

**MINUTES OF A SPECIAL BUDGET MEETING OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE
OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LOWER ALLOWAYS CREEK HELD MARCH 1, 2022**

A Special Meeting of the Lower Alloways Creek Township Committee was held on Tuesday March 1, 2022 with Mayor Timothy W. Bradway calling the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

STATEMENT OF NOTICE GIVEN

The Township Clerk read the following statement.

This is a Special Meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Lower Alloways Creek being held in compliance with the "Open Public Meetings Act" N.J.S.A. 10:4-6. To insure the right of citizens to have adequate advance notice of and the right to attend meetings of public bodies at which any business affecting them is discussed or acted upon. Advance written notice of this meeting was given by way of a Special Notice, which was filed with the Lower Alloways Creek Township Clerk, forwarded to the South Jersey Times, posted on the Township's Website and the Bulletin Board in the lobby of the Lower Alloways Creek Township Municipal Building in compliance with said Act.

FLAG SALUTE Mayor Bradway led in the Flag Salute.

ROLL CALL OF COMMITTEE

Present: Mr. Collier, Mrs. Crane, Mr. Palombo, Mr. Venable and Mayor Bradway **Absent:** none

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE:

Also in attendance were -6- (six) members of the Public including, Lewis Fogg, Superintendent of Public Works; Steven Fisher, Fire Chief; Kevin Clour Chief Financial Officer and the Township Clerk, Ronald L Campbell Sr.

NEW BUSINESS:

Motion (Venable, Collier) to approve Resolution 2022-41, a Resolution authorizing Emergency Temporary Appropriations in the amount of \$ 226,500.00.

**RESOLUTION 2022-41
AUTHORIZING EMERGENCY TEMPORARY APPROPRIATIONS**

WHEREAS, the Township Committee of the Township of Lower Alloways Creek does have need of making Emergency Temporary Appropriations to ensure the Function and Services of the municipality until the 2022 Budget is adopted, and;

WHEREAS, *N.J.S.A. 40A:4-20* allows for the addition of Emergency Temporary Appropriations for lawful purposes, for the period between the beginning of the budget year and the date of the adoption of the budget, and;

WHEREAS the Township of Lower Alloways Creek does have need of Emergency Appropriations until the 2021 Budget is finally adopted.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Committee of the Township of Lower Alloways Creek does hereby make the following Emergency Temporary Appropriations:

	S/W	O/E
Purchasing S/W	\$5,000.00	
Administration & Exec S/W	\$6,000.00	
Financial S/W	\$5,000.00	
Financial O/E		\$10,000.00
Audit Services		\$10,000.00
Tax Collector S/W	\$2,000.00	

Tax Assessor S/W	\$2,000.00	
Planning Board S/W	\$1,000.00	
Zoning Board S/W	\$500.00	
Construction Code S/W	\$2,000.00	
Group Insurance		\$100,000.00
Police S/W	\$30,000.00	
Road Dept S/W	\$10,000.00	
Supervision of PW S/W	\$6,000.00	
Sanitation S/W	\$10,000.00	
Recycling S/W	\$15,000.00	
Public Bld & Grds O/E		\$6,000.00
Lunch Program S/W	\$6,000.00	
OTHER EXPENSE TOTALS		\$126,000.00
SALARY & WAGES TOTALS	\$100,500.00	
TOTAL	\$226,500.00	

The motion for Resolution 2022-41, a resolution authorizing Emergency Temporary Appropriations in the amount of \$ 226,500.00 passed a vote of the Township Committee as follows: 4-0

Ayes: Venable, Collier, Crane, Palombo and Bradway

Nays: none Abstain: none Absent: Palombo

BUDGET SESSION

Mayor Bradway asked if any Committee members had questions about the 2022 Municipal Budget and if not we will proceed with finalizing the Capital projects.

Mayor Bradway and the Committee discussed the capital items the different departments had requested and finalized what they would approve as follows:

School - \$ 32,200.00 for an Oven, flooring and computers. The Committee will look into repaving the entrance way to the school.

Fire Dept.- \$ 98,000.00 for Air Packs and Fire Hose

Public Works / Buildings & Grounds - \$ 57,000.00 for HVAC at Leisure Arms Units & Police Dept., re-single Leisure Arms roofs, re-paint pole shed roof and a carport type structure for the Bulk Container at the PW Convenience Center.

Administration - \$ 6,000.00 for three new computers

PUBLIC COMMENT: No one from the public indicated that they wished to make any further comments.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion (Collier, Venable) to adjourn the meeting at 7:10 p.m.

The motion to adjourn the meeting passed unanimously.

Minutes of the March 1, 2022 Special Budget Meeting were approved at a meeting held March 15, 2022

ATTEST:

LOWER ALLOWAYS CREEK TOWNSHIP

Ronald L Campbell Sr. Clerk

Mayor, Timothy W. Bradway