

**MINUTES**  
**Combined Meeting of the Mayor and Council**  
**Wednesday, April 9, 2014**  
**7:30 PM**

**CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER –**

Council President Piehler called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM in the Council Chambers located at 116 Paris Avenue, Northvale, New Jersey 07647.

**STATEMENT –**

Council President Piehler read the “Sunshine Statement” into the record as follows:

*“This is a Combined 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.”*

**SALUTE TO THE FLAG – SILENT PRAYER –**

Council President Piehler asked Madison Piehler to lead the salute to the flag and asked everyone to remain standing for a moment of silent prayer to remember those families that are in need of prayers and the men and women serving our country.

**CORRESPONDENCE –**

1. Letter – Democratic County Committee – March 18, 2014  
re: Vacancy in Seat of Mayor & Recommendation of 3 Names for Replacement:
  - a) Stanley E. Piehler
  - b) Patrick J. Marana
  - c) Gloria M. Libby

Motion by Councilman Marana, seconded by Councilman Sotiropoulos to nominate Ed Piehler as Mayor to fill the unexpired term of Paul Bazela, ending December 31, 2014.

ROLL CALL VOTE: Councilman Marana, Councilman Sotiropoulos, Councilman Shepard voted yes. Councilman Sokoloski voted no. Councilwoman Libby was absent.

**OATH OF OFFICE –**

County Clerk John S. Hogan administered the Oath of Office to Ed Piehler. Mayor Piehler thanked everyone and is looking forward to moving forward with the Council. He spoke about acquiring a new fire truck, the new gazebo for Hogan Park, the road paving for 2014, 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary, Livingston Street, town day, Media Center, acquiring 411 Clinton Avenue, 3 new police officers, and 0% municipal tax increase.

**ROLL CALL –**

Mayor Piehler, Councilman Marana, Councilman Shepard, Councilman Sokoloski, Councilman Sotiropoulos were present. Councilwoman Libby was absent.

**APPOINTMENTS & PERSONNEL CHANGES –**

Motion by Councilman Shepard, seconded by Councilman Sokoloski to nominate Councilman Marana as Council President.

ROLL CALL VOTE: Councilman Shepard, Councilman Sokoloski, Councilman Sotiropoulos were in favor. Councilman Marana abstained.

Motion by Councilman Marana, seconded by Councilman Sotiropoulos to approve the hiring of two (2) summer workers for the Department of Public Works (June – August @ \$10.00 per hour)

On the Question: Councilman Shepard would like a member of the Fire Department or Ambulance Corps to be considered for the summer work. Councilman Marana stated there is \$5,000 budgeted for these positions.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

Motion by Councilman Shepard, seconded by Councilman Sokoloski to approve the hiring of a summer intern for the Borough Hall (June – August @ \$10.00 per hour)

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

**MAYOR PIEHLER MADE FOLLOWING APPOINTMENTS TO PLANNING BOARD/BD OF ADJUSTMENT –**

Move Lisa Walker from Alternate #2 to Alternate #1 to fill the unexpired term of Ed Devlin with a term ending 12/31/14.

Move William Sillery from Alternate #3 to Alternate #2 to fill the unexpired term of Lisa Walker with a term ending 12/31/14.

Move Robert Bargna from Alternate #4 to Alternate #3 to fill the unexpired term of William Sillery with a term ending 12/31/14.

Appoint Ryan Moran as Alternate #4 to fill the unexpired term of Robert Bargna with a term ending 12/31/14.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES –**

Motion by Councilman Sokoloski, seconded by Councilman Marana to approve the Minutes of the Combined Meeting of March 12, 2014.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

**MONTHLY CORRESPONDENCE – (on file in Borough Clerk’s office)**

Tax Collector  
Building Department  
Fire Prevention  
Police Department  
Municipal Court

**CORRESPONDENCE –**

1. Letter – Northvale Historical Society – March 12, 2014  
re: Northvale Centennial Celebration
2. Letter – Woman’s Club of Norwood/Northvale – March 18, 2014  
re: Planting of Tree/Plaque in Memory of H. Guercio at Borough Hall
3. Letter – JFS Wheels for Meals – March 27, 2014  
re: A Ride to Fight Hunger Event June 15, 2014
4. Letter – Borough of Norwood – Mayor James Barsa – March 31, 2014  
re: Thanking Northvale for Offer of Assistance After DPW Fire

5. Letter – Woorimart – April 1, 2014  
re: Request for Grand Opening Banner

Councilman Marana advised that the Zoning Official recommended approval of the Woorimart Banner.

6. Letter – Maser Consulting – April 4, 2014  
re: Bergen County Cooperative Curb Ramp Program
7. Letter – Lisa Paillex Griffin – March 20, 2014  
re: Proclamation for Parkinson’s Awareness Month
8. Letter – Joint Insurance Fund – March 2014  
re: Soliciting Donations on Roadways – Coin Tosses  
Request by Police Department for Ordinance

Mr. Paster asked if there was an ordinance on coin tosses and was informed there is no ordinance. Mr. Paster will write an ordinance.

9. Letter – IL Giordano – April 4, 2014  
re: Request for Sign

Borough Clerk Worner advised the Mayor and Council the sign for Il Giordano was not recommended for approval from the Zoning Official.

#### **PROCLAMATIONS –**

Borough Clerk Worner advised the Mayor and Council that Lisa Paillex Griffin was unable to attend the meeting due to an illness.

#### ***Parkinson’s Awareness Month***

## **PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS Parkinson’s disease is a chronic, progressive, neurological disease and is the second most common neurodegenerative disease in the United States;

WHEREAS there is inadequate data on the incidence and prevalence of Parkinson’s disease, but it is estimated to affect 500,000 to 1,500,000 people in the United States and the prevalence will more than double by 2040;

WHEREAS Parkinson’s disease is the 14<sup>th</sup> leading cause of death in the United States according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the age-adjusted death rate increased 2.9 percent from 2010 to 2011;

WHEREAS it is estimated that the economic burden of Parkinson’s disease is at least \$14.4 billion annually, including indirect costs to patients and family members of \$6.3 billion;

WHEREAS research suggests the cause of Parkinson’s disease is a combination of genetic and environmental factors, but the exact cause and progression of the disease is still unknown;

WHEREAS there is no objective test or biomarker for Parkinson’s disease, and the rate of misdiagnosis can be high;

WHEREAS the symptoms of Parkinson’s disease vary from person to person and can include tremors; slowness of movement and rigidity; difficulty with balance, swallowing, chewing, and speaking; cognitive impairment and dementia; mood disorders (such as depression and anxiety); constipation; skin problems; and sleep difficulties;

WHEREAS there is no cure, therapy, or drug to slow or halt the progression of Parkinson's disease;

WHEREAS local, regional, and state volunteers, researchers, and medical professionals are working to improve the quality of life of persons living with Parkinson's disease and their families;

WHEREAS increased education and research is needed to find more effective treatments with fewer side effects and, ultimately, a cure for Parkinson's disease;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Stanley E. Piehler, Mayor of the Borough of Northvale, do hereby proclaim April 2014 as

***PARKINSON'S AWARENESS MONTH***

in Northvale, New Jersey and encourage all residents to observe this month.

**RESOLUTIONS –**

**2014-27 PULLED** – Council not ready to sign the agreement with Rockleigh.

Motion by Councilman Marana, seconded by Councilman Sokoloski to approve Resolutions #2014-38 through #2014-47 (with the exception of 2014-46), on Consent Agenda, as follows:

**RESOLUTION #2014-38**

**Approve the Tonnage Grant Report and Application for 2013**

WHEREAS, the Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act, P.L.1987, c.102, has established a recycling fund from which tonnage grant may be made to municipalities in order to encourage local source separation and recycling programs; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent and the spirit of the Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act to use the tonnage grants to develop new municipal recycling programs and to continue and to expand existing programs; and

WHEREAS, The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection has promulgated recycling regulations to implement the Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act; and

WHEREAS, the recycling regulations impose on municipalities certain requirements as a condition for applying for tonnage grants, including but not limited to, making and keeping accurate, verifiable records of materials collected and claimed by the municipality; and

WHEREAS, a resolution authorizing the municipality to apply for such tonnage grants (for calendar year 2013) will memorialize the commitment of the municipality to recycling and to indicate the assent of the Northvale Mayor and Council to the efforts undertaken by the municipality and the requirements contained in the Recycling Act and recycling regulations; and

WHEREAS, such resolution should designate the individual authorized to ensure the application is properly completed and timely filed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale hereby endorses the submission of the recycling tonnage grant application to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and designates Jeffry Marcason, Recycling Coordinator, to ensure that the application is properly filed; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the monies received from the recycling tonnage grant be deposited in a dedicated recycling trust fund to be used solely for the purposes of recycling.

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**RESOLUTION #2014-39**

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE COUNTY OF BERGEN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING PERMIT FOR FIREWORKS DISPLAY HOGAN PARK**

**WHEREAS**, application 14-01 was received from Legion Fireworks Co., Inc. of 10 Legion Drive, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590 has applied for a permit to perform a ground to air fireworks display on May 25, 2014; and (rain date 5/24/14)

**WHEREAS**, the vendor has provided necessary surety guarantees required by N.J.S.A. 21:3-5 and submitted the necessary permit application consistent with that section and all supporting materials; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief of Police and Fire Chief of the Borough of Northvale have reviewed the application and have approved the issuance of the permit.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the Borough of Northvale, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey that the application of Legion Fireworks Company for a permit to perform a ground to air fireworks display at Hogan Park on May 25, 2014, be and is hereby approved, with said permit to be issued in the name of the Mayor and Council of Northvale, upon preparation by the Borough Clerk, subject to execution by the Fire Chief and Chief of Police; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Borough Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to provide a copy of this resolution to the New Jersey Department of Labor's Office of Safety Compliance, the vendor and the Chief's of the Fire and Police Departments of the Borough of Northvale.

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**RESOLUTION #2014-40**

**Waive Fire Prevention Fee for the Fireworks**

BE IT RESOLVED that the above mentioned fee is hereby waived.

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**RESOLUTION #2014-41**

**Resolution to Support and Participate in the Volunteer Tuition Credit Program (P.L. 1998, c.145)**

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale in the County of Bergen, deems it appropriate to enhance the recruitment and retention of volunteer firefighters and emergency medical volunteers in the Borough of Northvale; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of New Jersey has enacted P.L. 1998, c.145 which permits municipal government to allow their firefighting and emergency medical volunteers to take advantage of the Volunteer Tuition Credit Program at no cost to the municipal government.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale in the County of Bergen that the Volunteer Tuition Program as set forth in P.L. 1998, c.145 is herewith adopted for the volunteer firefighters and emergency medical volunteers in the municipality; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Wanda A. Worner, Borough Clerk is herewith delegated the responsibility to administer the program and is authorized to enter into all agreements and to maintain files of all documents as may be required under the P.L. 1998, c.145, a copy of which is herewith made part of this resolution.

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**RESOLUTION #2014-42**

**AWARD OF THE CONTRACT OF THE BERGEN COUNTY COOPERATIVE CURB RAMP PROGRAM**

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Northvale desires to improve curb ramps at Bergen County approved locations; and,

**WHEREAS**, The Borough of Northvale has entered into a separate cooperative grant agreement with Bergen County to fund 100% of approved construction costs based on final as-built quantities for this project except for Borough Police services; and,

**WHEREAS**, The County of Bergen as the lead agency has previously publically bid the work and awarded a cooperative contract to Concrete Construction Corp. of 24 Pink Street P.O. Box 4063, South Hackensack, NJ 07601; and,

**WHEREAS**, The Borough of Northvale intends to utilize Bergen County Cooperative Curb Ramp program and the program contractor; and,

**WHEREAS**, Concrete Construction Corp. is a qualified contractor and has been found to be in compliance with the contract documents and technical specifications by the County of Bergen; and,

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL** of the Borough of Northvale, at its meeting of April 9, 2014 hereby authorizes the award of the contract to Concrete Construction Corp in the amount not to exceed \$182,500 upon authorization from Bergen County as required per County Cooperative Curb Ramp program; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that original signed and sealed copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Bergen County for their authorization of award.

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**RESOLUTION #2014-43**

**AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR AND OR COUNCIL PRESIDENT AND THE BOROUGH CLERK TO SIGN A SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH THE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR THE SCHOOL FIELD UPGRADES AND USE**

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Northvale is party to a Shared Services Agreement with the Northvale Board of Education, pursuant to the Uniform Shared Services and Consolidation Act, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1, et seq., related to the Northvale Public School fields within the Borough, and;

**WHEREAS**, improvements were made to the fields pursuant to the referenced Shared Services Agreement, and;

**WHEREAS**, the Borough and Board now seek to memorialize the respective rights and responsibilities in connection with the Shared Services Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, it appears, by virtue of the Shared Services Agreement for School Field Upgrades and Use, prepared and circulated by and between the Borough and the Board, that the said agreement is accurate and complete, and reflects the agreements between the parties.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Council of the Borough of Northvale, County of Bergen and State of New Jersey, that the Shared Services Agreement for School Field Upgrades and Use of the Northvale Public Schools playing fields be and hereby is ratified and affirmed; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Mayor or Council President and Borough Clerk, be and hereby are authorized to execute the Shared Services Agreement for School Field Upgrades and Use, in a form and substance acceptable to the Borough Attorney and consistent with the Uniform Shared Services and Consolidation Act, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1, et seq.; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution shall be served upon the Northvale Board of Education within seven (7) days of the adoption hereof.

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**RESOLUTION #2014-44**

**Approve the 2014 Emergency Temporary Appropriations**

WHEREAS, Section 40A:4-20 of the Revised Statutes of the Local Budget Act provides that, where any contract, commitments or payments are to be made prior to the adoption of the 2014 budget, emergency temporary appropriations be made for the purposes and amounts required in the manner and time therein provided; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale, County of Bergen, that the following temporary appropriations be made and that a certified copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Chief Financial Officer for his records.

Mayor and Council	
Salaries and Wages	3,348.00
Administration & Executive	
Salaries and Wages	16,806.00
Other Expenses	25,000.00
Financial Administration	
Salaries and Wages	11,650.50
Other Expenses	5,000.00
Collection of Taxes	
Salaries and Wages	7,302.00
Other Expenses	2,500.00
Assessment of Taxes	
Salaries and Wages	2,225.00
Other Expenses	500.00
Legal Services & Costs	
Other Expenses	12,500.00
Engineering Services	
Other Expenses	5,000.00
Municipal Land Use Planning Bd.	
Salaries and Wages	134.00
Other Expenses	2,500.00
Municipal Court	
Salaries and Wages	11,712.50
Other Expenses	1,000.00
Public Defender	
Salaries and Wages	331.00

Prosecutor	
Salaries and Wages	1,953.50
Police	
Salaries and Wages	250,000.00
Other Expenses	20,000.00
Ambulance	
Contribution	4,500.00
Vehicle Maintenance	500.00
Emergency Management Services	
Salaries and Wages	111.00
Fire	
Other Expenses	5,000.00
Fire House Rental	2,000.00
Fire Hydrant Service	17,500.00
Fire Prevention Bureau	
Salaries and Wages	3,301.50
Other Expenses	500.00
Public Works	
Salaries and Wages	150,000.00
Other Expenses	12,500.00
Garbage & Trash Removal	
Solid Waste Collection	27,500.00
Solid Waste Disposal	27,500.00
Recycling	
Salaries and Wages	838.50
Other Expenses	4,500.00
Buildings & Grounds	
Other Expenses	10,000.00
Sewer Maintenance	
Other Expenses	1,500.00
Vehicle Maintenance – Sr. Van Driver	
Salaries and Wages	6,500.00
Other Expenses	500.00
Board of Health	
Salaries and Wages	3,634.50
Other Expenses	8,000.00
Animal Control	
Other Expenses	1,250.00
James F. McGuire Memorial Center	
Salaries and Wages	2,500.00
Other Expenses	10,000.00
Parks & Playgrounds	
Other Expenses	3,500.00
Uniform Construction Code	
Salaries and Wages	18,343.00
Other Expenses	250.00
Code Compliance	
Salaries and Wages	2,214.00
Utilities	



Electricity	12,500.00
Street Lighting	12,500.00
Telephone	7,500.00
Water	2,500.00
Gas	5,000.00
Gasoline	12,500.00
Sewer Authority (BCUA)	148,000.00
Insurance	
Worker's Compensation	30,000.00
Liability Insurance	30,000.00
Group Insurance Plan Employees	87,500.00
Library and Media Center	10,000.00
Social Security System	60,000.00
Radio Services – Inter-borough	7,000.00
Public Employees Retirement System	104,260.00
Police and Firemen Retirement System	297,645.00
Capital Improvement Fund	40,000.00
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS:</b>	<b>\$ 1,570,810.00</b>

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**RESOLUTION #2014-45**

**PAYMENT OF BILLS**

**WHEREAS**, claims have been submitted to the Borough of Northvale in the following amounts under various funds of the borough:

Current Appropriations	\$478,419.13
General Capital Fund	\$103,180.56
Animal License Trust	\$38.40
Developer's Escrow Trust	\$48,750.50
Recreation Trust	\$4,522.88
Summer Recreation	\$2,330.55
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$637,242.02</b>

**WHEREAS**, above claims have been listed and summarized in the attached Bills List Report, and the corresponding vouchers have been reviewed and approved by the department head, council liaison, finance committee, and the chief financial officer; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer has determined that the funds have been properly appropriated for such purposes and are available in the Borough of Northvale, and that the claims specified on the schedule attached hereto, following examination and approval by the finance committee, be paid and checks issued accordingly; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale that the claims totaling **\$637,242.02** and ratified respectively.

The bill list is as follows:

cdatepd	vendor	checkno	chktotal	invoice
04/09/14	ALL ACCESS GARAGE DOORS	8895	6905.00	1027: REPAIR TO DPW GARAGE DOOR
04/09/14	ALL AMERICAN METAL FABRICATORS	8896	1250.00	5191: REPAIR TRUCK PLOW & FRAME
04/09/14	AMAZON/GECRB	8897	200.69	BOOKS FOR THE MEDIA CENTER
04/09/14	BEN MEADOWS	8898	801.89	96972: MAGNETIC LOCATOR
04/09/14	BERGEN CNTY UTILITIES AUTHORIT	8899	287928.40	2014-2 SEWER BCUA
04/09/14	BERGEN MUNICIPAL JOINT INS FUN	8900	60528.51	2014-2 JOINT INSURANCE FUND
04/09/14	BI-STATE BRAKE CO., INC.	8901	254.54	MISCELLANEOUS PARTS: 4388, 4081, 4301

04/09/14	CABLEVISION	8902	265.83	APR INTERNET & TV
04/09/14	CAROLYN ESPOSITO	8903	60.00	MAR14: CHAIR YOGA
04/09/14	CESCO	8904	172.52	APR ELEVATOR MAINTENANCE
04/09/14	CLEATUS FARMS INC.	8905	465.00	SUPPLIES FOR THE PARK
04/09/14	CLIFFSIDE BODY CORPORATION	8906	1655.83	67535, 25919 & 68823: PARTS
04/09/14	COOPER ELECTRIC SUPPLY CO.	8907	177.52	47419: LIGHTS FOR DPW
04/09/14	DEARBORN NATIONAL	8908	72.45	APR LIFE INSURANCE
04/09/14	DEBORAH KANIECKI	8909	200.00	MAR14: SUNDAY SESSIONS
04/09/14	DELTA DENTAL PLAN OF N.J.,INC	8910	5012.21	APR DENTAL INSURANCE
04/09/14	DELUXE SALES AND SERVICE,INC	8911	245.22	460839, 459445, 459776: PARTS
04/09/14	DLP COMMUNICATION SOLUTIONS	8912	1914.18	2014 BOROUGH NEWSLETTER
04/09/14	EAST COAST EMERGENCY LIGHTING	8913	169.20	5025: LIGHTS FOR N-2
04/09/14	ELIZABETH KRAUS	8914	150.00	MARCH 10 & 24: COURT ASSISTANCE
04/09/14	ELLEN J. SPRINGSTEEN	8915	70.00	MARCH14: SOUND RECORDING OPERATOR
04/09/14	GE CAPITAL	8916	834.00	APR ADMIN COPIER LEASE
04/09/14	GEMPLER'S	8917	408.00	10702953: FACESHIELDS
04/09/14	GOLDEN AGE CLUB	8918	200.00	DEPOSIT FOR 4/30/14 TRIP
04/09/14	GUMDROP BOOKS	8919	332.84	F3564-117: BOOKS FOR MEDIA CENTER
04/09/14	HILLSDALE BOARD OF HEALTH	8920	100.00	CHILD HEALTHCARE CONTRACT: 2014
04/09/14	INFOCROSSING, A WIPRO CO.	8921	130.59	5010962: TAX BILL PROOFS
04/09/14	INTERBORO RADIO	8922	15921.00	2014-2 INTERBOROUGH RADIO
04/09/14	INTERSTATE BATTERY OF NEW JERS	8923	128.95	810006042: BATTERY
04/09/14	JACQUELINE WALKER	8924	236.94	MAR14: RECEPTIONIST
04/09/14	JESCO, INC.	8925	76.05	39448: PARTS
04/09/14	KEN-JIL ELECTL CONTRACTORS,INC	8926	1303.75	KITCHEN RENOVATION: ELECTRIC
04/09/14	LA CASA FORMOSA	8927	1721.25	MAR14: LUNCHESES
04/09/14	LISA PASECHNICK	8928	105.00	MAR14: ZUMBA GOLD CLASSES
04/09/14	MAGELLAN HILL TECHNOLOGIES	8929	1576.36	FEB PHONE SERVICES
04/09/14	MARGARET RASO	8930	1181.50	MAR14: ACTING DIRECTOR
04/09/14	MASER CONSULTING P.A.	8931	6153.14	ENVIRONMENTAL TECT DANZIG
04/09/14	MAUREEN FELICI	8932	665.00	MAR15: GENERAL OFFICE HELP
04/09/14	METRO PEST SOLUTIONS	8933	300.00	2014-1 PEST CONTROL
04/09/14	MIELE SANITATION CO	8934	30237.76	MAR SOLID WASTE COLLECTION
04/09/14	MILLENNIUM STRATEGIES LLC	8935	2500.00	MAR GRANTS WRITER
04/09/14	MINUTEMAN PRESS	8936	30.00	PRINTING OF THE BUSY BEES
04/09/14	N.J. DEPT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS	8937	618.00	1Q14: STATE TRAINING FEES
04/09/14	NORTH JERSEY MEDIA GROUP	8938	555.69	LEGAL ADS
04/09/14	NORTHVALE CAR WASH, INC.	8939	50.00	SUPERINTENDENT TRUCK
04/09/14	NORTHVALE FIRE ASSOCIATION	8940	5772.50	2014-2 FIRE HOUSE RENT
04/09/14	NORTHWEST BERGEN REGIONAL	8941	7611.90	2014-2 REGIONAL HEALTH
04/09/14	NORWOOD CAR CARE	8942	816.65	REPAIRS: 941, 101, 105, 003, 934, 106
04/09/14	OAK TREE PRINTING,INC.	8943	42.00	VFW BOOKS
04/09/14	OFFICE CONCEPTS GROUP	8944	35.96	473471: FLASH DRIVE
04/09/14	ONE CALL CONCEPTS, INC.	8945	32.94	MAR SEWER MARK OUTS
04/09/14	OTTERSTEDT INSURANCE AGENCY	8946	1405.00	61846: INSURANCE POLICY
04/09/14	PASVALCO	8947	36.73	176409: SUPPLIES TO CLEAN BRICK
04/09/14	PATRICK JOHNSON	8948	225.00	FEB WEBSITE MAINTENANCE
04/09/14	PATROL PC	8949	1255.00	4RE BASE SYSTEM IN-CAR VIDEO SYSTEM
04/09/14	PETRILLO'S DELI	8950	146.00	SNOW DAY: BREAKFASTS AND LUNCHESES
04/09/14	PITNEY BOWES	8951	176.96	443430: POSTAGE MACHINE SUPPLIES
04/09/14	POLAND SPRING WATER CO.	8952	340.56	MAR DRINKING WATER
04/09/14	PRECAST CONCRETE SALES CO.	8953	1105.00	CONCRETE GRADE RING
04/09/14	PROCOPY INC.	8954	98.75	30986: STAPLES FOR COPIER
04/09/14	PSE&G CO.	8955	6498.53	MAR NATURAL GAS
04/09/14	RACHLES / MICHELE'S OIL CO,INC	8956	3477.05	MAR VEHICLE FUEL
04/09/14	RECREATIONAL SAND OF SOUTH JER	8957	1388.75	192: PRO TOP INFIELD MIX
04/09/14	ROB'S CARPET AND FLOORING	8958	425.00	3831: KITCHEN RENOVATION: FLOORING

04/09/14	ROBERT CARLISLE	8959	168.00	MAR14: ASSIST SHOPPERS
04/09/14	ROSE SAVINCKI	8960	256.00	MAR14: KITCHEN DUTY
04/09/14	ROSS BROTHERS	8961	1056.40	12106: TWO LOADS OF STONE
04/09/14	RUDY'S RISTORNATE & PIZZERIA	8962	150.00	3/19/14: PIZZA BINGO
04/09/14	SAFE SHREDDING	8963	150.00	22714: SHREDDING
04/09/14	SIRCHIE FINGER PRINT LABS,INC.	8964	50.13	155951: BLOOD SPECIMEN KITS
04/09/14	SOL'S INTERPRETING SERVICES	8965	325.00	3/10/14: INTERPRETORS
04/09/14	STORR TRACTOR COMPANY	8966	47.92	826958: OIL & FILTER FOR TORO
04/09/14	TANYA DMITRUK	8967	200.00	MAR14: EDITOR OF THE BUSY BEE
04/09/14	THE REINER GROUP	8968	302.00	PERMIT REFUND
04/09/14	THREE STAR TOURS INC.	8969	600.00	1312: TRIP TO MOUNT AIRY LODGE
04/09/14	TILCON NEW YORK INC.	8970	223.75	1744442: WINTER PATCH
04/09/14	TLO LLC	8971	27.00	DEC-FEB POLICE SEARCH SVC
04/09/14	TONY SANCHEZ LTD	8972	454.57	34314: PARTS FOR SNOW PLOW
04/09/14	TREASURER,STATE OF NEW JERSEY	8973	125.00	1Q14 MARRIAGE LICENSES
04/09/14	TROOPER FOODS	8974	289.13	627390: FOOD SUPPLIES FOR THE CENTER
04/09/14	TYCO ANIMAL CONTROL SERVICES	8975	610.00	MAR ANIMAL CONTROL
04/09/14	UNITED WATER NEW JERSEY	8976	7292.90	MAR WATER UTILITY
04/09/14	VERIZON WIRELESS	8977	469.25	MAR CELL PHONE SERVICE
04/09/14	VERIZON/BELL ATLANTIC	8978	113.81	MAR LOCAL PHONE POLICE
04/09/14	VIVIAN ABITABILO	8979	544.18	REIMBURSEMENTS: KITCHEN RENOVATION
04/09/14	WANDA A. WORNER	8980	60.00	REIMBURSEMENT: CAR REGISTRATION
04/09/14	WORLD OF FAX	8981	149.00	81291: REPAIR TO TYPEWRITER
04/09/14	DURIE LAWN MOWER & EQUIP INC	609	8450.00	HURRICAN BLOWER: X3-27
04/09/14	GOOSETOWN COMMUNICATIONS, INC.	610	380.00	1651: UNINSTALL/REINSTALL RADIO
04/09/14	PATROL PC	611	27000.00	4RE BASE SYSTEM IN-CAR VIDEO SYSTEM
04/09/14	STORR TRACTOR COMPANY	612	11074.06	AERA-VATOR UA-60
04/09/14	TRINO ASSOCIATES LLC	613	56276.50	LIVINGSTON SIDEWALKS
04/09/14	N.J. DEPT OF HEALTH & SENIOR S	148	38.40	MAR14: DOG REPORT
04/09/14	CHASAN LEYNER & LAMPARELLO	507	710.50	124463 & 124466: PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
04/09/14	MASER CONSULTING P.A.	508	48040.00	230240: PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
03/26/14	ROCKLAND BOULDERS	10120	1000.00	6/14/14: DEPOSIT FOR GROUP TICKET SALES
04/09/14	CLOSEOUTBATS.COM	10121	380.00	SOFTBALL/BASEBALL SUPPLIES
04/09/14	JOHANNA BARGISEN	10122	50.00	SOFTBALL REFUND
04/09/14	LISA SALERNO	10123	45.00	WINTER BASKETBALL REFUND
04/09/14	NORTH JERSEY MEDIA GROUP	10124	29.30	LEGAL AD: 3620007 - REC MEETING DATES
04/09/14	NORWOOD BASEBALL	10125	68.50	SCHEDULING SYSTEM
04/09/14	PRIME TIME GROUP, LLC	10126	1417.00	1738: SOCCER UNIFORMS
04/09/14	RICHARD FLEURY	10127	31.52	REIMBURSEMENT: SOCCER
04/09/14	ROB DEBRINO	10128	720.00	4/6/2014: USE OF BATTING CAGES
04/09/14	SUBURBAN GLASS & MIRROR	10129	281.56	546077: PLEXI-GLASS FOR REC BOARD
04/09/14	TEAM LIFE, INC.	10130	500.00	1221: SUPPLIES FOR DEFIB
04/09/14	GREEN MEADOWS FARM	10164	460.00	7/8/14: PETTING ZOO FOR CAMP
04/09/14	N.J.V. PLUMBING & HEATING INC.	10165	520.55	1826: PLUMBING SERVICES
04/09/14	POWERHOUSE ENTERTAINMENT INC.	10166	1350.00	7/15/14: LIVE PERFORMANCE FOR CAMP

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## RESOLUTION #2014-47

### AMENDING THE TEMPORARY CAPITAL BUDGET

WHEREAS, the Borough of Northvale desires to establish a 2014 Temporary Capital Budget of said municipality by inserting therein the following project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the Borough of Northvale as follows:

Section 1. The 2014 Temporary Capital Budget of the Borough of Northvale is hereby established by the adoption of the schedule to read as follows:

**Temporary Capital Budget of the  
Borough of Northvale  
County of Bergen, New Jersey  
Projects Schedule for 2014  
Method of Financing**

PROJECT	EST. COSTS	GRANTS	BUDGET APPR FUND	CAPITAL IMP FUND	BONDS	SELF LIQUIDATING BONDS
Various Public Improvements	\$550,000			\$26,200	\$523,800	

Section 2. The Clerk be and is hereby authorized and directed to file a certified copy of this resolution with the Division of Local Government Services Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, within three days after the adoption of this project for 2014 Temporary Capital Budget, to be included in the 2014 Permanent Capital Budget as adopted.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

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**INTRODUCTION OF 2014 MUNICIPAL BUDGET**

Motion by Councilman Marana, seconded by Councilman Sokoloski to Introduce the 2014 Budget.

ON THE QUESTION: Mr. Steve Wielkocz stated that there is no municipal tax increase, which is the same as 2013. He stated there was a generated surplus, benefits were down. Councilman Marana said it was a good budget, there were a couple of bad financial years, road paving was not done. The town now is in good shape financially and the bond rating went up.

**RESOLUTION #2014-46**

**Introduction of the 2014 Municipal Budget**

BE IT RESOLVED, that the following statement of revenue and appropriation attached hereto constitute the local budget of the Borough of Northvale, County of Bergen, New Jersey for the year 2014.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said budget is to be published in the Record in the issue of April 16, 2014 and that a hearing on the Budget will be held at the Municipal Complex on May 14, 2014 at 7:30 PM or as soon thereafter as the matter may be reached.

**Revenue and Appropriation Summaries - Anticipated**

Summary of Revenues	2014	2013
1. Surplus	200,000.00	115,000.00
2. Total Miscellaneous Revenues	1,601,805.00	1,516,926.25
3. Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	595,000.00	513,000.00
4. a) Local Tax for Municipal Purposes	5,653,766.00	5,653,766.00
b) Addition to Local District School Tax		
Total Amount to be Raised by Taxes for Municipal	5,653,766.00	5,653,766.00
<b>Total General Revenues</b>	<b>8,050,571.00</b>	<b>7,798,692.25</b>
<b>Summary of Appropriations</b>		
1. Operating Expenses: Salaries & Wages	2,782,810.00	2,765,379.00
Other Expenses	3,129,711.00	2,975,442.00
2. Deferred Charges & Other Appropriations	1,016,900.00	1,023,271.25
3. Capital Improvements	40,000.00	40,000.00
4. Debt Service	446,150.00	429,600.00
5. Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	635,000.00	565,000.00
<b>Total General Appropriations</b>	<b>8,050,571.00</b>	<b>7,798,692.25</b>

The budget in its entirety, is as follows:

2014  
NORTHVALE MUNICIPAL BUDGET  
Borough of Northvale  
116 Paris Avenue

Northvale, New Jersey 07647  
201-767-3330

Seat Vacant as of budget preparation date. Stanley "Ed" Piehler was appointed Mayor on 4/9/14 – 12/31/14  
Council President – Pat Marana – 12/31/16  
Councilwoman Gloria Libby – 12/31/16  
Councilman Kenneth Shepard – 12/31/14  
Councilman Roy Sokoloski – 12/31/2014  
Councilman Peter Sotiropoulos – 12/31/15  
Vacant Council seat (Stanley E. Piehler) term to expire 12/31/15

MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS	CERTIFICATE OR LICENSE NUMBER
Municipal Clerk – Wanda A. Worner	#0752
Tax Collector – Suzanne Burroughs	#T1282
Chief Financial Officer – Shuaib Firozvi	#N-0652
Registered Municipal Accountant – Steven D. Wielkocz	CR#00413
Municipal Attorney – Gregg Paster, Esq.	

2014 MUNICIPAL BUDGET

Municipal Budget of the Borough of Northvale, County of Bergen for the Fiscal Year 2014.

It is hereby certified that the Budget and Capital Budget annexed hereto and hereby made a part thereof is a true copy of the Budget and Capital budget approved by resolution of the Governing Body on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of April 2014 and that public advertisement will be made in accordance with the provisions of NJSA 40A:4-6 and NJAC 5:30-4.4(d).

Certified by me this 9<sup>th</sup> day of April 2014  
Wanda A. Worner, Borough Clerk  
Shuaib Firozvi, Chief Financial Officer  
116 Paris Avenue, Northvale, New Jersey 07647  
201-767-3330

Steven D. Wielkocz, Registered Municipal Accountant  
Ferraioli, Wielkocz, Cerullo & Cuva, PA  
401 Wanaque Avenue, Pompton Lakes, New Jersey 07442  
973-835-7900

COMMENTS OR CHANGES REQUIRED AS A CONDITION OF CERTIFICATION OF DIRECTOR OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES.  
The changes or comments which follow must be considered in connection with further action on this budget.  
Borough of Northvale, County of Bergen

MUNICIPAL BUDGET NOTICE

SECTION 1.  
Municipal Budget of the Borough of Northvale, County of Bergen for the Fiscal Year 2014  
Be it Resolved, that the following statements of revenues and appropriations shall constitute the Municipal Budget for the year 2013; Be it Further Resolved that said Budget be published in the Record in the issue of April 16, 2014. The Governing Body of the Borough of Northvale does hereby approve the following as the Budget for the year 2014:

Notice is hereby given that the Budget and Tax Resolution was approved by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale, County of Bergen on April 9, 2014. A Hearing of the Budget and Tax Resolution will be held at Borough Hall on May 14, 2014 at 7:30 PM at which time and place objections to said Budget and Tax Resolution for the year 2014 may be presented by taxpayers or other interested persons.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT  
SUMMARY OF CURRENT FUND SECTION OF APPROVED BUDGET

	YEAR 2014
General Appropriations	
1. Appropriations within "CAPS"	
(a) Municipal Purposes	5,805,021.00
2. Appropriations excluded from "CAPS"	
(a) Municipal Purposes	1,610,550.00
Total General Appropriations excluded from "CAPS"	1,610,550.00
3. Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	635,000.00
4. Total General Appropriations	8,050,571.00
5. Less Anticipated Revenues Other Than Current Property Tax	2,396,805.00
6. Difference: Amount to be Raised by Taxes for Support of Municipal Budget (as follows)	
(a) Local Tax for Municipal Purposes Including Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	5,653,766.00

SUMMARY OF 2013 APPROPRIATIONS EXPENDED AND CANCELED

	General Budget
Budget Appropriations – Adopted Budget	7,756,477.00
Budget Appropriations Added by NJS 40A:4-87	42,215.25
Emergency Appropriations	86,500.00
Total Appropriations	7,885,192.25
Expenditures: Paid or charged (Including Reserve for Uncollected Taxes)	7,768,843.37
Reserved	41,348.88
Unexpected Balances Canceled	75,000.00
Total Expenditures and Unexpended Balances Canceled	7,885,192.25

Explanations of Appropriations for "Other Expenses"  
The amounts appropriated under the title of "Other Expenses" are for operating costs other than "Salaries & Wages." Some of the items included in "Other Expenses" are: Materials, supplies and non-bondable equipment; repairs and maintenance of buildings, equipment, roads, etc., Contractual services for garbage and trash removal, fire hydrant service, aid to volunteer fire companies, etc.; printing and advertising, utility services, insurance and many other items essential to the services rendered by municipal government.

2014 "CAPS" CALCULATION

<b>General Appropriations for 2013</b>	<b>7,756,477.00</b>
Exceptions:	
Less:	
Other Operations	630,781.00
Interlocal Service Agreements	320,000.00
Public – Private Offset (Grants)	4,675.00
Capital Improvements	40,000.00
Municipal Debt Service	429,600.00
Deferred Charges	25,600.00
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	565,000.00
<b>Total Exceptions</b>	<b>2,015,656.00</b>
Amount on which 0.50% CAP is applied	5,740,821.00
CAP Amount – 0.50%	28,704.11
Allowable operating appropriations before additional exceptions per NJSA 40A:4-52	5,769,525.11
Add on Modifications: New Construction - \$1,801,000 * 0.662	0.00
2013 CAP Bank	21.29
CAP Ordinance	172,224.63
<b>Total allowable appropriations</b>	<b>5,941,771.03</b>
The total general appropriations for municipal purposes with "CAPS", as indicated at item (H-1) sheet 19 of This budget document is within the statutory limit allowed.	
Health Benefits Cost including Dental	565,000.00
Employee Contributions (Chapter 78)	(90,000.00)
<b>Net Amount Appropriated Budget</b>	<b>475,000.00</b>

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT  
BUDGET MESSAGE – STRUCTURAL BUDGET IMBALANCES

Revenues at Risk	Non-recurring current appropriation	Line Item	Amount	Comment/Explanation
X		General Capital Fund Balance	107,500.00	This revenue item is being offset against one-time appropriation
X		Municipal Open Space Trust	40,000.00	This will be replaced by Current Fund Surplus
	X	Deferred Charges – Tax Appeals	107,500.00	This appropriation item is being offset against one-time revenue

CURRENT FUND- ANTICIPATED REVENUES

GENERAL REVENUES	ANTICIPATED 2014	ANTICIPATED 2013	REALIZED IN CASH 2013
Surplus anticipated	200,000.00	115,000.00	115,000.00
<b>Total Surplus Anticipated</b>	<b>200,000.00</b>	<b>115,000.00</b>	<b>115,000.00</b>
Miscellaneous revenues			
Licenses:			
Alcoholic Beverages	15,000.00	15,400.00	15,266.25
Other	12,000.00	11,600.00	12,500.00
Fees and Permits	38,000.00	29,700.00	38,630.25
Fines and Costs:			
Municipal Court	94,000.00	71,500.00	94,017.28
Interest and Cost on Taxes	100,000.00	100,000.00	101,933.49
Interest on investments and deposits	3,000.00	2,531.00	3,282.94
<b>Total Section A: Local revenues</b>	<b>262,000.00</b>	<b>230,731.00</b>	<b>265,630.21</b>
Miscellaneous revenues – Section B: State aid without offsetting appropriations			
Consolidated municipal property tax relief aid	32,576.00	35,453.00	35,453.00
Energy receipts tax	528,729.00	525,852.00	525,852.40
Extraordinary aid			
<b>Total State Aid Without Offsetting Appropriations</b>	<b>561,305.00</b>	<b>561,305.00</b>	<b>561,305.40</b>
Dedicated Uniform Construction Code Fees Offset without Appropriations	125,000.00	100,000.00	180,401.00
<b>Total Uniform Construction Code Fees Offset without Appropriations</b>	<b>125,000.00</b>	<b>100,000.00</b>	<b>180,401.00</b>
Special Items of Revenue Anticipated with Prior Written Approval of the Director of LGS			
Borough of Rockleigh – Police and Court Services	300,000.00	300,000.00	300,000.00
Borough of Rockleigh – Public Works Services	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00
<b>Total Interlocal Municipal Service Agreements with Appropriations</b>	<b>320,000.00</b>	<b>320,000.00</b>	<b>320,000.00</b>
Clean Communities Program		8,921.34	8,921.34
Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund		1,140.20	1,140.20
Highway Traffic Safety Program		3,950.00	3,950.00
Highway Traffic Safety Program		4,000.00	4,000.00
Northvale Drug Alliance – Police Golf		675.00	675.00
Body Armor Fund		1,984.15	1,984.15
Recycling Tonnage Grant		14,059.56	14,059.56
Municipal Alliance		9,520.00	9,520.00
USDA Food Program		2,640.00	2,640.00
<b>Total Special Items of Revenue</b>		<b>46,890.25</b>	<b>46,890.25</b>
<b>General Revenues</b>			
Uniform Fire Safety Act	34,000.00	27,000.00	34,332.45
Municipal Open Space Tax (Field Maintenance)	40,000.00	90,000.00	90,000.00
Donations – Senior Center	5,000.00	5,000.00	6,151.85
Franchise Fee – Cablevision and Verizon	57,000.00	55,000.00	55,061.38

Senior Van Driver – Senior Association	30,000.00	24,000.00	30,000.00
Compost Program – Hillsdale	60,000.00	57,000.00	57,304.00
General Capital Fund Balance	107,500.00		
Total Special Items of Revenues – Other Special Items	333,500.00	258,000.00	272,849.68
Summary of Revenues			
Surplus Anticipated	200,000.00	115,000.00	115,000.00
Local Revenues	262,000.00	230,731.00	265,630.21
State Aid without Offsetting Appropriations	561,305.00	561,305.00	561,305.40
Dedicated UCC Fees Offset with Appropriations	125,000.00	100,000.00	180,401.00
Special Items of Revenue – Interlocal Service Agreements	320,000.00	320,000.00	320,000.00
Special Items of Revenue – Public and Private Revenues		46,890.25	46,890.25
Special Items of Revenue – Other Special Items	333,500.00	258,000.00	272,849.68
Total Miscellaneous Revenues	1,601,805.00	1,516,926.25	1,647,076.54
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	595,000.00	513,000.00	526,167.31
Subtotal General Revenues	2,396,805.00	2,144,926.25	2,288,243.85
Amount to be Raised by Taxes for Support of Budget			
Local tax for municipal purpose including reserve for uncollected taxes	5,653,766.00	5,653,766.00	
Total Amount to be Raised by Taxes	5,653,766.00	5,653,766.00	
Total General Revenues	8,050,571.00	7,798,692.25	2,288,243.85

**CURRENT FUND – APPROPRIATIONS**

General Appropriations within CAPS	Appropriated 2014	Appropriated 2013	Total 2013 w/transfers	Paid or charged	Reserved
<b>Administrative &amp; Executive</b>					
Salaries & Wages	103,612.00	102,712.00	101,212.00	100,994.79	217.21
Other Expenses	100,000.00	90,000.00	107,000.00	106,938.59	61.41
Mayor and Council					
Salaries & Wages	26,696.00	25,917.00	26,417.00	26,376.00	41.00
Other Expenses	1,000.00	583.00	883.00	800.20	82.80
Financial Administration					
Salaries & Wages	63,301.00	54,305.00	61,505.00	61,457.16	47.84
Other Expenses	20,000.00	20,000.00	17,000.00	16,973.43	26.57
Annual Audit	41,000.00	35,500.00	38,500.00	38,470.00	30.00
Collection of Taxes					
Salaries & Wages	54,604.00	53,014.00	53,014.00	53,014.00	0.00
Other Expenses	15,000.00	15,000.00	12,000.00	11,977.43	22.57
Assessment of Taxes					
Salaries & Wages	20,450.00	10,927.00	13,227.00	13,141.70	85.30
Other Expenses	5,000.00	3,000.00	6,000.00	5,158.55	841.45
Legal Services & Costs					
Other Expenses	75,000.00	98,000.00	95,000.00	94,641.56	358.44
Engineering Services & Costs					
Other Expenses	30,000.00	25,000.00	52,000.00	49,494.17	2,505.83
Planning Board S & W	4,268.00	4,144.00	4,144.00	4,143.88	0.12
Other Expenses	10,000.00	15,000.00	10,000.00	5,935.34	4,064.66
Redevelopment Study		12,500.00			
Municipal Court					
Salaries & Wages	73,425.00	72,787.00	71,287.00	71,287.00	0.00
Other Expenses	6,000.00	5,500.00	4,500.00	4,335.68	164.32
Prosecutor:					
Salaries & Wages	11,907.00	11,560.00	11,560.00	11,560.00	0.00
Public Defender					
Salaries & Wages	4,662.00	4,526.00	4,526.00	4,526.00	0.00
Public Safety					
Police					
Salaries & Wages	1,500,000.00	1,567,000.00	1,653,500.00	1,635,028.46	471.54
Other Expenses	90,000.00	87,500.00	87,500.00	83,647.76	3,852.24
Interboro Radio	64,000.00	61,910.00	61,910.00	61,910.00	0.00
First Aid Contribution	15,000.00	6,000.00	9,100.00	9,096.00	4.00
Ambulance Other Expenses	5,000.00	3,000.00	5,000.00	4,950.90	49.10
Emergency Management					
Salaries & Wages	1,222.00	1,186.00	1,186.00	1,186.00	0.00
Other Expenses	500.00	500.00	500.00	325.00	175.00
Fire:					
Rental of Fire House	28,090.00	25,590.00	28,090.00	28,090.00	0.00
Miscellaneous Other Expenses	50,000.00	35,000.00	61,000.00	58,792.58	2,207.42
Fire Hydrant Service	85,000.00	90,000.00	91,000.00	90,498.56	501.44
Fire Prevention Bureau					
Salaries & Wages	36,603.00	40,536.00	40,536.00	40,536.00	0.00
Other Expenses	3,000.00	3,000.00	2,000.00	1,987.85	12.15
Public Works Functions					
Roads Salaries & Wages	700,000.00	653,000.00	651,000.00	650,990.84	9.16
Other Expenses	65,000.00	50,000.00	58,000.00	56,082.59	1,917.41
Buildings & Grounds	40,000.00	35,000.00	39,000.00	38,968.82	31.18
Parks & Playgrounds O & E	15,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	11,724.06	275.94
Recycling S & W	5,677.00	5,830.00	5,830.00	5,512.00	318.00
Recycling O & E	15,000.00	12,000.00	17,000.00	16,393.45	606.55
Sewer O & E	7,000.00	6,000.00	10,000.00	9,292.40	707.60
Borough of Norwood	14,000.00	14,000.00	14,000.00	14,000.00	0.00
Garbage & Trash:					
Collection	185,000.00	185,000.00	185,000.00	181,107.87	2,892.13
Disposal	185,000.00	185,000.00	185,000.00	181,444.96	2,555.04
INSURANCE:					
Liability Insurance	120,000.00	115,183.00	114,030.50	114,030.41	0.09
Worker's Compensation	120,000.00	115,183.00	116,335.50	116,335.42	0.08
Other Insurance	7,500.00	8,134.00	7,134.00	7,034.22	99.78
Group Insurance Plan	475,000.00	521,159.00	441,159.00	436,082.63	76.37

<b>Board of Health</b>					
Salaries & Wages	23,269.00	23,242.00	23,242.00	22,590.10	651.90
Other Expenses	40,000.00	38,000.00	35,000.00	34,219.31	780.69
Animal Control	7,500.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	6,690.00	810.00
Recreation O & E	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Summer Recreation	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
McGuire Center Salaries & Wages	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	24,577.28	422.72
Other Expenses	40,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00	37,871.62	2,128.38
Senior Trips O&E	7,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00	6,851.00	149.00
Public Events O&E	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	1,989.85	10.15
Senior Van Driver					
Salaries & Wages	27,000.00	21,000.00	19,000.00	18,701.60	298.40
Other Expenses	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	2,041.32	958.68
State Uniform Construction Code					
Salaries & Wages	86,686.00	74,685.00	78,285.00	78,195.94	89.06
Other Expenses	4,500.00	8,500.00	8,500.00	6,484.31	2,015.69
Code Compliance					
Salaries & Wages	14,428.00	14,008.00	14,008.00	14,008.00	0.00
Other Expenses	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	26.00	974.00
Electricity	75,000.00	80,000.00	85,000.00	60,751.35	3,248.65
Street Lighting	75,000.00	70,000.00	70,000.00	64,509.16	490.84
Telephone	35,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00	27,758.12	241.88
Water	15,000.00	7,500.00	11,500.00	11,482.68	17.32
Natural Gas	30,000.00	40,000.00	25,000.00	20,945.74	54.26
Vehicle Fuel	85,000.00	85,000.00	85,000.00	82,958.94	41.06
Total Operations within "CAPS"	5,094,900.00	5,081,121.00	5,161,621.00	5,058,926.58	38,694.42
Contingent	640.00	300.00	300.00	0.00	300.00
Total Operations including contingent within "CAPS"	5,095,540.00	5,081,421.00	5,161,921.00	5,058,926.58	38,994.42
Deferred Charges					
Deficit in Operations	87,576.00				
PFRS Contributions	104,260.00	103,136.00	103,136.00	103,136.00	0.00
Social Security System	220,000.00	220,000.00	216,000.00	214,725.97	1,274.03
Consolidated Police and Fire men's Pension Fund	297,645.00	336,264.00	336,264.00	336,264.00	0.00
Total Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures within "CAPS"	709,481.00	659,400.00	655,400.00	654,125.97	1,274.03
Total Appropriations for Municipal Purposes within "CAPS"	5,805,021.00	5,740,821.00	5,817,321.00	5,713,052.55	40,268.45
Privately owned library	40,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00	29,724.48	275.52
BCUA	576,000.00	528,940.00	528,940.00	528,935.09	4.91
CAP Exceptions					
Health Benefits		23,841.00	23,841.00	23,841.00	0.00
LOSAPS	38,000.00	38,000.00	38,000.00	37,200.00	800.00
Total Other Operations – Excluded from "CAPS"	654,000.00	630,781.00	630,781.00	619,700.57	1,080.43
Interlocal Agreements					
Rockleigh Police & Court S& W	300,000.00	300,000.00	300,000.00	300,000.00	0.00
Rockleigh DPW S & W	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
Total Interlocal Agreements	320,000.00	320,000.00	320,000.00	320,000.00	0.00
Public & Private Programs Offset by Revenues					
Clean Communities Program		8,921.34	8,921.34	8,921.34	0.00
Drunk Driving Enforcement		1,140.20	1,140.20	1,140.20	0.00
Highway Traffic Safety Program		3,950.00	3,950.00	3,950.00	0.00
Highway Traffic Safety Program		4,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00	0.00
Northvale Drug Alliance – Police Golf		675.00	675.00	675.00	0.00
Body Armor Fund		1,984.15	1,984.15	1,984.15	0.00
Recycling Tonnage Grant		14,059.56	14,059.56	14,059.56	0.00
Municipal Alliance		9,520.00	9,520.00	9,520.00	0.00
USDA Food Program		2,640.00	2,640.00	2,640.00	0.00
Total Public & Private Programs		46,890.25	46,890.25	46,890.25	0.00
Total Excluded from CAPS	974,000.00	997,671.25	997,671.25	986,590.82	1,080.43
Capital Improvement Fund	40,000.00	40,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	0.00
Payment of Bond Principal	355,000.00	340,000.00	340,000.00	340,000.00	
Payment on BAN's & Notes	107,500.00				
Interest on Bonds	81,650.00	88,600.00	88,600.00	88,600.00	
Interest on Notes	9,500.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00	
Total for Debt Service	553,650.00	429,600.00	429,600.00	428,600.00	
Deferred Charges					
Emergency Authorization					
Special Emergency (5 years)	42,900.00	25,600.00	25,600.00	25,600.00	
Total Deferred Charges	42,900.00	25,600.00	25,600.00	25,600.00	
Total General Appropriations Municipal Purposes Excluded from CAPS	1,610,550.00	1,492,871.25	1,502,871.25	1,490,790.82	1,080.43
Subtotal General Appropriations	7,415,571.00	7,233,692.25	7,320,192.25	7,203,843.37	41,348.88
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	635,000.00	565,000.00	565,000.00	565,000.00	
Total General Appropriations	8,050,571.00	7,798,692.25	7,885,192.25	7,768,843.37	41,348.88
Municipal purposes within "CAPS"	5,805,201.00	5,470,821.00	5,817,321.00	5,713,052.55	40,268.45
Operations Excluded from CAPS					
Other Operations	654,000.00	630,781.00	630,781.00	619,700.57	1,080.43
Uniform Construction Code	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Shared Services Agreements	320,000.00	320,000.00	320,000.00	320,000.00	0.00



Additional App Offset by Revs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Public & Private Progs Offset by Revs		46,890.25	46,890.25	46,890.25	0.00
Total Operations Excluded from "CAPS"	974,000.00	997,671.25	997,671.25	986,590.82	1,080.43
Capital Improvements	40,000.00	40,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	
Municipal Debt Service	553,650.00	429,600.00	429,600.00	428,600.00	
Total Deferred Charges	42,900.00	25,600.00	25,600.00	25,600.00	
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	635,000.00	565,000.00	565,000.00	565,000.00	
Total General Appropriations	8,050,571.00	7,798,692.25	7,885,192.25	7,768,843.37	41,348.88

APPENDIX TO BUDGET STATEMENT  
CURRENT FUND BALANCE SHEET – 12/31/13  
ASSETS

Cash and Investments	1,358,009.28
Due From State of New Jersey	0.00
Federal and State Grants Receivable	0.00
Taxes Receivable	600,648.15
Tax Title Liens Receivable	47,368.55
Property Acquired by Tax Title Lien Liquidation	2,156,700.00
Other Receivables	106,565.01
Deferred Charges Required in 2014 Budget	42,900.00
Deferred Charges Required to be in Budgets Subsequent to 2014	110,400.00
Total Assets	4,422,590.99

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS

Cash Liabilities	725,317.90
Reserves for Receivables	2,823,706.34
Surplus	873,566.75
Total Liabilities	4,422,590.99

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF CURRENT FUND OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN CURRENT SURPLUS

	2013	2012
Surplus Balance 01/01	330,795.55	505,795.55
Current Taxes	20,867,058.01	20,719,186.21
Delinquent Taxes	526,167.31	414,678.06
Other Revenues/Income	2,128,130.00	2,435,747.68
Total Funds	23,852,150.87	24,075,407.50
Expenditures Required	7,768,843.37	7,933,303.56
School Taxes	13,641,922.50	13,441,756.34
County Taxes	2,133,742.88	2,136,342.04
Special District Taxes	0.00	0.00
Other Expenditures	46,582.18	71,080.38
Total	23,591,090.93	23,582,482.32
Less: to be raised by future taxes	86,500.00	
Total Adjusted Expenditures	23,504,590.93	23,582,482.32
Surplus Balance	678,355.49	492,925.18

PROPOSED USE OF SURPLUS IN 2014 BUDGET

Surplus Balance December 31, 2013	678,355.49
Anticipated in 2014 Budget	200,000.00
Surplus Balance Remaining	478,355.49

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

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Motion by Councilman Marana, seconded by Councilman Sokoloski to Introduce Ordinance #940-2014 for 1<sup>st</sup> Reading as follows:

**ORDINANCE #940-2014 – CALENDAR YEAR 2014 ORDINANCE TO EXCEED THE MUNICIPAL BUDGET APPROPRIATION LIMITS AND TO ESTABLISH A CAP BANK (N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-45.14) – 2<sup>nd</sup> reading May 14, 2014**

Mr. Wielkotsz stated this is done every year to preserve the cap bank for next year and year after in case it is needed.

**ORDINANCE #940-2014**

**CALENDAR YEAR 2014 ORDINANCE TO EXCEED THE MUNICIPAL BUDGET APPROPRIATION LIMITS AND TO ESTABLISH A CAP BANK (N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-45.14)**

**WHEREAS**, the Local Government Cap Law, N.J.S. 40A: 4-45.1 et seq., provides that in the preparation of its annual budget, a municipality shall limit any increase in said budget up to 0.5% unless authorized by ordinance to increase it to 3.5% over the previous year's final appropriations, subject to certain exceptions; and,

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-45.15a provides that a municipality may, when authorized by ordinance, appropriate the difference between the amount of its actual final appropriation and the 3.5% percentage rate as an exception to its final appropriations in either of the next two succeeding years; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale in the County of Bergen finds it advisable and necessary to increase its CY 2014 budget by up to 3.5% over the previous year's final appropriations, in the interest of promoting the health, safety and welfare of the citizens; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council hereby determine that a 3.00% increase in the budget for said year, amounting to \$172,224.63 in excess of the increase in final appropriations otherwise permitted by the Local Government Cap Law, is advisable and necessary; and,

**WHEREAS** the Mayor and Council hereby determines that any amount authorized hereinabove that is not appropriated as part of the final budget shall be retained as an exception to final appropriation in either of the next two succeeding years.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale, in the County of Bergen, a majority of the full authorized membership of this governing body affirmatively concurring, that, in the CY 2014 budget year, the final appropriations of the Borough of Northvale shall, in accordance with this ordinance and N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-45.14, be increased by 3.00%, amounting to \$172,224.63, and that the CY 2014 municipal budget for the Borough of Northvale be approved and adopted in accordance with this ordinance; and,

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, that any that any amount authorized hereinabove that is not appropriated as part of the final budget shall be retained as an exception to final appropriation in either of the next two succeeding years; and,

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, that a certified copy of this ordinance as introduced be filed with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services within 5 days of introduction; and,

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, that a certified copy of this ordinance upon adoption, with the recorded vote included thereon, be filed with said Director within 5 days after such adoption.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

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Motion by Councilman Sokoloski, seconded by Councilman Sotiropoulos to Introduce Ordinance #934-2014 for 1<sup>st</sup> Reading as follows:

**ORDINANCE #934-2014 - AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE STATUTORY AUTHORITY OF VERIZON NEW JERSEY INC., ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS TO USE THE VARIOUS PUBLIC STREETS, ROADS, AVENUES, HIGHWAYS AND OTHER PUBLIC WAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE, BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY FOR ITS LOCAL AND THROUGH LINES AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES AND PRESCRIBING THE CONDITIONS THEREOF**

**BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE  
County of Bergen  
State of New Jersey**

**ORDINANCE #934-2014**

**AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE STATUTORY AUTHORITY OF VERIZON NEW JERSEY INC., ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS TO USE THE VARIOUS PUBLIC STREETS, ROADS, AVENUES, HIGHWAYS AND OTHER PUBLIC WAYS IN THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE, BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY FOR ITS LOCAL AND THROUGH LINES AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES AND PRESCRIBING THE CONDITIONS THEREOF.**

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale, Bergen County, New Jersey that:

**SECTION 1.** Pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:17-10, N.J.S.A. 48:17-11 and N.J.S.A. and 48:17-12, permission and consent is hereby granted to Verizon New Jersey Inc. (the "Company"), its successors, and assigns to install, operate, inspect, maintain, repair replace and remove its communications facilities and other transmission or process equipment, including underground facilities, such as conduits, manholes, cables, wires and all other facilities appurtenant thereto, and above-ground facilities, such as cables, wires, antennas, poles, posts, supports, guys, pedestals, cable termination and distribution cabinets and all other facilities appurtenant thereto, in, through, upon, along, over, under and across all of the various public streets and ways, which include the road, avenues, right-of-way, sidewalks, highways, bridges, waterways and other public places and parts thereof, throughout their entire length and to effect the necessary street openings and lateral connections to curb poles, property lines and other facilities in the Borough of Northvale (the "Borough") for said Company's local and through lines and other communications facilities in connection with the transaction of its business. In the event that any public street or way where the Company has facilities is vacated by the Borough, the Borough agrees to reserve unto said Company the rights granted the Company by the present Ordinance.

**SECTION 2.** All poles, posts, pedestals, cabinets or other facilities shall be located and placed back of the curb lines where shown on the official map (s) of the Borough; the poles and posts, however, shall be located within eighteen (18) inches of the face of such curb line or as may otherwise be mutually agreed by both parties, or at the points or places now occupied by the poles, posts, pedestals, cabinets, or other facilities of the Company, its successors, and assigns and where there are no curb lines, at other convenient points or places i, upon, along, adjacent or across the public streets and ways as may be mutually agreed upon between the parties.

**SECTION 3.** The Company may bury its local and through communication facilities such as cables, conduit, manholes and associated equipment, fixtures, process equipment and appurtenances within the right-of-way of the various public streets and ways and at such locations as shall be mutually agreed upon by the parties for said Company's local and through lines and communications facilities. Underground conduits and associates facilities, as aforementioned, shall be placed at least eighteen (18) inches below the surface of said public streets and ways and with the exception of lateral branches to curb poles and property lines and other facilities, the same shall generally not be constructed more than ten (10) feet from the curb line, unless obstructions make it necessary to deviate from such course, or unless the parties mutually agree to another location. Manholes shall be located at such points along the line of underground conduits as may be necessary or convenient for placing, maintaining and operating the facilities, as aforementioned, which the Company may from time to time use in connection with its underground conduit system and shall be so constructed as to conform to the cross-sectional and longitudinal grade of the surface so as not to interfere with the safety or convenience of persons or vehicles.

In the event the Company is required to excavate or construct within the right-of-way and in the further event that such excavation or construction requires relocation of the Borough's storm or sanitary sewer drains, then said relocation shall be done with the approval and supervision of the Borough Engineer and the cost of said relocation shall be

borne by the Company **except to the extent expressly provided otherwise by applicable law.**

In the event that in furtherance of a legitimate and necessary governmental purpose the Borough **lawfully** requires relocation of a facility owned by **the Company** which is located within the Borough's right-of-way, then in such case **the Company** shall be required to relocate said facility, under the direction and supervision of the Borough Engineer and shall bear the entire cost of said relocation, **except to the extent expressly otherwise by applicable law.**

**SECTION 4.** Before proceeding with any new construction or relocation work in an area covered by this Ordinance, the Company shall give prior notice in writing thereof to the Borough, through its designated representative of its intention to perform such work. The Company shall obtain such street opening or excavation permits as may be lawfully required by any applicable ordinances regulating such openings or excavations. Any such area affected by the Company in constructing its facilities shall be restored to as good condition as it was before the commencement or work thereon. No public streets or ways shall be encumbered for a period longer than shall be reasonable to execute the work.

**SECTION 5.** The Company agrees to indemnify and save harmless the Borough from and against all claims and liabilities resulting from any injury or damage to the person or property of any person, firm or corporation caused by or arising out of road conditions resulting from any negligent or faulty excavations, installation or maintenance connected with the work or equipment of said Company, and not attributable to the fault or negligence of the Borough, except that if such injury or damage shall be caused by the joint or concurring negligence or fault of the Company and the Borough, the same shall be borne by them to the extent of their respective fault or negligence.

**SECTION 6.** Whenever a curb line shall be established on streets where one does not now exist or where an established curb line shall be relocated in order to widen an existing street in conjunction with road construction being performed by the Borough, the Company shall change the location of its above-ground facilities covered by this Ordinance in accordance with applicable law so that the same shall be back of, and adjacent to, the new curb line so long as the Borough has acted in accordance with applicable law and with reasonable care in establishing the new curb line and providing notice thereof.

**SECTION 7.** Any company or corporation having legal authority to place its facilities in the public streets and ways of the Borough may jointly use the Company's poles, posts, pedestals or other structures for all lawful purposes, provided the Company consents to such use, on terms and conditions acceptable to the Company and not inconsistent with the provisions of the present Ordinance.

**SECTION 8.** The Company shall provide space, to the extent available, on its poles so long as said poles are available in its main conduits existing on the date of passage of this Ordinance, but not exceeding one (1) duct of standard size, for the sole benefit of the Borough during the pendency of this Ordinance. Such space shall be provided for the exclusive use of the Borough which use shall be limited to accommodating the wires or electrical conductors required for one-way signal control in connection with municipal police patrol, fire alarm signal control and traffic signal control systems only; but for no other use or purposes, either along or in conjunction therewith; nor for circuits for the supply of electrical energy for traffic or other signals; nor for wires, conductors, cable or the equivalent which provide a means of transmitting any signal to a private, commercial or residential location, and which is normally provided by a nongovernmental supplier, provided, further, that no such use or attachment by the Borough shall interfere with the plant or facilities of or the use thereof by the Company. All costs or expenses incurred by the Company in connection therewith shall be paid by the Borough. It shall be the obligation of the Borough to attach its wires to the poles or place its electric conductors in the conduits or manholes of the Company, provided that before proceeding with said work, either by itself or by a person, firm or corporation engaged to perform such work, the Borough shall give the Company thirty

(30) days prior notice in writing. all such work shall be performed under the supervision of said Company. The Borough agrees to indemnify and save harmless the Company from and against all claims and liabilities resulting from any injury or damage to the person or property of any person, firm or corporation caused by or arising out of the Borough's installation, maintenance, operation or removal of wires or facilities or the Borough's use or enjoyment of the Company's plant or facilities as provided under this section, except that if such injury or damage shall be caused by joint or concurring negligence of the Company and Borough, the same shall be borne by them to the extent of their respective fault or negligence.

**SECTION 9.** If any or all of the said streets or ways are later taken over the County of Bergen or the State of New Jersey, such County or State shall have such rights and privileges and be subject to the same terms, conditions and limitation of use as apply herein to the Borough, provided, however, that satisfactory prior arrangements as may be necessary are made with the Borough and the Company for the full protection of respective interest of each.

**SECTION 10.** The term "Borough" as used in this Ordinance shall be held to apply to and include any form of municipality or government into which the Borough or any part thereof may at any time hereafter be changed, annexed or merged.

**SECTION 11.** The permission and consent hereby granted shall apply to and cover all communications facilities of the Company existing at any time, and related structures, process equipment and appurtenances heretofore or hereafter erected, constructed, reconstructed, removed, located, relocated, replaced, maintained, repaired or operated by the Company, its predecessors, successors or assigns within the Borough. This Ordinance shall cancel and supersede all prior consent ordinances between the Borough and the Company regarding the subject matter hereof.

**SECTION 12.** This Ordinance shall continue in full force and effect for a period of twenty (20) years from the date it becomes effective subject to the right of the Company to seek such changes herein as may be deemed necessary and reasonable from time to time prior to the expiration of said period, said changes to be approved by the Borough. The Company shall maintain its property within the Borough and shall comply with applicable law for the provision of safe, adequate and proper service within the Borough at just and reasonable rates. At and after expiration of the term of this Ordinance, the Company shall safeguard the public interest in continuous and uninterrupted service within the Borough.

**SECTION 13.** In the event that any provision herein shall for any reason be illegal and unenforceable under applicable law, such illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other provisions of this Ordinance, and this Ordinance shall be construed as if such illegal or unenforceable provisions (s) had never been contained herein.

**SECTION 14.** The Company shall pay the expenses incurred for advertising required in connection with the passage of this Ordinance, after the date of its first reading, within (30) days after the Company has received a bill for said advertising from the publisher. Following final passage of this Ordinance, the Borough Clerk shall provide the Company with written notice thereof by certified mail. As provided by applicable law, this Ordinance, and any subsequent amendments, shall not become effective until acceptance thereof by the Company and approval thereof by the Board of Regulatory Commissioners.

ON THE QUESTION: Mr. Paster explained Ordinance #934-2014.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

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Motion by Councilman Sokoloski, seconded by Councilman Shepard to Introduce Ordinance #935-2014 for 1<sup>st</sup> Reading as follows:

**ORDINANCE #935-2014 - AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 147-16 OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE TO REGULATE THE USE OF TEMPORARY COVERS ON DETERIORATED OR DAMAGED ROOFTOPS WITHIN THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE**

**BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE  
County of Bergen  
State of New Jersey**

**ORDINANCE #935-2014**

**AN AMENDING CHAPTER 147-16 OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE TO REGULATE THE USE OF TEMPORARY COVERS ON DETERIORATED OR DAMAGED ROOFTOPS WITHIN THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE**

**WHEREAS**, the use of Temporary Covers, also referred to as Tarps, to delay or avoid required repair to damaged or deteriorated roofing has increased within the territory of Northvale; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the residents of the Borough of Northvale to regulate the use of such Tarps to maintain the residential quality of the Borough as well as the visual impact in the Borough of Northvale; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council have determined that the general health, welfare and safety of the residents of the Borough of Northvale will be improved by the regulation of the duration of time such Tarp may be placed over such deteriorated or damaged rooftop; and

**WHEREAS**, the Planning Board of the Borough of Northvale has recommended such regulation of temporary roof coverings and Tarps by licensing and zoning to control the use and placement of such coverings;

**BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED**, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale, in the County of Bergen and State of New Jersey, that Chapter 147, Article II, of the Borough of Northvale Code be amended to include Chapter 147-16 (D) Roofing as hereinafter provided:

Section 1. Roofing. No tarp or other temporary roof covering, made of cloth, plastic or other, similar material, placed over a damaged or deteriorated roof to prevent leaking or additional damage on a temporary basis, and used in construction, repair or maintenance of the roof, shall be permitted to remain in place, in lieu of permanent replacement or repair of the roof, for a period exceeding ninety (90) days, except with the written permission of the Borough building inspector or code enforcement official, and then only for a period specified by the official granting the permission, and upon issuance of a building permit for the work required to be performed on the roof.

Section 2. Violation and Penalty. Any owner or occupier of property violating this section shall be liable for the penalties consistent with other violations of this Chapter.

Section 3. Repealer. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are repealed. If any portion of this Ordinance is determined to be improper or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, then that portion shall be repealed but the remainder of the Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and publication as required by law.

ON THE QUESTION: Mr. Paster explained Ordinance #935-2014.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

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**PULLED - ORDINANCE #936-2014**

**ORDINANCE #936-2014 - AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF REAL PROPERTY KNOWN AS LOT 18 IN BLOCK 501 ON THE TAX MAP OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE, MORE COMMONLY KNOWN AS 411 CLINTON AVENUE**

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Motion by Councilman Sotiropoulos, seconded by Councilman Marana to Introduce Ordinance #937-2014 for 1<sup>st</sup> Reading as follows:

**ORDINANCE #937-2014 - AMEND CHAPTER 135 – ARTICLE I – LIGHTNING DETECTION**

**BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE  
County of Bergen  
State of New Jersey**

**ORDINANCE #937-2014**

**AMEND CHAPTER 135 – ARTICLE I – LIGHTNING DETECTION**

WHEREAS, this Article has been established to regulate the use of outdoor athletic facilities located in the Borough of Northvale, County of Bergen and State of New Jersey, so as to protect the public health and welfare, and to prescribe penalties for failure to comply; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council have found that a uniform policy for vacating public outdoor athletic facilities when lightning is present or imminent is necessary to protect athletes, coaches, officials and spectators from the dangers of cloud to ground lightning strikes.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale in the County of Bergen and State of New Jersey, as follows:

Chapter 135 be and hereby is amended and revised to add the following subparagraphs to section 10:

**SECTION I**

**§135-10.**

**G. Regulations; Parks or Recreational Facilities; Lightning Risk Warnings.**

- i. The Borough may act to temporarily close or limit the use of parks, recreational facilities, including (but not limited to) municipal and Board of Education fields and lots, whenever, in the judgment of any of the appropriate enforcing authorities, as defined in Chapter 135 of the Code of the Borough of Northvale, such action is deemed necessary or desirable for the protection of public health or safety.
- ii. As used in this section, the term “ lightning risk warning” shall mean notice to the Borough of a lightning risk, the activation of the lightning warning system siren or strobe or the happening of any event deemed by any of the appropriate enforcing authorities to be a risk to health and safety due to lightning.

- iii. If a lightning risk warning occurs, all parks and recreational facilities will be closed including (but not limited to), municipal and Board of Education fields, lots and other areas.
- iv. If a park or recreational facility is closed, as provided in this Chapter:
  - a. All activities within such park or recreational facility shall immediately cease until the lightning warning system provides the all-clear sound or any of the appropriate enforcing authorities authorizes the facility(ies) to re-open; and
  - b. All persons within the park or recreational facility when the lightning risk warning occurs shall immediately exit the park or recreational facility and not return until the lightning warning system provides the all-clear sound or any of the appropriate enforcing authorities authorizes the facility(ies) to re-open. "All persons" shall include all employees of the Borough of Northvale, volunteers, coaches, team members and their families and umpires/referees as well as all members of the public.
- v. Organized activities.

The person or persons seeking issuance of such a permit shall be responsible to ensure all coaches, umpires, referees, and or coordinators shall sign the Borough of Northvale Lightning Safety Policy.

The umpire, coach, coordinator or adult in charge is responsible to ensure that their group follows the Lightning Safety Policy. Disregarding the policy subjects the umpire, coach, coordinator and adult in charge to a suspension, up to and including a lifetime suspension, from all Northvale Recreation activities, and privileges including using the fields and parks for organized activity.

- vi. Unorganized activities.

Members of the Public informally using the parks, fields, lots or other facilities are also subject to the terms of this Chapter.

G. Nothing in this Chapter is intended to negate the authority of the appropriate enforcing authorities, as defined herein and in Chapter 135 of the Code of the Borough of Northvale, to take such action as deemed necessary or desirable for the protection of the public's health or safety.

#### §135-12. Violations and penalties.

- A. If the Code of the Borough of Northvale provides for the licensing or permitting of any person or entity who/which violates the terms of this Chapter, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale reserve the right to revoke such permit or license.
- B. Any person or entity found guilty of violating this Chapter of the Code of the Borough of Northvale shall be subject to a penalty consisting of a fine not to exceed \$500.

#### §135-13. Enforcing authorities.

Members of the Police Department of the Borough of Northvale, members of the Northvale Fire Department, designated agents of the Parks and Recreation Department and the Mayor and Council shall be the "enforcing authorities" authorized to enforce the terms of this Chapter.

## **SECTION II**



All other Ordinances of the Borough, or parts thereof, which are in conflict with this Ordinance, are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

**SECTION III**

If any section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision, or sentence of this Ordinance is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall apply only to the section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision, sentence, clause, phrase or provision so adjudged, and the remainder of this Ordinance shall be deemed valid and effective.

**SECTION IV**

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage and publication according to law.

ON THE QUESTION: Borough Clerk Worner advised the Council she will remove reference to the Northvale Swim Club from the Ordinance. Councilman Shepard advised that you cannot see the light on Field 4 at Hogan Park. Mayor Piehler will check into this.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

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Motion by Councilman Sokoloski, seconded by Councilman Sotiropoulos to Introduce Ordinance #938-2014 for 1<sup>st</sup> Reading as follows:

**ORDINANCE #938-2014 - AMENDING CHAPTER 186 OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE CODE**

**BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE  
County of Bergen  
State of New Jersey**

**ORDINANCE #938-2014**

**AMENDING CHAPTER 186 OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE CODE**

**WHEREAS**, it has been requested by the Bergen County Engineer that the Mayor and Council amend Chapter 186 as relates to the re-configured Livingston Street and Paris Avenue intersection in order to establish regulatory compliance and necessary parking and traffic regulations to insure the safety of motorists and pedestrians; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the express purpose of this ordinance to regulate traffic and parking and generally to promote, preserve, and protect the peace, good order, comfort, convenience, safety, and welfare of the citizens and inhabitants of the Borough.

**THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale, in the County of Bergen and State of New Jersey, that Chapter 186, TRAFFIC AND PARKING of the Borough of Northvale Code shall be amended as hereinafter provided:

**Section I-No Stopping or Standing**

Chapter 186, section 18 shall be and is amended to read:

The driver of any vehicle shall not stop or stand the vehicle at any time on the streets at the locations set forth herein:

Name of Street	Side	Location

Livingston Street	West	From a point 105 feet south of the southerly curb line of Paris Avenue to a point 265 feet north of the northerly curb line of Paris Avenue
Livingston Street	East	From a point 300 feet south of the southerly curb line of Paris Avenue to a point 165 feet north thereof
Livingston Street	East	For the northerly curb line of Paris Avenue to a point 150 feet northerly thereof
Paris Avenue	North	From Firenze Street to a point 125 feet westerly of the west curb of Livingston Street
Paris Avenue	South	From a point 120 feet east of the easterly curb line of Livingston Street to a point 125 feet west of the westerly curb line of Livingston Street

**Section II-Bus Stops Designated**

Chapter 186, section 24 be and is hereby amended to read:

The following locations are hereby designated and established as bus stops. No vehicle other than an omnibus, picking up or discharging passengers, shall be permitted to occupy said locations at any time:

Name of Street	Side	Location
Livingston Street	East	From the southerly curb line of Paris Avenue to a point 135 feet southerly thereof
Livingston Street	West	From a point 105 feet south of the southerly curb of Paris Avenue to a point 150 feet southerly thereof

**Section V-Enforcement and Penalty**

This Ordinance and all its sections and provisions shall be enforced by the Northvale Police Department or any other law enforcement agency having jurisdiction to enforce traffic provisions of the State of New Jersey. Violations of this section shall be punishable as set forth in Title 39 of the New Jersey Statutes Annotated, in the discretion of the Municipal Court Judge.

**Section VI-Invalidity**

If the provisions of any section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision, or clause of this Ordinance shall be judged invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such order of judgment shall not affect or invalidate the remainder of any section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision, or clause of this Ordinance.

**Section VII-Severability**

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

**Section VIII-Effective Date**

This Ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication pursuant to law.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

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Motion by Councilman Marana, seconded by Councilman Sotiropoulos to Introduce Ordinance #939-2014 for 1<sup>st</sup> Reading as follows:

**ORDINANCE #939-2014 - BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE MAKING OF VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN, BY AND FOR THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE, IN THE COUNTY OF BERGEN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$550,000 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, TO MAKE A DOWN PAYMENT, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS TO FINANCE SUCH APPROPRIATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS**

**BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE  
County of Bergen  
State of New Jersey**

**ORDINANCE #939-2014**

**BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE MAKING OF VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN, BY AND FOR THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE, IN THE COUNTY OF BERGEN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$550,000 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, TO MAKE A DOWN PAYMENT, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS TO FINANCE SUCH APPROPRIATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS.**

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BE IT ORDAINED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Northvale, in the County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, as follows:

Section 1. The Borough of Northvale, in the County of Bergen, State of New Jersey (the "Borough") is hereby authorized to make various public improvements in, by and for said Borough, as more particularly described in Section 4 hereof. The cost of the improvements includes all work, materials and appurtenances necessary and suitable therefor.

Section 2. There is hereby appropriated to the payment of the cost of making the improvements described in Sections 1 and 4 hereof (hereinafter referred to as "purposes"), the respective amounts of money hereinafter stated as the appropriation for said respective purposes. Said appropriation shall be met from the proceeds of the sale of the bonds authorized and the down payment appropriated by this ordinance. It is hereby determined and stated that the Borough anticipates receiving a grant in the maximum amount of \$210,000 from the County of Bergen to finance the cost of the ADA curb ramp improvements described in Section 4.B hereof. Any of said grant funds received shall be applied as set forth in Section 12 hereof. Said improvements shall be made as general improvements and no part of the cost thereof shall be assessed against property specially benefited.

Section 3. It is hereby determined and stated that the making of such improvements is not a current expense of said Borough.

Section 4. The several purposes hereby authorized for the financing of which said obligations are to be issued are set forth in the following "Schedule of Improvements, Purposes and Amounts" which schedule also shows (1) the amount of the appropriation and the estimated cost of each such purpose, and (2) the amount of each sum which is to be provided by the down payment hereinafter appropriated to finance such purposes, and (3) the estimated maximum amount of bonds and notes to be issued for each such purpose, and (4) the period of usefulness of each such purpose, according to its reasonable life, computed from the date of said bonds:

SCHEDULE OF IMPROVEMENTS, PURPOSES AND AMOUNTS

A. Undertaking of the 2014 Road Improvement Program at various locations, as set forth on a list prepared by the Borough Engineer and placed or to be placed on file with the Borough Clerk. Depending upon the contract price and other exigent circumstances, and upon approval by the Borough Council, there may be additions to or deletions from the aforesaid list. It is hereby determined and stated that said roads being improved are of "Class B" or equivalent construction as defined in Section 22 of the Local Bond Law (Chapter 2 of Title 40A of the New Jersey Statutes Annotated, as amended; the "Local Bond Law").

Appropriation and Estimated Cost	\$340,000
Down Payment Appropriated	\$ 16,200
Bonds and Notes Authorized	\$323,800
Period of Usefulness	10 years

B. Undertaking of handicapped access (ADA) curb ramp improvements at various locations.

Appropriation and Estimated Cost	\$210,000
Down Payment Appropriated	\$ 10,000
Bonds and Notes Authorized	\$200,000
Period of Usefulness	10 years

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Aggregate Appropriation and Estimated Cost	\$550,000
Aggregate Down Payment Appropriated	\$ 26,200
Aggregate Amount of Bonds and Notes Authorized	\$523,800

Section 5. The cost of such purposes, as hereinbefore stated, includes the aggregate amount of \$74,500 which is estimated to be necessary to finance the cost of such purposes, including architect's fees, accounting, engineering and inspection costs, legal expenses and other expenses, including interest on such obligations to the extent permitted by Section 20 of the Local Bond Law.

Section 6. It is hereby determined and stated that moneys exceeding \$26,200, appropriated for down payments on capital improvements or for the capital improvement fund in budgets heretofore adopted for said Borough or heretofore appropriated for down payments or for the capital improvement fund by an emergency temporary appropriation, are now available to finance said purposes. The sum of \$26,200 is hereby appropriated from such moneys to the payment of the cost of said purposes.

Section 7. To finance said purposes, bonds of said Borough of an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$523,800 are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to the Local Bond Law. Said bonds shall bear interest at a rate per annum as may be hereafter determined within the limitations prescribed by law. All matters with respect to said bonds not determined by this ordinance shall be determined by resolutions to be hereafter adopted.

Section 8. To finance said purposes, bond anticipation notes of said Borough of an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$523,800 are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to the Local Bond Law in anticipation of the issuance of said bonds. In the event that bonds are issued pursuant to this ordinance, the aggregate amount of notes hereby authorized to be issued shall be reduced by an amount equal to the principal amount of the bonds so issued. If the aggregate amount of outstanding bonds and notes issued pursuant to this ordinance shall at any time exceed the sum first mentioned in this section, the moneys raised by the issuance of said bonds shall, to not less than the amount of such excess, be applied to the payment of such notes then outstanding.

Section 9. Each bond anticipation note issued pursuant to this ordinance shall be dated on or about the date of its issuance and shall be payable not more than one year from its date, shall bear interest at a rate per annum as may be hereafter determined within the limitations prescribed by law and may be renewed from time to time pursuant to and within limitations prescribed by the Local Bond Law. Each of said bond anticipation notes shall be signed by the Mayor and by a financial officer and shall be under the seal of said Borough and attested by the Borough Clerk or Deputy Borough Clerk. Said officers are hereby authorized to execute said notes in such form as they may adopt in conformity with law. The power to determine any matters with respect to said notes not determined by this ordinance and also the power to sell said notes, is hereby delegated to the Chief Financial Officer who is hereby authorized to sell said notes either at one time or from time to time in the manner provided by law.

Section 10. It is hereby determined and declared that the average period of usefulness of said purposes, according to their reasonable lives, taking into consideration the respective amounts of bonds or notes authorized for said purposes, is a period of 10 years computed from the date of said bonds.

Section 11. It is hereby determined and stated that the Supplemental Debt Statement required by the Local Bond Law has been duly made and filed in the office of the Borough Clerk of said Borough, and that such statement so filed shows that the gross debt of said Borough, as defined in Section 43 of the Local Bond Law, is increased by this ordinance by \$523,800 and that the issuance of the bonds and notes authorized by this ordinance will be within all debt limitations prescribed by said Local Bond Law.

Section 12. Any funds received from private parties, the County of Bergen, the State of New Jersey or any of their agencies or any funds received from the United States of America or any of its agencies in aid of such purposes, shall be applied to the payment of the cost of such purposes, or, if bond anticipation notes have been issued, to the payment of the bond anticipation notes, and the amount of bonds authorized for such purposes shall be reduced accordingly.

Section 13. The Borough intends to issue bonds or notes to finance the cost of the improvements described in Sections 1 and 4 of this bond ordinance. If the Borough incurs such costs prior to the issuance of the bonds or notes, the Borough hereby states its reasonable expectation to reimburse itself for such expenditures with the proceeds of such bonds or notes in the maximum principal amount of bonds or notes authorized by this bond ordinance.

Section 14. The full faith and credit of the Borough are hereby pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and the interest on the obligations authorized by this ordinance. Said obligations shall be direct, unlimited and general obligations of the Borough, and the Borough shall levy ad valorem taxes upon all the taxable real property within the Borough for the payment of the principal of and interest on such bonds and notes, without limitation as to rate or amount.

Section 15. The capital budget is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency therewith and the resolutions promulgated by the Local Finance Board showing full detail of the amended capital budget and capital program as approved by the Director, Division of Local Government Services, is on file with the Borough Clerk and is available for public inspection.

Section 16. This ordinance shall take effect twenty days after the first publication thereof after final passage.

Borough Clerk Worner informed the Mayor & Council Ordinance #939-2014 includes the 2014 Road Resurfacing Program and Ramp Program.

ON THE QUESTION: Councilman Marana stated that he drove around town with Superintendent Jeff Marcason to see which roads should be on the resurfacing program. Mr. Niehoff advised that Riverside Cooperative does not cover sidewalks.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

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Motion by Councilman Shepard, seconded by Councilman Marana to Introduce Ordinance #941-2014 for 1<sup>st</sup> Reading as follows:

**ORDINANCE #941-2014 – AN ORDINANCE TO FIX THE SALARIES, WAGES AND COMPENSATION OF CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE, COUNTY OF BERGEN AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

**BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE  
County of Bergen  
State of New Jersey**

**ORDINANCE # 941-2014**

**AN ORDINANCE TO FIX THE SALARIES, WAGES AND COMPENSATION OF CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE, COUNTY OF BERGEN AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

**BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Northvale, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, as follows:

**Section 1.** The employees herein designated shall be paid up to the annual salaries as follows:

<b>POSITION/TITLE</b>	<b>2013 SALARY</b>
Mayor	5,191.00
Council Members	3,663.00
Borough Clerk	68,641.00
Safety Director	500.00
Election Official	500.00
Clerk Typist	26,205.00
Deputy Clerk	2,266.00
Information Technology Coordinator	6,180.00
Chief Financial Officer	24,720.00
Accounting Assistant	32,401.00
Tax Collector	54,604.00
Tax Assessor	5,000.00
Assistant to Tax Assessor	15,450.00
Planning Zoning Secretary	4,268.00
OEM Coordinator	1,222.00
Construction Code Official	18,935.00
UCC Sub-code Official	8,383.00
Fire Sub-code Official	8,684.00
Electrical Sub-code Official	10,300.00
Plumbing Sub-code Official	7,061.00
Construction Code Technical Assistant	35,323.00
Code Compliance Officer	15,053.00
Code Compliance Secretary	1,375.00
Fire Prevention Officer	17,409.00

Fire Prevention Inspector	8,548.00
Fire Prevention Inspector	9,692.00
Fire Prevention Secretary	1,954.00
Magistrate	24,560.00
Acting Judge	125.00 per session
Court Administrator	35,403.00
Deputy Court Clerk	13,462.00
Recording Clerk	Up to 11.82 per hour
Municipal Court Attendant	Up to 19.06 per hour
Prosecutor	11,907.00
Public Defender	4,662.00
DPW Superintendent	90,839.00
DPW Part-time / Seasonal Worker	10.00 – 15.00 per hour
Recycling Coordinator	3,226.00
Recycling / DPW Secretary	3,451.00
Registrar of Vital Statistics	6,542.00
Deputy Registrar	4,625.00
Board of Health Secretary	2,443.00
Nurse	7,995.00
Pest Control Officer	3,664.00
Senior Center Director	44,004.00
Senior Center Bookkeeper	Up to 12.96 per hour
Senior Center Kitchen Aide	Up to 9.89 per hour
Senior Center – Office Help	Up to 12.90 per hour
Senior Van Driver	Up to 12.93 per hour
Fire Department Engineer	1,862.24

**Section 2.** The compensation of Special Police and School Crossing Guards shall be as follows:

School Crossing Guards - per hour \$ 19.96

**Section 3.** In addition to the compensation set forth in Section 1, each full time employee of the Borough of Northvale shall receive longevity pay as follows:

- 2% of the base annual pay after 5 years of service
- 4% of the base annual pay after 9 years of service
- 6% of the base annual pay after 13 years of service
- 8% of the base annual pay after 17 years of service
- 10% of the base annual pay after 21 years of service

If an employee reaches a higher plateau of longevity entitlement at any time during the calendar year, then said employee shall be entitled to receive the full value of the higher plateau in that calendar year.

Non-contractual employees hired after January 1, 1993 are not eligible for longevity.

**Section 4.** Time in excess of forty (40) hours per week for all full time employees is to be paid at the rate of time and one-half excluding all statutory appointments.

**Section 5.** All full time Borough employees and School Crossing Guards shall be paid bi-weekly, or as determined by resolution of the Mayor and Council.

**Section 6.** Sick leave policies for all employees other than D.P.W. Contract and Police Contract employees are in accordance with Administrative Rules, Regulations and Practices.

**Section 7.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are repealed.

**Section 8.** Salaries, wages and compensation herein set forth shall be retroactive to January 1, 2014.

**Section 9.** This ordinance shall take effect immediately after passage and publication according to law.

ON THE QUESTION: Councilman Sokoloski stated the Ordinance should be changed to read 2014 Salaries.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

#### **HEARING OF THE PUBLIC –**

Mayor Piehler opened the meeting to the public:

**Kathy Brunet, 417 Crest Drive & Daryl George, 405 Johned Road** – Mrs. George informed the Mayor and Council that they have a petition to have the Library reopened. They invited the Mayor and Council to a meeting they are having on May 6<sup>th</sup> at Northvale Public Schools. Mayor Piehler requested that the petition be signed by Northvale residents only. Councilman Sotiropoulos asked if they are looking for a municipal or association library. Mrs. Brunet answered a municipal library.

**Mayor Paul Hoelscher, Harrington Park** – Mayor Hoelscher congratulated Mayor Piehler and also congratulated the Mayor and Council on the budget.

**Bill Bauer, 216 Walnut Street** - Mr. Bauer would like to be put on the Agenda for the next Mayor and Council meeting (special meeting). Mr. Paster stated that he spoke with Mr. Bauer's attorney in reference to Mr. Bauer's request to acquire Borough owned property. Mr. Bauer stated that he would like to discuss it in detail at the next meeting.

**Joe McGuire, 604 Gladys Court** – Mr. McGuire congratulated Mayor Piehler and Council President Marana. He said the Board of Education looks forwarding to working with the Mayor and Council.

#### **MAYOR & COUNCIL REPORTS –**

Councilman Marana – Councilman Marana reported on the revenue for the Building Department for the month of March.

Councilman Sokoloski – Councilman Sokoloski had nothing to report.

Councilman Shepard – Councilman Shepard had nothing to report.

Councilman Sotiropoulos – Councilman Sotiropoulos reported that the 3 new Police recruits are doing well in the Academy. He also reported on the Ambulance calls for the month of March.

#### **BOROUGH ENGINEER REPORTS –**

Mr. Paul Niehoff – Mr. Niehoff reported the Paris/Livingston Streetscape is substantially complete. The Livingston Streetscape Phase 2 should be completed in the next couple of weeks. The Bergen County ADA Ramps should commence in the next couple of weeks pending County approval. The 2014 Road Improvement has been sent to Riverside Coop.

#### **BOROUGH ATTORNEY REPORTS –**

Mr. Gregg Paster – Mr. Paster had nothing else to report.

Borough Clerk Worner stated that Mayor Piehler resigned his Council position effective immediately. The Democratic County Committee has 15 days to submit 3 names to fill his seat.



**HEARING OF THE PUBLIC –**

Mayor Piehler opened the meeting to the public. There being no questions or comments from the public, Mayor Piehler closed the meeting to the public.

**ADJOURNMENT –**

Motion by Councilman Marana, seconded by Councilman Shepard to adjourn the meeting at 8:30 PM.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

STANLEY “ED” PIEHLER  
Mayor

ATTEST:

Frances Weston  
Deputy Borough Clerk

Wanda A. Worner  
Borough Clerk

Approved: May 14, 2014