

MINUTES
Emergency Meeting of the Mayor and Council
Monday, March 10, 2014
5:00 PM

CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER-

Mayor Bazela called the meeting to order at 5:00 PM in the Council Chambers of the Municipal building located at 116 Paris Avenue, Northvale, New Jersey 07647.

STATEMENT –

Mr. Gregg Paster read the “Sunshine Statement” into the record as follows:

“This is an Emergency Meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale. The date, time and location of this meeting has been advertised in the official Newspapers of the Borough, filed with the Borough Clerk and posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building. All notice requirements of the Open Public Meetings Act for this meeting have been fulfilled. Please note the fire exits as required by law at public meetings.”

ROLL CALL-

Mayor Bazela, Councilman Marana, Councilman Piehler, Councilman Shepard, and Councilman Sokoloski were present. Councilman Sotiropoulos and Councilwoman Libby were not present.

Also present: Mr. Gregg Paster, Borough Attorney, Ms. Wanda Worner, Borough Clerk, Mrs. Fran Weston, Deputy Borough Clerk

Mayor Bazela stated that it has been his pleasure to be Mayor of Northvale for the past 3 years. The people that he met and having their trust was the best part of being Mayor. The Mayor and Council have been working as a team. Mayor Bazela then read a letter from Fire Chief Ed Rejmaniak.

Mayor Bazela then read his letter of resignation as Mayor of Northvale effective immediately. He received a standing ovation from the audience. He then passed the gavel to Council President Ed Piehler.

Motion by Councilman Marana, seconded by Councilman Shepard to open the meeting to the public.

Peter Perretti, 180 Dorato Place – Mr. Perretti stated on behalf of the residents, he would like to thank Mayor Bazela for his years of service and the time he put in. Mr. Perretti called the court decision a travesty.

There being no other comments from the public, the meeting was closed to the public.

Motion by Councilman Piehler, seconded by Councilman Marana to adjourn the meeting at 5:15 PM.

Stanley “Ed” Piehler
Council President

ATTEST:

Fran Weston
Deputy Borough Clerk

Wanda A. Worner
Borough Clerk

Approved: March 12, 2014