

MINUTES
Special Meeting of the Mayor and Council
Tuesday, June 28, 2011
7:00 PM

CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER –

Council President Piehler called the meeting to order at 7:05 PM in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building 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 Special 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 Newspaper 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 all in attendance to rise and join him in a Salute to the Flag and then called for a moment of Silent Prayer.

ROLL CALL OF COUNCIL –

Council President Piehler, Councilman Amend, Councilman Marana, Councilman Sokoloski and Councilman Sotiropoulos were present. Mayor Bazela and Councilman Libby were absent.

RESOLUTIONS –

Motion by Councilman Marana; seconded by Councilman Sotiropoulos to approve Resolution #2011-79, as follows:

RESOLUTION #2011-70

Authorizing the Borough of Northvale Tax Collector to Prepare and Mail Estimated Tax Bills in Accordance with P.L. 1994, C. 72

WHEREAS, the Borough of Northvale’s 2011 Municipal Budget has been adopted and the County of Bergen is unable to certify the Borough’s current 2011 tax rate at this time; and

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector will be unable to mail the Borough’s 2011 tax bills on a timely basis; and

WHEREAS, the Northvale Tax Collector in consultation with the Northvale Chief Financial Officer has computed an estimated tax levy in accordance with N.J.S.A. 54:4-66.3, and they have both signed a certification summarizing the tax levies for the previous year, the tax rates and the estimated tax levies for the 2011 calendar year;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Governing Body of the Borough of Northvale, in the County of Bergen and State of New Jersey on this 28th day of June, 2011 as follows:

1. The Borough of Northvale Tax Collector is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and issue estimated tax bills for the Borough for the third installment of 2011 taxes. The Tax Collector shall proceed and take such actions as are permitted and required by L. 1994, c.72 (N.J.S.A. 54:4-66.2 and 54.4-66.3).
2. The estimated calendar year tax levy for 2011 is hereby calculated at \$20,924,725.67. The maximum amount that the Borough will utilize in the preparation of the 2011 estimated tax bills is in excess 105% of the 2010 calendar year tax levy or \$19,793,029.11.
3. In accordance with New Jersey Statutes, the third installment of 2011 taxes shall not be subject to interest until the later of August 10th or the twenty-fifth calendar day after the date the estimated tax bills were mailed. The estimated tax bills shall contain a notice specifying the date on which interest may begin to accrue.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

ADJOURNMENT –

Motion by Councilman Marana; seconded by Councilman Sokoloski to adjourn the meeting at 7:08 PM.

ROLL CALL VOTE: All present in favor.

Council President Ed “Stanley” Piehler

ATTEST:

Wanda A. Worner
Borough Clerk

Approved: August 10, 2011