b>Street</b> | <b>Side</b> | <b>Location</b> |
|---------------|-------------|-----------------|
|---------------|-------------|-----------------|

**ADD:**

|               |      |                                                          |
|---------------|------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| Sontag Street | East | 66 feet east of Wilson Avenue, extending 22 feet thereof |
|---------------|------|----------------------------------------------------------|

**SECTION 2.** If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause of provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to the section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, or provision so adjudged and the remainder of the Ordinance shall be deemed valid and effective.

**SECTION 3.** All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent with or in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance shall take effect after final passage, adoption, and publication according to law.

Council President Ciulla motioned to waive the full reading; seconded by Councilwoman Balazs. All in Favor. The Clerk read Ordinance 2022-31 by title only. Mayor Krenzel opened the floor for public hearing of Ordinance 2022-31 only.

Being no public came forth, Councilman Guindi motioned to close public hearing of said Ordinance; seconded by Councilwoman Balazs. All in Favor.

Councilwoman Meira questions if she can vote on Ordinance 2022-31 being that she was not able to vote on first reading. Mayor Krenzel says yes being that it is a separate vote.

**Adopted 9-12-22**

| <b>COUNCIL</b>                  | <b>MOTION</b> | <b>2ND</b> | <b>AYES</b> | <b>NAYS</b> | <b>ABSTAIN</b> | <b>ABSENT</b> |
|---------------------------------|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|---------------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |               |            | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X             |            | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |               | X          | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |               |            | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |               |            |             |             |                | X             |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |               |            | X           |             |                |               |

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**ALYSSA GUGLIETTI, RMC  
MUNICIPAL CLERK**

## **ORDINANCES – FIRST READING**

The Borough Clerk read Ordinance 2022-32 by title only.

### **ORDINANCE 2022-32**

#### **AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER, CHAPTER 193 ENTITLED “VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC” BY AMENDING SECTION 193- 31.1, SCHEDULE IIA “HANDICAPPED PARKING” THEREOF**

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#### **SECTION 1. Schedule IIA. HANDICAPPED PARKING**

| <b>Street</b>  | <b>Side</b> | <b>Location</b>                                             |
|----------------|-------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>ADD:</b>    |             |                                                             |
| Willett Avenue | East        | 194 Feet South of Charles Street, extending 22 feet thereof |

**SECTION 2.** If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause of provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to the section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, or provision so adjudged and the remainder of the Ordinance shall be deemed valid and effective.

**SECTION 3.** All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent with or in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance shall take effect after final passage, adoption, and publication according to law.

#### **NOTICE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the foregoing ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading at a regular meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of South River, in the County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey, held on September 12, 2022, and will be considered for second reading and final passage at the regular meeting of said Governing Body to be held on the 3rd day of October 2022, at 7:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as this matter can be reached, at the Council Chamber of the Criminal Justice Building located at 61 Main Street, South River, New Jersey, and/or virtually via Zoom meeting code 826 6082 9597: password: 000000 at which time all persons interested shall be given an opportunity to be heard concerning this ordinance.

#### **Introduced 9-12-22**

| <b>COUNCIL</b>                  | <b>MOTION</b> | <b>2ND</b> | <b>AYES</b> | <b>NAYS</b> | <b>ABSTAIN</b> | <b>ABSENT</b> |
|---------------------------------|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|---------------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |               |            | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        |               |            | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |               | X          | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |               |            | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |               |            |             |             |                | X             |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> | X             |            | X           |             |                |               |

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ALYSSA GUGLIETTI, RMC  
BOROUGH CLERK

**ORDINANCE NO. 2022-33**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
AMENDING THE BOROUGH CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER, SO AS TO AMEND CHAPTER 193 ENTITLED  
“VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC”**

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of South River, County of Middlesex, and State of New Jersey, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** Chapter 193 of the Borough Code of the Borough of South River, entitled "Vehicles and Traffic," is hereby amended and supplemented so as to amend § 193-6 entitled, "No Parking Any Time," so as to add the following locations:

| <b>Name of Streets</b> | <b>Side</b>        | <b>Location</b>                                                                                    |
|------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| William Street         | Both East and West | From a point 741 south of its intersection of Brick Plant Road                                     |
| Brick Plant Road       | East and West      | Beginning from the intersection of William Street extending to the intersection of North End Drive |
| Johnson Place          | West               | From a point of 92 feet East of its intersection of David Street                                   |

**SECTION 2.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 3.** This ordinance shall take effect after final passage, adoption, and publication according to law.

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|---------------------------------|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|---------------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |               | X          | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        |               |            | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |               |            | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |               |            | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |               |            |             |             |                | X             |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> | X             |            | X           |             |                |               |

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ALYSSA GUGLIETTI, RMC  
BOROUGH CLERK

**DEPARTMENTAL/PROFESSIONAL REPORTS**

**Borough Engineer Bruce Koch**

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- **NJDOT 2020 and 2021 Local Aid Projects and the Curb and Sidewalks Program**
  - The Borough received a \$580,000.00 grant from the NJDOT for the 2020 Roadway Improvements, and a \$475,575.00 grant from the NJDOT for the 2021 Roadway Improvements
    - **NJDOT 2020 Roadways**
      - First Street (New Street to Leonardine Avenue)
      - Claremont Avenue (James Street to David Street)
      - Obert Street (Main Street to Jackson Avenue)
      - Gordon Street (Main Street to Washington Street)
      - Clayton Court;
      - Wilcox Street Drainage Repairs (Darrow Street to Edgewood Street)
    - We are preparing a Punch-list for the project.
    - **NJDOT 2021 Roadways**
      - Albourne Street (Cleveland Ave. to Wilbur St);
      - Ferris Street (Cleveland Avenue to Darrow Street)
    - We are preparing a Punch-list for the project.
- **NJDOT 2022 Local Aid Program**
  - The borough received a \$457,410.00 grant for Appleby Avenue, Morningside Avenue, and 5<sup>th</sup> Street. Bids were received on August 31<sup>st</sup>. We are issuing our letter concerning the bids.
- **NJDOT FY 2023 Local Aid Program**
  - We applied for Leonardine Ave. from the OBT to Grand Ave., Prentice Ave. from Willett Ave. to Sheldon Ave. & Beryl St. from Cleveland Ave. to Wilcox Ave.
- **Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program**
  - The NJDOT is now accepting applications for Alternatives Set-Aside Program. If the Borough is interested in applying for the grant, we must prepare a plan and cost estimate and schedule a pre-application meeting.

\*The Borough has not submitted applications for this. The date has passed, and this item will be taken off the report

- **2020 Electrical Substation Maintenance**
  - We are preparing a proposal for the SCADA system and a Circuit Balancing Survey.
- **Well No. 2 Replacement**
  - The NJDEP issued the Water Allocation Permit and the Permit to Operate. We are working with the Borough the contractor and the Licensed Operator to put the well in operation. We submitted a proposal for the Water Treatment Plant Upgrades, the Sodium Hypochlorite Storage Improvements, and the Lead/Galvanized Water Services Investigation.

Councilwoman Meira states the resident on the corner of Ferris and Darrow, where the handicapped ramp issue is, was awaiting grass and would like an update on that. Mr. Koch states it is on the list. The recent weather was not conducive for that kind of work. Councilman Gurchensky asks if that is all inclusive in the contract and Mr. Koch says yes. Councilwoman Meira wants to know if the proposal for the Water Treatment Plant is additional. Mr. Koch states two of the items were required by the DEP as part of the approval. The other item was done by a survey and 24 residents that thought they had lead services. This would give the water department access to evaluate their services and to put something into a contract to go out to bid. One of the chlorine tanks is out of service and the second tank is starting to show some wear.

#### **CFO Joe Zanga**

- There is one resolution on the agenda to cancel prior year outstanding checks.

- There is a resolution to purchase air packs for the fire department under state contract. This was provided in a bond ordinance.

Councilwoman Meira would like to know if we are paying for the meter replacement project. Mr. Zanga states it is for bid specs and plans for the whole town. The Borough will be going out to bid next month for the smart meters and how many meters the town will need. Councilwoman Meira states that the company that does the billing for electric and water has combined the billing and the residents are happy that they don't have to have two separate accounts.

#### **Fire Chief William Smith**

- The ladder is currently out of service and is going out for repairs. It will take an estimated two weeks to fix. Sayreville has been notified and will respond with their ladder.

Mayor Krenzel states the Fire Department made a very nice appearance at the 9/11 services.

#### **Borough Clerk Guglietti**

- There are two resolutions on the agenda for the approval of Special Events Permits. All the paperwork is in order, and they are awaiting approval from the council.

Mayor Krenzel hopes the applicants will start submitting their applications in a timely manner.

#### **Police Chief Mark Tinitigan**

- There is a resolution for hiring three full time crossing guards.
- Would like to push for possibly hiring part time crossing guards. It would make it easier for when full time crossing guards call out or request vacation.

Councilwoman Meira speaks on the first reading of 2022-33 and discusses Johnson Place. The Chief states it is something that was done last year at the request of the schools. Councilwoman Meira states a business owner spoke with her about requesting handicap parking in front of their business. The Chief states they would need to go before the Zoning Board. Councilwoman Meira states the business is on a country road. Council President Ciulla states the owner would have to go to the county and request the handicap parking. Mayor Krenzel states this is something that has never been done before and discussions ensue regarding this business owner going to the county for this type of request. The borough deals with the residents only.

#### **DPW Director Adriano Soares**

- Starting on Tuesday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, DPW will be handing out 20 leaf bags per household. The bags can be picked up Monday through Friday 8 am to 12 pm at the DPW office.

Councilwoman Balazs asks if there is a day during the weekend that bags can be picked up for the residents that work during the week. Mr. Soares states that will be announced.

Councilwoman Meira speaks on the new hire for DPW and would like to know if that fills up every spot on DPW and Mr. Soares says yes.

#### **Borough Attorney Andrea Wyatt**

- No report.

#### **Borough Administrator Londensky**

- Further explains resolutions 2022-239. It is a letter of support to the Federal Government for funding monies.

Councilwoman Meira states she was going to request to have this resolution read separately. Councilwoman Meira states she went to one of the USDOT Safe Streets and Roads webinar and explains over 60,000 people die every year because they are hit by a vehicle and crossing the streets are difficult. It was promised that they will also be sending their monies to more rural areas as well as the big cities. Mr. Londensky states this resolution is in support of the grant application and everything depends on how much of a grant they receive. It is a goal that by the year 2040 there will be no fatalities. South River is on schedule to install cameras that will be used to check on certain areas.

### **COUNCIL LIAISON REPORTS**

#### **Councilwoman Meira**

- The Library Board did not have a meeting for the month of August. There will be one for the month of September.
- Thank you for putting resolution 2022-234 on the agenda.

#### **Councilman Gurchensky**

- The OOA is having a high dose seasonal flu vaccine clinic which will be on September 27th by appointment between 12 pm and 2 pm. Call 732-257-2340 between the hours of 9:30 am to 3:30 pm to inquire.
- The OOA is scheduling an indoor flea market on September 30th from 9 am to 1 pm. They are currently accepting donations. They will no longer be accepting used sheets, electronics, linens, stuffed animals, and clothing. They will be accepting new or gently used kitchenware, drink ware, home decor, clothing, small furniture, appliances, textiles, tools, giftware, office supplies, costume jewelry, ceramics, records, toys, video games, and holiday decorations.
- The OOA is having their Arm Chair Travel event. You would have to call and pre pay to register. The event is this Friday, September 16th.
- Beating the Blues will be Wednesday, September 28th.

#### **Council President Ciulla**

- The next EDC meeting will be on September 21st. Things are moving forward with the Downtown Alliance. Paperwork is being sent in and the officers are established. One member is fairly familiar with grants and will be working on obtaining grants for South River for environmental projects and for Main Street.

#### **Councilwoman Balazs**

- Committees will be meeting later this month.
- The yard sale is looking for portable clothing racks and anyone looking to donate can get in touch with the OOA.
- This Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, Drew Pearson will be honored with Drew Pearson Hall of Fame Way on Montgomery Street. The ceremony will begin at 11 am in front of the BOE building.
- Denny's Stadium will host Bound Brook at 1 pm.

#### **Councilman Guindi**

- The next Planning Board meeting will be on September 20th.
- The next Zoning Board meeting will be on September 27th.
- There are quite a few interesting things coming into South River. If anyone is interested, come to the planning and zoning meetings.

#### **Mayor Krenzel**

- Comments will be saved for later.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Mayor Krenzel opened the floor for Public Comment.

-Richard Byrne, 11 Bissett Place – Mr. Burn reads from a letter he drafted as the Environment Commission Chair. It is urged that the South River council pass a resolution opposing the construction of a new power plant in Woodbridge Township.

Being that no one else came forward for public comment, Mayor Krenzel requested motion to close. Councilman Guindi motioned to close; seconded by Council President Ciulla. All in Favor.

#### **MAYORAL APPOINTMENTS**

- None

#### **CONSENT RESOLUTIONS 2022-227 TO 2022-247**

*"Whereas Resolution 2022-01 authorizes the Borough Council to utilize a Consent Agenda to adopt various resolutions of a routine and noncontroversial nature at one time. Now Therefore, Be It and It is Hereby Resolved that the below listed resolutions are hereby adopted by the Borough Council in whole as if the same were individually acted upon".*

The Borough Clerk read the resolution titles on the consent agenda.

#### **RESOLUTION 2022-227**

#### **RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PORTUGUESE CLUB A SPECIAL EVENTS PERMIT FOR A HONDURAN FLAG RAISING CELEBRATION TO BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 10, 2022**

**WHEREAS**, Portuguese Club, located at 100 John Street, South River New Jersey, has applied for a Special Events Permit for a Honduran Flag Raising celebration to be held at 100 John Street, South River on Saturday, September 10, 2022 from 5:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of South River that the application of the Portuguese Club for a Honduran Flag Raising celebration to be held at 100 John Street, South River on Saturday, September 10, 2022 from 5:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. is hereby approved contingent upon the following:

1. Alcoholic beverages can only be served from 12:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. during the Annual Picnic & Religious Ceremony
2. There must be at least five (5) identifiable non-drinking members either by tag, badge, shirt, etc. assigned by the organization to provide security.
3. A one-day permit for an Annual Picnic, if necessary, will be obtained by ABC.
4. Proof of Liability Insurance provided to the Borough of South River.
5. Said event must follow all the rules, regulations of State, County, and Local Government.
6. Subject to approval by the South River Police Department and compliance with any condition included in their approval.
7. No parking in the area of the entrance and driveway of the picnic area from front to back.
8. Entrance gate to the picnic area is to remain unlocked from the start time to the finish time.
9. All agency approvals such as Code Compliance, Police, County Board of Health and Fire Marshal. Fire Marshal to be contacted by the applicant.

| COUNCIL                      | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>   |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>     | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i> |        |     | X    |      |         |        |

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|---------------------------------|--|--|----------|--|--|----------|
| <b>Councilwoman Meira</b>       |  |  | <b>X</b> |  |  |          |
| <b>Councilman Oliveira</b>      |  |  |          |  |  | <b>X</b> |
| <b>Council President Ciulla</b> |  |  | <b>X</b> |  |  |          |

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of authorization to approve the foregoing resolution adopted by the Mayor and Borough Council of South River on September 12, 2022

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Alyssa Guglietti, RMC  
Municipal Clerk  
Borough of South River

**RESOLUTION 2022-228**  
**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CANCELLATION OF OUTDATED/STALE ITEMS**

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of South River maintains bank accounts in all funds of the Borough for checking accounts, statement savings, passbook savings, money market funds and cash management funds; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer of the Borough reconciles these accounts on a monthly basis to the books and records of the Borough; and

**WHEREAS**, there exists reconciling items that relate to the period ending December 31, 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, such items are deemed outdated and stale; and

**WHEREAS**, generally accepted accounting principles and generally accepted internal control standards require periodic review; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer of the Borough has performed a review and determined that such action of cancellation be taken as follows:

**IMPRESS ACCOUNT**

| <u>Check No.</u> | <u>Amount</u> | <u>Check No.</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
|------------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|
| 63243            | \$58,020.20   | 64497            | \$80.00       |
| 63274            | \$90.73       | 64531            | \$200.21      |
| 63342            | \$149.66      | 64683            | \$268.52      |
| 63365            | \$125.00      | 64725            | \$40.68       |
| 63416            | \$134.57      | 64837            | \$62.20       |
| 63575            | \$87.98       | 64859            | \$2.03        |
| 63601            | \$88.16       | 64867            | \$12.57       |
| 63672            | \$77.59       | 64882            | \$30.36       |
| 63852            | \$48.30       | 64938            | \$23.45       |
| 63874            | \$126.64      |                  |               |
|                  |               | 65088            | \$260.00      |
| 63888            | \$355.36      | 65157            | \$143.14      |
| 63889            | \$124.68      | 65244            | \$1,240.63    |
| 63950            | \$50.00       | 65260            | \$30.00       |

|       |          |       |          |
|-------|----------|-------|----------|
| 63982 | \$50.00  | 65274 | \$158.61 |
| 63983 | \$50.00  | 65306 | \$840.00 |
| 63986 | \$16.23  | 65337 | \$200.00 |
| 63992 | \$50.00  |       |          |
| 63993 | \$50.00  |       |          |
| 63997 | \$1.04   |       |          |
| 64119 | \$5.64   |       |          |
| 64223 | \$21.28  |       |          |
| 64357 | \$596.00 |       |          |
| 64370 | \$28.00  |       |          |
| 64437 | \$244.11 |       |          |

|                     |                           |
|---------------------|---------------------------|
| <b><u>Total</u></b> | <b><u>\$64,183.57</u></b> |
|---------------------|---------------------------|

**Disbursement of Funds:**

|                     |                           |
|---------------------|---------------------------|
| Current             | \$2,099.63                |
| Water Utility       | \$295.17                  |
| Electric Utility    | \$80.92                   |
| Consumer Deposit    | \$2,597.65                |
| Trust Other         | \$1,090.00                |
| Unemployment        | \$58,020.20               |
| <b><u>Total</u></b> | <b><u>\$64,183.57</u></b> |

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** that the Chief Financial Officer be authorized to make such adjustments to the books and records.

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |     |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |     | X    |      |         |        |

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of authorization to approve the foregoing resolution adopted by the Mayor and Borough Council of South River on September 12, 2022

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Alyssa Guglietti, RMC  
Municipal Clerk  
Borough of South River

**RESOLUTION 2022-229**  
**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF AIR PAKS FOR THE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT FROM NEW JERSEY FIRE EQUIPMENT CO.**

WHEREAS, there exists a need for acquisition of air paks for the Volunteer Firemen in the Borough of South River; and

WHEREAS, there exists a state contract with a registered vendor known as New Jersey Fire Equipment Co. under contract number 17-Fleet-00819 through which contract municipalities are authorized by law to acquire same without meeting the requirements of the public bidding laws of the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, it is the governing body's desire to acquire such air paks from the said state authorized vendor for \$119,575.40; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer of the Borough has certified the availability of funds for acquisition of air packs in account C-06-22-022-103.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of South River that the appropriate officials be and they are hereby authorized to execute the appropriate documents in order to acquire the aforesaid air paks from the referenced vendor.

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |     |      |      | X       |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |     |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |     |      |      | X       |        |

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Alyssa Guglietti, RMC  
Municipal Clerk  
Borough of South River

**RESOLUTION 2022-230**  
**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPOINTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL/SHADE TREE COMMISSION FOR THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER**

I, John M. Krenzel, Mayor of the Borough of South River, do hereby appoint the following as a Junior Member of the Environmental/Shade Tree Commission for the term of September 13, 2022, through December 31, 2022.

Audrey Bruden

09/13/2022 – 12/31/2022

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| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |     |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |     | X    |      |         |        |

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#### RESOLUTION 2022-231

##### RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CME TO PROVIDE ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR WATER TREATMENT UPGRADES

**BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of South River, in the County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey that CME Associates is authorized to provide engineering services for Water Treatment Upgrades for NJDEP Compliance, Sodium Hypochlorite Storage and Lead or Galvanized Water Service as outlined in the Borough Engineer's letter dated July 26, 2022 as follows:

- Design Phase Services \$71,864.00
- Bid Phase Services 15,379.00
- Construction Administration Services 52,338.00
- Regulatory Permitting 12,492.00
- Lead or Galvanized Water Service 3,840.00

Total \$155,913.00

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Chief Financial Officer of the Borough has certified the availability of funds in accounts W-07-22-019-201 and 2-02-55-502-205.

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |     |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |     | X    |      |         |        |

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**RESOLUTION 2022-232**

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING THE REQUISITION OF FUNDS FOR PAYMENT TO THE CUSTODIAN OF THE SCHOOL MONIES**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the applicable Statutes of the State of New Jersey, the Local School District is required to requisition funds for Operating Expense and Debt Service Expense from the Borough; and

**WHEREAS**, a requisition dated July 28, 2022 has been received from the Local School District for the following amount:

|                                   |                |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| <b>CURRENT OPERATING EXPENSE:</b> | \$1,451,940.00 |
| <b>RESTORED FUNDS:</b>            | 0.00           |
| <b>DEBT SERVICE EXPENSE:</b>      | <u>0.00</u>    |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                      | \$1,451,940.00 |

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of South River that the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized and directed to draw the above stated amount from the proper accounts and pay to the Custodian of the School Monies the amount so drawn pursuant to the applicable Statutes of the State of New Jersey by September 8, 2022.

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balasz</i>      |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |     |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |     | X    |      |         |        |

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Municipal Clerk  
Borough of South River

**RESOLUTION 2022-233**

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**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING THE REQUISITION OF FUNDS FOR PAYMENT TO THE CUSTODIAN OF THE SCHOOL MONIES**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the applicable Statutes of the State of New Jersey, the Local School District is required to requisition funds for Operating Expense and Debt Service Expense from the Borough; and

**WHEREAS**, a requisition dated August 25, 2022 has been received from the Local School District for the following amount:

|                                   |                     |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>CURRENT OPERATING EXPENSE:</b> | \$1,451,940.00      |
| <b>RESTORED FUNDS:</b>            | 0.00                |
| <b>DEBT SERVICE EXPENSE:</b>      | <u>\$977,299.00</u> |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                      | \$2,429,169.00      |

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of South River that the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized and directed to draw the above stated amount from the proper accounts and pay to the Custodian of the School Monies the amount so drawn pursuant to the applicable Statutes of the State of New Jersey by October 7, 2022.

| <b>COUNCIL</b>                  | <b>MOTION</b> | <b>2ND</b> | <b>AYES</b> | <b>NAYS</b> | <b>ABSTAIN</b> | <b>ABSENT</b> |
|---------------------------------|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|---------------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balasz</i>      |               | X          | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X             |            | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |               |            | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |               |            | X           |             |                |               |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |               |            |             |             |                | X             |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |               |            | X           |             |                |               |

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Municipal Clerk  
Borough of South River

**RESOLUTION 2022-234**

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY APPROVAL OF THE LIBRARY CONSTRUCTION PROJECT AND AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER INTO THE GRANT AGREEMENT**

**WHEREAS**, the New Jersey State Legislature approved an appropriation in the amount of \$172,500.00 ("Grant Amount"), which Grant Amount is funded by tax-exempt general obligation bonds issued by the State of New Jersey (the "State"); and

**WHEREAS**, the only purpose for the Grant Amount is to finance eligible expenses of a library construction project, as defined under the New Jersey Library Construction Bond Act (the “Bond Act”) and the regulations implementing the Bond Act. (L. 2017, c. 149 and N.J.A.C. 15:24 -1.1 thru – 6.1); and

**WHEREAS**, this governing body’s only intended purpose for the Grant Amount is to provide funding for the eligible expenses of the library construction project for which the Grant Amount was approved by the State Legislature (the “Project”); and

**WHEREAS**, in order to receive the Grant Amount for the Project, this governing body is required to pass a resolution approving the Project for the South River Public Library, 55 Appleby Avenue, South River NJ 08882 (the “Library”); and

**WHEREAS**, in order to receive the Grant Amount for the Project, the governing body of the Borough of South River is further required to execute a grant agreement with the State Librarian (the “Grant Agreement”) or authorize the Board of Trustees of the Library to execute and deliver the Grant Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to receive the Grant Amount for the Project, the governing body of the Borough of South River is further required to pass a resolution to approve and authorize any bridge loan that will be used to finance the Project, where such bridge loan will be reimbursed with proceeds of the Grant Amount; and

**WHEREAS**, this governing body wishes to approve the Project and authorize the execution and delivery of the Grant Agreement.

**WHEREAS**, this governing body wishes to further approve and authorize a bridge loan to finance the Project, where such bridge loan will be reimbursed with proceeds of the Grant.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER:**

Section 1. The above recitals are incorporated into and are made a part of this Resolution.

Section 2. The governing body of the Borough of South River hereby approves the Project.

Section 3. The governing body of the Borough of South River hereby approves the Grant Agreement and authorizes the Board of Trustees of the Library to execute and deliver the Grant Agreement.

Section 4. The governing body of the Borough of South River hereby approves a bridge loan to finance the Project, where such bridge loan will be reimbursed with proceeds of the Grant Amount.

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balasz</i>      |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |     |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |     | X    |      |         |        |

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Alyssa Guglietti, RMC  
Municipal Clerk  
Borough of South River

**RESOLUTION 2022-235**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE OFFERING FOR SALE OF BOROUGH PROPERTY LOCATED AT BLOCK 152 LOT 16 TO ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A. 40A:12-13(b)(5) AND N.J.S.A. 40A:12-13.2**

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of South River has acquired title to Block 152, Lot 16 in the Borough; and

**WHEREAS**, the property is without a capital improvement and does not meet the minimum size required for development under the current zoning ordinances of the Borough of South River; and

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 40A:12-13.2 grants to adjoining property owners a right of first refusal to purchase such undersized lots; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of South River wishes to offer Block 152, Lot 16 for sale to the adjacent property owners in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:12-13.2; and

**WHEREAS**, the Tax Assessor of the Borough of South River has determined that the fair market value of Block 152, Lot 16, is \$67,700.00.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Borough Council of the Borough of South River, County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. That the governing body does hereby authorize notice to the adjoining property owners of Block 152, Lot 16, of the Borough's desire to sell said property for its fair market value of \$67,700.00.
2. In the event that only one adjoining property owner wishes to purchase the Block 152, Lot 16, for its fair market value of \$67,700.00, then and in that event, the Borough will proceed to authorize the sale of Block 152, Lot 16, to said adjoining property owner by ordinance in accordance with state law.
3. In the event that more than one adjacent property owner wishes to purchase the Block 152, Lot 16, for its fair market value of \$67,700.00, then and in that event, the Borough shall conduct a Request for Bids for said property from the adjoining property owners interested in purchasing said property and shall authorize the sale of Block 152, Lot 16, to the adjoining property owner willing to pay the highest purchase price to the Borough of South River. The Borough Administrator is authorized to conduct a Request for Bids on a date and time to be determined, which shall be duly advertised in accordance with applicable law.
4. That the adjoining property owner who purchases Block 152, Lot 16, shall be responsible for the payment of the Borough Attorney fees and publication costs.

| COUNCIL                      | MOTION | 2 <sup>ND</sup> | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|------------------------------|--------|-----------------|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>   |        | X               | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>     | X      |                 | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i> |        |                 | X    |      |         |        |

|                                 |  |  |          |  |  |          |
|---------------------------------|--|--|----------|--|--|----------|
| <b>Councilwoman Meira</b>       |  |  | <b>X</b> |  |  |          |
| <b>Councilman Oliveira</b>      |  |  |          |  |  | <b>X</b> |
| <b>Council President Ciulla</b> |  |  | <b>X</b> |  |  |          |

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Alyssa Guglietti, RMC  
Municipal Clerk  
Borough of South River

#### **RESOLUTION 2022-236**

#### **RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PORTUGUESE CLUB A SPECIAL EVENTS PERMIT FOR AN ANNUAL PICNIC AND RELIGIOUS CELEBRATION TO BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 4, 2022**

**WHEREAS**, Portuguese Club, located at 100 John Street, South River New Jersey, has applied for a Special Events Permit for an Annual Picnic & Religious Ceremony to be held at 100 John Street, South River on Sunday, September 4, 2022 from 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of South River that the application of the Portuguese Club for an Annual Picnic & Religious Ceremony to be held at 100 John Street, South River on Sunday, September 4, 2022 from 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. is hereby approved contingent upon the following:

1. Alcoholic beverages can only be served from 12:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. during the Annual Picnic & Religious Ceremony
2. There must be at least five (5) identifiable non-drinking members either by tag, badge, shirt, etc. assigned by the organization to provide security.
3. A one-day permit for an Annual Picnic, if necessary, will be obtained by ABC.
4. Proof of Liability Insurance provided to the Borough of South River.
5. Said event must follow all the rules, regulations of State, County, and Local Government.
6. Subject to approval by the South River Police Department and compliance with any condition included in their approval.
7. No parking in the area of the entrance and driveway of the picnic area from front to back.
8. Entrance gate to the picnic area is to remain unlocked from the start time to the finish time.
9. All agency approvals such as Code Compliance, Police, County Board of Health and Fire Marshal. Fire Marshal to be contacted by the applicant.

| <b>COUNCIL</b>                  | <b>MOTION</b> | <b>2ND</b> | <b>AYES</b> | <b>NAYS</b> | <b>ABSTAIN</b> | <b>ABSENT</b> |
|---------------------------------|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|---------------|
| <b>Councilwoman Balazs</b>      |               | <b>X</b>   | <b>X</b>    |             |                |               |
| <b>Councilman Guindi</b>        | <b>X</b>      |            | <b>X</b>    |             |                |               |
| <b>Councilman Gurchensky</b>    |               |            | <b>X</b>    |             |                |               |
| <b>Councilwoman Meira</b>       |               |            | <b>X</b>    |             |                |               |
| <b>Councilman Oliveira</b>      |               |            |             |             |                | <b>X</b>      |
| <b>Council President Ciulla</b> |               |            | <b>X</b>    |             |                |               |

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Municipal Clerk  
Borough of South River

**RESOLUTION 2022-237**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPOINTMENT OF JOSEPH P. LAKATOS AS A JUNIOR FIREFIGHTER FOR THE SOUTH RIVER FIRE DEPARTMENT RETROACTIVE TO AUGUST 25, 2022**

**WHEREAS**, the South River Junior Firefighter Advisor recommends appointment of Joseph P. Lakatos as a Junior Firefighter to the South River Fire Department retroactive to August 25, 2022; and

**WHEREAS**, the South River Junior Firefighter Advisor has received written parental apparatus riding consent and the completed New Jersey State Firemen's Association Membership application; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of South River Mayor and Council desire to approve said Junior Firefighter appointment.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the Borough of South River Mayor and Council, do hereby authorize the appointment of Junior Firefighter for Joseph P. Lakatos within the South River Fire Department of the Borough of South River retroactive to August 25, 2022.

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |     |      |      | X       |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |     |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |     |      |      | X       |        |

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Borough of South River

**RESOLUTION 2022-238**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CONTRACT AWARD FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO APPLEBY AVENUE, MORNINGSIDE AVENUE, AND FIFTH STREET TO FERNANDES CONSTRUCTION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$699,638.92**

**WHEREAS**, the governing body of the Borough of South River in the County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey, had previously authorized and directed the Borough Clerk to advertise for receipt of sealed bids for the Improvements of Appleby Avenue, Morningside Avenue, and Fifth Street in accordance with specifications approved and filed in the Office of the Borough Clerk; and

**WHEREAS**, said bids were received on August 31, 2022 and opened and read aloud in public and an examination thereof shows that Fernandes Construction was the apparent low bidder thereon with a bid of \$764,683.13 less deletion item #1 of \$65,044.21 for a net award of \$699,638.92; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough Attorney has noted that the bid of the apparent low bidder contained no material departures from the bidding documents; and

**WHEREAS**, the award of this contract be and is hereby subject to the approval of the New Jersey Department of Transportation; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer of the Borough has certified the availability of funds in accounts C-06-08-025-112, C-06-08-025-211, and C-06-22-009-102.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the governing body of the Borough of South River in the County of Middlesex, the State of New Jersey, that the above recited bid be and the same is hereby accepted and the appropriate officials are authorized to sign a contract with Fernandes Construction, when all required bid documents are received.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the appropriate officers of the Borough be and they are hereby authorized and directed to execute all instruments necessary to complete the above stated transaction.

| COUNCIL                      | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>   |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Ciulla</i>     |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>     | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i> |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>   |        |     |      |      |         | X      |

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Municipal Clerk  
Borough of South River

#### **RESOLUTION 2022-239**

#### **RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY SUPPORTS FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY NJ'S APPLICATION TO THE US DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SAFE STREETS AND ROADS FOR ALL GRANT PROGRAM**

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of South River would like to express support for the Middlesex County, NJ application to the US DOT Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Grants Programs; and

**WHEREAS**, these efforts will significantly improve local street safety for community members who drive, walk, bike, and roll through the County; and

**WHEREAS**, Middlesex County seeks funding through the SS4A for local municipalities to implement safety-focused projects and programs that target key actions from their Vision Zero Action Plan to reduce traffic-related fatal and serious injuries throughout the County; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of South River will be able to assist the County with establishing a positive safety culture that compliments the County's Vision Zero Action plan.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Borough Council of the Borough of South River that the Borough Council strongly supports Middlesex County, NJ's application to the US Department of Transportation Safe Streets and Roads For All Grant Program.

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |     |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |     | X    |      |         |        |

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Borough of South River

**RESOLUTION 2022-240**

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING A FOOD PERMIT REFUND**

**WHEREAS**, the official Clerk records of the Borough of South River, New Jersey show certain adjustments, recessions, amendments, cancellations, corrections, refunds, and uncollectible should be made on certain accounts due to various reasons; and

**WHEREAS**, the Clerk's Department recommends these changes as listed below; and

| Reason   | Name& Address                      | Property Location | Amount   |
|----------|------------------------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Denied   | Latin Bites                        | Food Truck        | \$100.00 |
| Approval | 59 Rt. 516<br>Old Bridge, NJ 08857 |                   |          |

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** that the Borough of South River Mayor and Council hereby authorize the Borough Clerk's Department to make the necessary adjustments as indicated.

| COUNCIL | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
|---------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|

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|----------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|--|--|----------|
| <b><i>Councilwoman Balazs</i></b>      |          | <b>X</b> | <b>X</b> |  |  |          |
| <b><i>Councilman Guindi</i></b>        | <b>X</b> |          | <b>X</b> |  |  |          |
| <b><i>Councilman Gurchensky</i></b>    |          |          | <b>X</b> |  |  |          |
| <b><i>Councilwoman Meira</i></b>       |          |          | <b>X</b> |  |  |          |
| <b><i>Councilman Oliveira</i></b>      |          |          |          |  |  | <b>X</b> |
| <b><i>Council President Ciulla</i></b> |          |          | <b>X</b> |  |  |          |

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Alyssa Guglietti, RMC  
Municipal Clerk  
Borough of South River

**RESOLUTION 2022-241**  
**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CERTAIN UTILITY REFUNDS**

**WHEREAS**, the official utility records of the Borough of South River, New Jersey show certain refunds which include electric, water and consumer deposits (CD); and

**WHEREAS**, the Collector of Utility Revenue recommends that the following refunds should be made to the consumer noted herein below listed; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the Borough Council of the Borough of South River that the Collector of Utility Revenue is hereby authorized to make the following refunds and adjustments indicated below and any attached list.

| <b><u>ACCOUNT #</u></b>     | <b><u>PAYABLE TO:</u></b>                                    | <b><u>AMOUNT OF CHECK</u></b> |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 65-999-005-430 CD           | PERCY HARRIS<br>5651 S THOMPSON AVE<br>TACOMA, WA 98408      | \$109.05                      |
| 65-999-001-857 ELEC CURRENT | JAIME METZ<br>222 BELMONTE DR<br>MYRTLE BEACH, SC 29588      | \$92.01                       |
| 65-999-007-368 CD           | BERTOLDO RAMIREZ<br>13 PINTER LANE<br>MONMOUTH JCT, NJ 08852 | \$89.62                       |

| <b>COUNCIL</b>                      | <b>MOTION</b> | <b>2ND</b> | <b>AYES</b> | <b>NAYS</b> | <b>ABSTAIN</b> | <b>ABSENT</b> |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|---------------|
| <b><i>Councilwoman Balazs</i></b>   |               | <b>X</b>   | <b>X</b>    |             |                |               |
| <b><i>Councilman Guindi</i></b>     | <b>X</b>      |            | <b>X</b>    |             |                |               |
| <b><i>Councilman Gurchensky</i></b> |               |            | <b>X</b>    |             |                |               |
| <b><i>Councilwoman Meira</i></b>    |               |            | <b>X</b>    |             |                |               |
| <b><i>Councilman Oliveira</i></b>   |               |            |             |             |                | <b>X</b>      |

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| <b>Council President Ciulla</b> |  |  | <b>X</b> |  |  |  |
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Alyssa Guglietti, RMC  
Municipal Clerk  
Borough of South River

**RESOLUTION 2022-242**  
**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A PROPERTY TAX REFUND**

**WHEREAS**, The following properties listed below applied for tax exempt status under the provisions for a total disabled veteran status in accordance with N.J.S.A. 54:4-3.30et seq, and

**WHEREAS**, the Tax Assessor reviewed and approved the application for the remainder of the 2022 tax year, and

**WHEREAS**, the Tax Collector is recommending that these taxes for the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2022 and the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter of 2023 be canceled accordingly.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of South River, County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey that the Tax Collector cancel 3rd quarter taxes (4<sup>th</sup> quarter taxes of 2022 and 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> of 2023 which haven't been billed yet) in accordance with the following schedule:

| <u>Block</u> | <u>Lot</u> | <u>Property Location:</u> | <u>Amount</u>                                        |
|--------------|------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|
| 117          | 1          | Robert J. Langfeld        | \$2403.60 – Cancelled (3rd quarter 2022)             |
|              |            | 26 Wilbur Street          | \$2403.60 – Cancelled (4 <sup>th</sup> quarter 2022) |
|              |            | South River NJ 08882      | \$2314.52 - Cancelled (1 <sup>st</sup> quarter 2023) |
|              |            |                           | \$2314.51 - Cancelled (2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter 2023) |

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION   | 2ND      | AYES     | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT   |
|---------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|------|---------|----------|
| <b>Councilwoman Balazs</b>      |          | <b>X</b> | <b>X</b> |      |         |          |
| <b>Councilman Guindi</b>        | <b>X</b> |          | <b>X</b> |      |         |          |
| <b>Councilman Gurchensky</b>    |          |          | <b>X</b> |      |         |          |
| <b>Councilwoman Meira</b>       |          |          | <b>X</b> |      |         |          |
| <b>Councilman Oliveira</b>      |          |          |          |      |         | <b>X</b> |
| <b>Council President Ciulla</b> |          |          | <b>X</b> |      |         |          |

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**RESOLUTION 2022-243**  
**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPOINTMENT OF MARC LaBELLA AS LABORER A FOR THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER SANITATION DEPARTMENT**

**WHEREAS**, the South River Director of Public Works, Adriano Soares, recommends Marc LaBella for the position of Laborer A within the Sanitation Department with a starting salary of \$18.47 per hour pursuant to the Local 255 United Service Workers Union Contract; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of South River Mayor and Council desire to approve said recommendation of appointment for Mr. LaBella.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the Borough of South River Mayor and Council, do hereby authorize the appointment of Marc LaBella for the position of Laborer A within the Borough of South River Sanitation Department with a starting salary of \$18.47 per hour pursuant to the Local 255 United Service Workers Union Contract on or about September 13, 2022.

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |     |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |     | X    |      |         |        |

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**RESOLUTION 2022-244**  
**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPOINTMENT OF JUSTIN MCGOUGH AS LEADMAN FOR THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER FLEET MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT**

**WHEREAS**, the South River Director of Public Works, Adriano Soares, recommends Justin McGough for the position of Leadman within the Fleet Maintenance Department with a starting salary of \$40.62 per hour pursuant to the Local 255 United Service Workers Union Contract; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of South River Mayor and Council desire to approve said recommendation of appointment for Mr. McGough.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the Borough of South River Mayor and Council, do hereby authorize the appointment of Justin McGough for the position of Leadman within the Borough of South River Fleet Maintenance Department with a starting salary of \$40.62 per hour pursuant to the Local 255 United Service Workers Union Contract on or about September 13, 2022.

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |     |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |     | X    |      |         |        |

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**RESOLUTION 2022-245**  
**RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES**

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of South River that the August 22, 2022 Regular Meeting Minutes are approved.

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |     |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |     | X    |      |         |        |

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**RESOLUTION 2022-246**  
**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE BILLS AND CLAIMS LIST**

**BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of South River, in the County of Middlesex and the State of New Jersey that all bills, claims and statements against the Borough, in the total

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amount of \$516,430.27 and previously paid claims in the amount of \$1,924,377.86 listing attached, have been duly itemized, audited, approved and signed by the proper officers of the Borough, be and the same are hereby ordered paid.

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balasz</i>      |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |     | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |     |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |     | X    |      |         |        |

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#### **RESOLUTION 2022-247**

#### **RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING FULL-TIME APPOINTMENT OF THREE SCHOOL CROSSING GUARDS FOR THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER**

**WHEREAS**, due to the resignation of Margaret Maine and David Hollander and retirement of Maureen Reda, Police Chief Mark Tinitigan recommends appointment of Roosevelt Pinkston, Stephanie Chamblee-Pinkston, and Jon Thomas as full-time School Crossing Guards pending their successful completion of a comprehensive medical examination and drug screen; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of South River Council desire to appoint Roosevelt Pinkston, Stephanie Chamblee-Pinkston, and Jon Thomas as full-time School Crossing Guards pending successful said results.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Borough of South River Mayor and Council do hereby appoint Roosevelt Pinkston, Stephanie Chamblee-Pinkston, and Jon Thomas as full-time School Crossing Guards effective September 13, 2022 to December 31, 2022 pending their successful completion of a comprehensive medical examination and drug screen.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Municipal Clerk provide a certified Resolution to the following:

- Police Chief Mark Tinitigan
- CFO Joseph Zanga
- Administrator Arthur Londensky

| COUNCIL                    | MOTION | 2ND | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|----------------------------|--------|-----|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balasz</i> |        | X   | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>   | X      |     | X    |      |         |        |

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| <b>Councilman Gurchensky</b>    |  |  | <b>X</b> |  |  |          |
| <b>Councilwoman Meira</b>       |  |  | <b>X</b> |  |  |          |
| <b>Councilman Oliveira</b>      |  |  |          |  |  | <b>X</b> |
| <b>Council President Ciulla</b> |  |  | <b>X</b> |  |  |          |

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\*\*Councilman Guindi abstained from voting on resolution 2022-229, 2022-237 and on purchase orders 22-0282, 22-02146, 22-01045, 22-01963, 22-02098, 22-02147, 22-01966, 22-01964, 22-02080, and 22-01965.

\*\*Council President Ciulla abstained from voting resolution 2022-229, 2022-237, and on purchase orders 22-01965, 22-02080, 22-02082, 22-01964, 22-01966, 22-01045, 22-01963, 22-02098, and 22-02147.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

Mayor Krenzel states new business is for when a resolution needs to be read separately from the consent agenda. This will be a combination of a public hearing and voting on a resolution. This resolution concerns a release of a reversionary interest in Block 82.01 Lot 1.03/1.07 and Lot 1.05. This is a legal matter that needs to be resolved and a public hearing is required.

Mayor Krenzel opened the floor for Public Comment.

Being that no one else came forward for public comment, Mayor Krenzel requested motion to close. Councilman Guindi motioned to close; seconded by Council President Ciulla. All in Favor.

#### **RESOLUTION 2022-248**

##### **RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE RELEASE OF THE BOROUGH'S REVERSIONARY INTERESTS IN BLOCK 82.01 LOT 1.03/1.07 AND LOT 1.05**

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of South River conveyed Block 82.01 Lot 1.03/1.07 and Block 82.01 Lot 1.05 to PAVA in the 1980s; and

**WHEREAS**, Block 82.01 Lot 1.05 has a reversionary interest that provides payment to the Borough of South River for the market price of the property as of 1979 if the PAVA does not comply with various conditions; and

**WHEREAS**, Block 82.01 Lot 1.03/1.07 has a reversionary interest that permits reentry onto the property by the Borough; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:60-51.2, the Borough is authorized to release the conditions and reversionary interests imposed on the land previously conveyed to the Association; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough wishes to enter into an agreement to release of the condition on Block 82.01 Lot 1.05 and reversionary interest on Block 82.01 Lot 1.03/1.07.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Borough Council of the Borough of South River, County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. That the governing body does hereby authorize the execution of the agreement, attached hereto as Schedule A, which sets forth the terms and conditions of the release of the condition on Block 82.01 Lot 1.05 and reversionary interest on Block 82.01 Lot 1.03/1.07.
2. That the Mayor and Municipal Clerk are hereby authorized to execute and attest to, respectively, the attached agreement and all additional documentation needed to effectuate the terms of the agreement.
3. A certified copy of this Resolution shall be provided to the Polish Army Veterans Association and the Borough Attorney.

| COUNCIL                         | MOTION | 2 <sup>ND</sup> | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----------------|------|------|---------|--------|
| <i>Councilwoman Balazs</i>      |        | X               | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Guindi</i>        | X      |                 | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Gurchensky</i>    |        |                 | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilwoman Meira</i>       |        |                 | X    |      |         |        |
| <i>Councilman Oliveira</i>      |        |                 |      |      |         | X      |
| <i>Council President Ciulla</i> |        |                 | X    |      |         |        |

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**GOVERNING BODY COMMENTS (For the Good and Welfare of the Borough)**

**Councilman Guindi**

- The car show will be this Thursday, September 15<sup>th</sup> from 5pm to 9pm.
- The 9/11 services had a very good turnout considering the weather. The lives that were lost that year have not been forgotten.
- September is National Suicide Awareness Month. Dial 988 if you are in need.

**Councilwoman Balazs**

- Thank you to all who participated in the 9/11 ceremony at Daley's Pond, as well as the Fire Department on Jackson Street. It was a wonderful night to remember the lives lost, especially South River native Chris Dincuff.
- Happy Fall!
- Happy Rosh Hashanah to those who celebrate.
- Hope to see everyone on Thursday for the car show.

**Council President Ciulla**

- School is back in session and there are a lot of children walking and running across the street. There have been a ton of problems with speeding lately in town. Please slow down. Some residents are asking for speed bumps on their streets.

- There have been complaints of mothers blocking residents' driveways when they are dropping their children off at school. Be aware and considerate.
- The Fire Department participated in the 21<sup>st</sup> anniversary of 9/11. It was a great turnout. The ceremonies were at Daley's Pond monument. The monument at the firehouse was dedicated last year with a statue that was donated to the firehouse from the Twin Towers.

#### **Councilman Gurchensky**

- Much thanks to our Police, Fire, DPW, and Robert Wood Johnson for all the work they do for South River.
- Thank you to everyone that came out for the 9/11 ceremony.
- School is back in session. Please be careful and mindful of everyone.

#### **Councilwoman Meira**

- At the end of July, there was a mobile DMV that was brought into South River. It was held at the Portuguese Club. Hopefully there can be another mobile event by fall or early spring.
- Friendly reminder that everyone will need to obtain a Real ID to travel. That is done at the mobile DMV unit.
- The end of summer festival was great. School is starting up and much appreciation to the police department for all their work. There was no traffic backup for the first two days of school.
- Last Saturday was the Honduran Flag raising event. The Mexican Flag raising will be this Saturday at 5pm.
- Thank you to Mayor Krenzel for appointing a junior member to the Environmental Shade Tree Commission.
- The 9/11 ceremony was wonderful.
- There are a lot of groups that form apps to relay certain information and events to the community. Hopefully South River can come up with an app that can be utilized.
- Yesterday was the first Pop Warner game. They had a beautiful gesture for Jack Alai. They made bracelets, the players had his initials, and there was a moment of silence.
- Will not be able to attend the next council meeting on October 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- Corpus Christie is having a yard sale on October 15<sup>th</sup> from 8am to 1pm. Spots will be \$15 each and you can pay in advance.

Mayor Krenzel asks Mr. Londensky to investigate developing an app for South River events. Councilwoman Meira suggests the high school can come up with a contest with creating an app.

#### **Mayor Krenzel**

- The Ukrainian Festival and Honduran Flag raising event were a lot of fun.
- The 9/11 ceremony is a chance for South River to come together and remember all the lives lost. It was the first time it rained in 21 years, but the ceremony continued.
- The car show is on September 15<sup>th</sup>. This is a good opportunity for people to walk in South River and explore the borough.
- The Holy Trinity Episcopal Church is hosting the 2022 Latino Festival of the Diocese of New Jersey on September 17 beginning at 9:30am. Everyone is welcome to attend.
- On September 17<sup>th</sup>, the Drew Pearson ceremony will be at 11am. The football game at Denny's Stadium is to follow at 1pm with the Mexican Flag Raising at 5pm.
- Vote by Mail will be starting early at the end of September. Pay attention to who is running for office.
- Happy Rosh Hashanah and Happy Fall.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Being no further business; Mayor Krenzel requested motion to adjourn. Councilman Guindi motioned to adjourn; seconded by Council President Ciulla. All in favor. Meeting adjourned at 7:57 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

*Alyssa Guglietti*

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