

**TOWNSHIP OF EGG HARBOR
REGULAR PLANNING BOARD MEETING**

August 17, 2015

Planning Board Professional(s):

Solicitor: Christopher Brown, Esq.: (Jennifer Casset, present–left @5:10 p.m.)

Engineer: James A. Mott, P.E., of Mott Associates: (Not Applicable)

Planner: Vincent Polistina, P.P., of Polistina and Associates: (Vincent Polistina, present–left @5:10 p.m.)

Planning Board Deannexation Professional(s):

Special Counsel: Dean R. Marcolongo, Esq. (present)

Special Planner: Stuart B. Wiser, P.P., A.I.C.P., Remington, Vernick & Walberg Engineers (present)

A regular meeting of the Planning Board of Egg Harbor Township was held on the above date, 5:00 p.m., prevailing time, Egg Harbor Township Hall, Egg Harbor Township, New Jersey. The Chairperson opened the meeting by reading the statement in compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act.

Roll Call Taken as Follow(s):

Manuel E. Aponte, V-Chair., arr. @ 5.45. p.m. Mayor James J. McCullough, Jr., * See below
Charles Eykyn, present Peter Miller, Township Administrator, ** See below
James Garth, Sr., Chairperson, present Committeewoman, Laura Pfrommer, present
Frank Kearns, present Daniel Pittaro, Alt. #II, on vacation
Dennis Kleiner, Alt. #1, present-left@5:10 p.m. Paul Rosenberg, 2nd V-Chairperson, pres. Arr.@5:03p.m.
Robert Levy, present-left@5:10 p.m.

***May the record reflect:** Mayor James J. McCullough has recused himself from these hearings. He has sent Atlantic County Freeholder, John Carman, in his place.

****May the record reflect:** Township Administrator Miller acknowledged he was present, however, he advised he would recuse himself from the Egg Harbor Township application since he was presenting the application on behalf of the Township. **May the record further reflect:** Township Administrator Miller is recused from the Deannexation Matter.

PUBLIC HEARING(S):

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| 1 | <u>SD 06-15</u> | Minor Subdivision |
| | Egg Harbor Township | 3801/30.06 & 30.13 |
| | Zone: RG-2, Lot 30.06: 37,019 sq. ft. & Lot: 30.13: 12,532 sq. ft. | Carmel & Citation Drive |
| | water/sewer, project consist of adding 1,873 sq. ft. from | Waiver of Time - Not Indicated |
| | Lot 30.06 to Lot 30.13 no improvements proposed. Pinelands | |

Township Administrator Miller introduced himself advising the application and minor subdivision plan was prepared by Board Engineer, Robert Watkins and was reviewed by Board Planner/Alternate Engineer, Vincent Polistina.

May the record reflect: Board Engineer Watkins and Township Administrator were duly sworn.

Township Administrator Miller advised this application is for a minor subdivision. He advised this parcel was part of the Carmel Subdivision granted by the Planning Board. He advised the storm water basin

has a small pie shaped piece in its rear. The adjacent property owner approached the Township concerning purchasing the pie shaped piece so that they may square off their lot.

Township Administrator Miller stated the Township has no need for the pie shaped area for the basin. He indicated all the lots conform to zoning, however, there are waivers needed. He indicated since it is an existing condition the scale does not meet the plan scale size. He further noted the Township did not perform any typography and we did not use the property datum because the original subdivision was prepared with the old datum. Township Administrator stated no sight triangles easements are associated with the subdivision along its frontage and we do not show any wetlands or buffer areas since the survey did not show where they are and it is an existing condition. Township Administrator Miller stated no easements or protective covenants were produced that restricts the properties because none exist.

Township Committeewoman Pfrommer asked how much will the Township receive for the land. Township Administrator Miller stated the cost of the subdivision and it will be placed back on the tax rolls for assessment.

Motion Kearns/Eykyn to open public portion.

May the record reflect no one came forward.

Motion Pfrommer/Kearns to close public portion.

Board Solicitor Casset suggested that Township Committeewoman Pfrommer recuse herself from this application, since the Township is making the application. Township Committeewoman Pfrommer recused herself from this matter.

Motion Carman/Eykyn to grant requested checklist waivers. Vote 7 Yes: Carman, Eykyn, Garth, Kearns, Kleiner, Levy, Rosenberg

Motion Eykyn/Carman conditional minor subdivision approval. Vote 7 Yes: Carman, Eykyn, Garth, Kearns, Kleiner, Levy, Rosenberg

***May the record reflect:** the deannexation matter is anticipated to begin at 5:30 p.m., until such time the Board Chairman recessed the Board.

Motion Pfrommer/Kearns to recess Board. Vote 6 Yes: Carman, Eykyn, Garth, Kearns, Pfrommer, Rosenberg

Motion Carman/Pfrommer to reconvene Board. Vote 6 Yes: Carman, Eykyn, Garth, Kearns, Pfrommer, Rosenberg

2. Public Hearing: Deannexation petition submitted by the Seaview Harbor section of Egg Harbor Township seeking annexation with Longport Borough.

Motion Carman/Pfrommer to reconvene meeting. Vote 6 Yes: Carman, Eykyn, Garth, Kearns, Pfrommer, Rosenberg

Attorney Doyle advised during Chief Davis' presentation last month he used the word "community" he asked Chief Davis what his definition of community is. Chief Davis stated it is people within a certain geographical area that share certain characteristics based on that geographical area. Attorney Doyle asked what makes Seaview Harbor part of the community that is Egg Harbor Township other than the boundaries created when Longport became a Borough in 1898. Chief Davis stated they are all South Jersey residents in Egg Harbor Township's governmental body. He advised they all share the same services.

Attorney Doyle it has been discussed before that its elements are it is predominately not year round like Egg Harbor Township is, it is predominately older than Egg Harbor Township is, it does not have school children aged and does not have any in the school system unlike the rest of Egg Harbor Township, Egg Harbor Township is on the mainland and Seaview Harbor is exclusively a waterfront community. Attorney Doyle asked do these characteristics not suggested other than the geographical boundary that Seaview Harbor is not part of the Egg Harbor Township small sea community.

Chief Davis stated there are too many assumptions that Attorney Doyle has referenced. Chief Davis stated he has not seen statistical data or published information that would support any of the characteristics that were just outlaid by Attorney Doyle. He advised he has not seen anything drastically different than the rest of the population of Egg Harbor Township. Chief Davis stated he believes Egg Harbor Township has the most coastal boundary than any other community in Atlantic County.

Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if he reviewed the questionnaire placed into evidence by the residents. Chief Davis stated no. Attorney Doyle asked if Chief Davis reviewed any of the reports or documents placed into evidence. Chief Davis stated no, and added he is not sure what was placed in so he may have seen something but he does not know.

Attorney Doyle stated Chief Davis used the term of Big Brother when referring to the Egg Harbor Township Police Department. He asked who is the Little Brother. Chief Davis advised all the surrounding communities. He advised we are bigger than them except for Atlantic City. He indicated this is in terms of the size of the police department only.

Attorney Doyle stated there is a statute that requires every police department to provide certain statistics and for certain statutorily defined seasonal municipalities to provide additional statistics on a different basis. He asked Chief Davis if he aware of this law and if to his knowledge does Longport qualify as one of these communities. Chief Davis stated yes, he is aware and no he does not know if Longport does. Attorney Davis asked if Egg Harbor Township does. Chief Davis stated we do not report this way. Attorney Doyle stated if he were tell Chief Davis that Longport does fit the definition of a seasonal municipality would this reflect on that Seaview Harbor is more akin to Longport than Egg Harbor Township in his judgement. Chief Davis stated no.

Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if he is aware as a result of the hearing and the report that was placed in by him there was an OPRA request made. Chief Davis asked which one. Attorney Doyle advised there was an OPRA request made by DaBek referring to Page 30 (Exhibit B100) of Chief Davis' report. Chief Davis stated yes. He reviewed the OPRA request and the material to be provided on the basis of juvenile information, phone numbers, motor vehicle information, credit card information to make sure it was properly redacted.

Attorney Doyle stated Page 30 (Exhibit B100) indicates how many times Egg Harbor Township provided mutual aid to other towns. He advised this page references Egg Harbor Township helped Longport on 30 occasions between January 1, 2011 - July 1, 2015. Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if he is comfortable that all 30 assist calls were for Longport port. Chief Davis stated no. He advised when he reviewed the call details there were some that even though it was Longport it did not affect Longport it was an assist for someone else that came through. Chief Davis stated there is one, adding he does not recall the date or time, but it is from Teaneck, he advised a jurisdiction in North Jersey called Longport and asked them for assistance in locating someone in Seaview Harbor. He advised Longport had simply advised them to call Egg Harbor Township, so they made no response and transferred to us. He indicated that call for service would not have been for Longport it was a assist for Teaneck, but without looking at the report originally you would not know this.

Attorney Doyle stated there were several calls that did come in from Longport requesting the K-9 capacity that the Township has and one that requested a Spanish interpreter which the Township has and Longport does not. Chief Davis stated yes. Attorney Doyle stated other that the four (4) K-9 calls, one (1) Spanish interpreter call, and the Teaneck call what other municipalities did these calls come from. Chief Davis stated he would have to review what Attorney Doyle has.

Attorney Doyle asked if the incident reports provided by Chief Davis provided a description. Chief Davis stated yes. Attorney Doyle then referenced the information outlined within the Township incident report. He then asked Chief Davis that depending on the town they may have a different type of report based upon software used. Chief Davis stated this is correct. He advised the Township uses the "New World". Attorney Doyle asked if Chief Davis has seen a Longport's detailed incident reports. Chief Davis advised they were sent to him on Thursday evening, but he did look at them. Attorney Doyle stated Longport uses a different service. Chief Davis stated yes, he advised they use "Enforces".

Attorney Doyle advised he was providing Chief Davis with a ledger sheet that provides information from the 30 reports that were suggested by him, outside of Egg Harbor Township. Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo asked if anyone has seen this document before. Attorney Doyle stated no, except for the person who drafted it and himself. He advised it was produced today. Board Solicitor Marcolongo advised was concerned with this being provided at the last minute and that he did not have opportunity to review.

Attorney Doyle stated he had requested Egg Harbor Township Police reports in October and the Longport Police reports he has had for several months but he did not believe he would need them because, as he indicated on the record and was said by Mayor McCullough when we need 911 in Seaview Harbor, which is not often, we call Longport because they are quicker. However, the Chief advised that information as was inaccurate. Attorney Doyle continued that the Mayor of Longport said when it came to first responders for Police, Fire and Emergency Longport did it and the Chief said that was inaccurate.

Attorney Doyle advised when he questioned Mr. Miller and read him Mayor Russo's comment he agreed with and it was part of the mutual aid relationship that govern the two (2) municipalities. When the Chief was advised of this he stated it was inaccurate. Attorney Doyle stated he was surprised of the Chief's testimony and he went back and look at the reports. He indicated to Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo that they compiled information from the reports, 1,028 pages, to the degree they answered a priority or non-priority call from Seaview Harbor not 152.

Attorney Doyle stated he is not trying to surprise anyone. He then referenced information not provided by Mr. Miller before his testimony or from the public works director. He indicated he did appreciate receiving the information from the Fire Chief before the meeting, however, did not have the Fire Chief. He further noted he began asking for Chief Morris' report in February, however, it was not received and then to his surprise and everyone else's Chief Davis ended up testifying. Attorney Doyle stated he did not intend to provide this information. He indicated it was based upon the report Chief Davis submitted concerning the 30 calls that advised Egg Harbor Township provided mutual aid to Longport. Attorney Doyle stated all he is providing is information of these 30 calls.

Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo stated during this process Attorney Doyle has addressed that he wanted this to be fair and we have provided as much information as possible within a reasonable time period. Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo stated by way of an OPRA request Attorney Doyle had received 30 incident reports and he has no problem if Attorney Doyle wants to question Chief Davis on all 30 of the reports if he likes. But to go by a summary of a document created by someone, who the board does not know, that has no foundation and we do not know what the statistical information is.

Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo stated to Attorney Doyle to question Chief Davis from the incident reports if he would like, but not a summary. Attorney Doyle stated he will not and he wants the sheet in. He indicated the sheet is not an analysis and is not edited. Attorney Doyle advised he intends to introduce this into evidence. Attorney Doyle then referred to the 200 to 300 of incident reports that he received between Longport and Egg Harbor Township advising if he provided copies to the Board it would be tens of thousands of copies and to get this process to an end more difficult. He advised this sheet provides information in an easy manner.

Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo stated he believes what Attorney Doyle indicated, that this sheet will expedite the process of the Chief, is disingenuous. He advised there were over 1,028 pages of documents from Longport and this sheet was printed in November, 2014, which is over nine (9) months. He advised it could have been presented with Attorney Doyle's affirmative presentation than being presented now.

Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo asked the Chairman for a recess.

Motion Kearns/Eykyn to conduct recess.

Chairman Garth announced for the record that Board Member Aponte arrived during the recess of the Board.

Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo stated he has spoken with Attorney Doyle and he will be submitting for identification purposes only a document called "Mutual Aid calls provided by EHT to Longport" from information provided by EHT per an OPRA request reporting period 1/1/11 – 7/15/15". Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo stated Attorney Doyle will be questioning Chief Davis regarding this summary. He indicated he has not have an opportunity to see the document prior to this evening or to review the information to determine if it is accurate. He advised it may be marked into evidence at a later date, after he has had an opportunity to review. Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo continued that it is regarding the OPRA request that was made by Mr. DaBek and it is as to the 30 incidents listed in Chief Davis' report as to mutual aid to Longport.

Attorney Doyle stated the compilation are of significant documents and they are as accurate as humans can be. He indicated the context is based upon specific data that was made available to them just recently. He advised he accepts for the moment it will be marked for identification only and will be reviewed by all. He also noted there are ledger sheets for five (5) other areas, such as priority calls responded to in Seaview Harbor by the Egg Harbor Township Police Department, priority calls responded to by Longport Police Department and some of the incidents were report to by both police departments. He advised there are also non-priority calls responded to by the Egg Harbor Township Police Department in Seaview Harbor, non-priority calls responded to by the Longport Police Department in Seaview Harbor and then to the degree a number of non-priority calls there was a call into Egg Harbor Township Police Department and the Egg Harbor Township Police Department in a number of those, about a third, did not, based upon the events in that particular incident arrive, though dispatched or at least called, which created a separate sheet.

Attorney Doyle stated they are an accurate compilation of the information that was taken from the report. Attorney Doyle stated he will go forward with this questioning other than the six (6) compilations he would like marked. Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo advised he has the same concerns with the other compilations Attorney Doyle has described. He further noted he has only reviewed two (2) other documents. Attorney Doyle advised the two (2) documents received were for Longport Police Department.

Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo marked S124 (for identification purposes) compilation regarding the 30 reports that were discussed by Chief Davis at the last meeting and based upon the 30 incident reports that had been provided to petitioners via an OPRA request. He further suggested Chief Davis pull out the 30 incident reports that he believes he has present this evening in order to assist him in answering Attorney Doyle's questions.

Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if he has made any effort to find out what the concerns of the residents of Seaview Harbor were other than those discussed with Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo concerning police services. He then read into the record Page 6 of the transcript from July 28th, 2015 meeting concerning this issue, thereafter, Attorney Doyle asked if Chief Davis read any of the minutes from the previous meetings or if he had spoken to the residents. Chief Davis stated no.

Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if he looked at any specific police records or reports. Chief Davis stated in reference to this hearing he noted yes. Attorney Doyle asked what reports were looked at. Chief Davis stated he reviewed the detailed calls for service in Longport. He stated most of the time was spent on the 1,100 reports that were sent late last week from Longport. Attorney Doyle asked what reports were looked at that were generated by Egg Harbor Township's Police Department. Chief Davis advised he reviewed the 30 that were used for the assist call for service. He again noted the assist for calls for service that is used to assist the police department and the Longport zip code and to do the rest of them they used zip codes for those jurisdictions to complete the slide. Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if by going through all 30 of those were rendering assistance to a police department other than the Egg Harbor Township. Chief Davis stated yes.

Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis as the Emergency Management Coordinator what is his role. Chief Davis stated as the Emergency Management Coordinator he would be in charge during times of storms, major catastrophes, or emergencies. Attorney Doyle asked if a Hurricane or an evacuation from a Hurricane such an event. Chief Davis stated yes. Attorney Doyle asked if a map has been prepared to advise people where to go in the event of an evacuation. Chief Davis stated yes. Attorney Doyle than

handed Chief Davis a map and asked, as the Emergency Management Coordinator, does this represent the Hurricane evacuation map as promulgated by the County, as he knows it to be. Chief Davis stated it appears to be. Attorney Doyle had marked Exhibit S125 Atlantic County, NJ Hurricane Evacuation Map.

Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo asked who created this document. Chief Davis stated the County published but not sure if they created. It may have been FEMA. Attorney Doyle advised there are five (5) zones on map. He asked which zones are Egg Harbor Township. Chief Davis advised Egg Harbor Township is two (2) zones. He advised Zones 2 and 3. Attorney Doyle asked where do West Atlantic City, Seaview Harbor, Anchorage Poynte, and Sea Village Marina, which is Zone 2, go during evacuation. Chief Davis stated they come inland as do the other zones. Attorney Doyle asked if this is another characteristic between Seaview Harbor and the mainland of Egg Harbor Township. Chief Davis stated they all have to evacuate west. He advised they have to move away from the water.

Attorney Doyle asked as the Emergency Management Coordinator than he has no particular responsibility in the area of Fire and Ambulance services. Chief Davis stated no. Attorney Doyle stated on Page 8 (Exhibit B100) of the Chief's report there is a vision statement. Attorney Doyle stated this is new it did not exist prior to February 1, 2015 when he became Chief. Chief Davis advised it is his vision statement, he wrote it, and it is where he sees the direction of the Police Department going for the future.

Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis to apply what he said personally in the vision statement as a response to the concerns of heard of raised by the people of Seaview Harbor. Chief Davis stated he does not delineate the residents in Seaview Harbor and the residents in Egg Harbor Township. He advised this vision statement is for the entirety of the Police Department itself leading the members of the organization as to where we are going into the future. He indicated that benefits all the residents of Egg Harbor Township equally. Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if he sees his role and function to ensure that police services are provided equally to all the citizens of Egg Harbor Township including Seaview Harbor. Chief Davis stated as equitable as possible.

Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis what he sees is the difference between equal and equitable. Chief Davis stated equal is 1 to 1 and equitable may be 1 to 2. He indicated it is not exactly the same but close. Attorney Doyle asked what would be the difference of it not being 1 to 1 for a particular section. Chief Davis stated the lack of calls of service in an area. He stated the nuances of police calls for service are original to the call itself. He stated there are similarities but there are different nuances to each call. He advised nothing is the same. Attorney Doyle asked if distance could be one of the factors between being equal and equitable. Chief Davis stated there are too many factors. He advised the distance is 6.6 miles but there are other places in the Township that are further. He advised the State Legislature does not take a municipality and say to be fair it has to be in squares and it has to be every 2 square miles because everyone has to be equal distance from wherever the location is going to be. He stated it is difficult to use distances as a criteria.

Chief Davis further noted that our neighbor Hamilton Township is the largest municipality area wise in the State and it is over 124 square miles and 124 sq. miles and they service it with a police department with less than Egg Harbor Township. Attorney Doyle asked if the availability of neighboring police forces to provide mutual aid on a more frequent basis in the difference between equal and equitable. Chief Davis stated again, this is difficult. He stated how far is too far. When you are speaking of distance. Is it a mile, two miles. He advised three miles in an urban jurisdiction could be very far and time consuming to get too. Where three miles here may not be at all. He advised it is difficult to say. He advised within

Egg Harbor Township we are lucky. He stated we sit in the heart of Atlantic County with 15 jurisdictions and not all of them have Police Departments that surround and we can draw upon the mutual aid when necessary to assist our public. He stated he sees nothing wrong with calling upon Longport, Margate or Pleasantville, Linwood, Somers Point, Northfield, Absecon, Hamilton Township, Galloway, Atlantic City, Ventnor to draw upon their resources to better serve the residents of Egg Harbor Township.

Attorney Doyle stated there has been testimony before the Board concerning distances. He advised this testimony includes the distance between the Longport Police Department and Seaview Harbor is just under a mile and can be made in 2 minutes. He asked Chief Davis if he could find any fault with these numbers. Chief Davis stated it sounds like it is possible. Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis concerning this hearing and discussion concerning the ability to provide services this was not checked. Chief Davis stated he did not.

Attorney Doyle then referred to Page 9 (Exhibit B100) of Chief Davis' report titled Motto and Goals. He advised Chief Davis mentioned "to provide policing services in a fiscally responsible manner". Attorney Doyle asked if having the Longport Police Department respond on numerous occasions to Egg Harbor Township calls is a part of this. Chief Davis stated yes.

Attorney Doyle stated there was mention of EMD Dispatchers. He asked what an EMD Dispatcher is. Chief Davis stated they have to be certified as to how they handle a medical call. Attorney Doyle asked if the Township's Communications Center instructs to provide EMD's. Chief Davis stated they receive their initial certification through courses that are held by the State. He indicated we have to have trainers that can train in this ongoing in our dispatch center. Attorney Doyle asked if the Township communications center is there an EMD for Egg Harbor Township's purposes. Chief Davis stated they are for everyone. He indicated the dispatcher center is for Linwood, Northfield, Egg Harbor Township and will be for Longport. He advised in order to handle a 911 call for a medical emergency you do need an additional certification.

Attorney Doyle asked if he makes a 911 call and advised his 83 brother fell and broke his leg what does the 911 dispatcher do with that call given its medical nature. Chief Davis advised they would have to follow their EMD card medical protocol that comes through the State and go step by step on what to do. Chief Davis then explained a medical call is a different dispatching. He stated it is the same center but there are different protocols for dispatching as there is for the police department. He stated Egg Harbor Township Police Department is the primary law enforcement agency that services Seaview Harbor and the Longport Boulevard area. He indicated there are different protocols in place where you would have to speak to the EMS Coordinator and for Fire.

Attorney Doyle stated he makes the phone call. He hits 911 call and he is in the Egg Harbor Township/Longport area and it is after the shared service agreement goes into effect. Who picks up the call. Chief Davis stated it comes here. Attorney Doyle stated he tells the person who asks "where's your location" the location and tell them the issue. What does the dispatcher do. Chief Davis asked as far as dispatching units. Attorney Doyle stated yes. Chief Davis stated again, you would have to check with the EMS Coordinator on what EMS is going to take primary responsibility for that call in the Seaview Harbor area. He stated he is not sure if it is Egg Harbor Township that is dispatched first for an ambulance or if it is Longport or Margate.

Attorney Doyle asked as the Police Chief, who runs the Police Department of which the communications center is part and is bragged about within the report, you do not know what happens to that call. Chief

Davis stated he does not set the protocol for the EMS responses. He stated the EMS Coordinator Chief does. He advised if he has worked out a situation with a neighboring jurisdiction to send an ambulance from Longport because it will be a quicker response than his department going there so that is what would happen. He advised judging from looking at some of the reports it does appear that's the case that is occurring but he cannot tell Attorney Doyle definitively what the protocol is because sometimes you see an R15, which is our ambulance going. He advised there are some designations within some of the reports that Attorney Doyle sent to him referencing A30 or C30, which he can only assume are medical or fire units from Longport or another jurisdiction. He stated he does not know

Attorney Doyle stated he thought after 27 years on the force he thought this would be a simple question particularly for someone that worked up the ranks to be the Chief. He further noted he did not say that the call came from Longport. He stated it could be Fire Road or Seaview Harbor. He just wants to see what happens. Chief Davis stated if it is Seaview Harbor he does not know if he is sending Egg Harbor Township EMS first. Would have to check with him. He indicated if it is on the mainland, in this area, then Egg Harbor Township ambulance service will be going. He advised if they are not able to go because they are on another call they mutual aid. He advised they would go to another jurisdiction's ambulance service and depending upon where it is at, again, he does not know the protocol, so if it is a call on the western portion of the Township do they call Hamilton Township, he does not know how it is broken out for the ambulance service squad.

Attorney Doyle stated he was just looking for the preliminary question. The person who answers the phone, do they switch to another dispatcher who has a medical certification. Chief Davis stated no. He advised all the Township Dispatchers have a medical certification.

Attorney Doyle then asked Chief Davis to go to the page within his report entitled Communications Center 2014 calls to PSAP (Page 19; Exhibit B100). He asked what PSAP stands for. Chief Davis stated it stands for Primary Safety Answering Point. Attorney Doyle stated the calls to Egg Harbor Township's 911 total 24,880 for that year. He asked what does "EHT 5200" mean. Chief Davis stated 927-5200 is the non-emergency line into the Township. Attorney Doyle asked what "EHT Lobby" mean. Chief Davis stated this is the phone in the front lobby. He indicated after 4:30 p.m., when the building is closed people will come to the front lobby and pick-up the phone to ask for service. Attorney Doyle stated if he adds up these three (3) numbers there were 92,174 calls.

Attorney Doyle asked if there are any other way to call Egg Harbor Township and receive police services other than these numbers. Chief Davis advised there are other numbers but they are non-published and internalized and not for the public.

Attorney Doyle asked when people go into contract with an alarm company how does the alarm company get through. Chief Davis stated the alarm company would call through the 911 center. Attorney Doyle based on your previous testimony you make an effort to get people to use 911 instead of the 5200 for emergency correct. Chief Davis stated yes.

Attorney Doyle asked the NF 911 is the Northfield and Linwood 911. Chief Davis stated yes. Attorney Doyle stated there are also the LW 5252 and NF 3122 which are the non-emergency numbers for Linwood and Northfield, as well as, both having lobby phones. Chief Davis stated this is correct. Attorney Doyle stated while reviewing this information it appears that one quarter of the Egg Harbor Township calls come through on 911. He asked if this means 25% is true emergencies or there are more and not enough people are using 911 when they should be. Chief Davis stated his is correct. He

indicated there are more people using the 5200 because they know it or they are used or they have it programmed into their home phone. He indicated not all the 5200 are non-emergency and not all the 911 calls are necessarily an emergency. He advised without looking through all these calls he would be unable to tell what the percentage is.

Attorney Doyle stated if you review Linwood and Northfield calls even less than 25% are 911 calls. He indicated he is trying to figure out what effort is being made to get people to use 911. Chief Davis stated every year in April it is National 911 week and we put out information about using 911. He advised it includes information about using 911, advising this is information they should know when you are ready to call 911, such as where you are and what is the emergency. Chief Davis stated this information is placed on our social media. Attorney Doyle presented a two (2) page document to Chief Davis. He asked if Chief Davis recognized this. Chief Davis stated yes. He advised this is copy of the Township web page where 911 is discussed. This two (2) page document was marked as Exhibit S126 Web Page of Egg Harbor Township Police entitled "911 where is your emergency".

Attorney Doyle stated this information references 911 is to be used in emergencies not for request for services. He then read a portion of this exhibit onto the record concerning not wasting time and to call if you believe help is needed. Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if this is accurate. Chief Davis stated yes. Attorney Doyle then read a portion concerning every second counts and asked Chief Davis if this is accurate. Chief Davis stated yes and it is accurate if it is a life and death situation. He advised most things are not going to be this way.

Attorney Doyle continued reading from Exhibit S126 asking Chief Davis what is the difference between calling 911 on a landline versus a cell phone. Chief Davis stated he previously explained this. He stated it depends upon where you are. Your call will hit a cell phone tower and the cell systems themselves will refer the call. He indicated even though it may be Seaview Harbor depending upon the service provider it may go to Margate and then Margate would send to us. Attorney Doyle stated he was looking at how the Township responds. He asked if the Township responds any differently to a 911 call coming in by cell. Chief Davis stated no.

Attorney Doyle advised previously Chief Davis advised location is important. Should someone have an emergency and they have a Longport mailing address and they said Longport as to where they are would it matter in the response. Chief Davis stated no. He indicated if they said for example they are at 32 Seaview, Longport we would know they are in Egg Harbor Township we would pass by the Longport. He indicated the reason why a lot of cell phones have the enhanced 911 system within it so it will provide the latitude and longitude so it will tell us where that person is. He indicated the reason why they ask where is your emergency is because they are trained to do so and they want to verify your location. Attorney Doyle asked does it matter if the phone call comes through on 5200. Chief Davis stated what matters to us is if the caller expresses a need for service and what that need is and the location for it. He advised once this is established we can ascertain what they need and where we can send it whether it is from a landline or a cell phone regardless if they call either 927-5200 or 911 it is not going to matter. He stated what matters is the location that they are at and what the emergency is so we can respond appropriately. He advised this is whether it is police, fire, EMS or all three (3) or if it has to be transferred to another jurisdiction because it is not Egg Harbor Township.

Attorney Doyle asked when the new shared service agreement goes into effect. Chief Davis advised he believes it is October 1, 2015. Attorney Doyle asked if someone from Longport made a 911 call from a landline where would it go today. Chief Davis stated it would go to Longport. Attorney Doyle asked

what about from a cell phone. Chief Davis stated the nearest service provider available. Attorney Doyle asked after October 1st, and they call by a landline to the old Longport Police Department number where would it go. Chief Davis stated it will come to us. Attorney Doyle asked if you get a call from Northfield does it automatically send a response from Northfield. Chief Davis stated yes. Attorney Doyle asked if the call comes from Linwood does it automatically send a response from the Linwood Police Department. Chief Davis stated yes. Again, he emphasized he is discussing police. Attorney Doyle asked if it came from Longport it would go automatically to the Longport Police. Chief Davis stated on October 1st the call will come here and we will dispatch a Longport Police officer to it.

Attorney Doyle asked if dispatch a Longport Police officer does the dispatcher have a screen that tells them who is available. Chief Davis stated yes. Attorney Doyle stated the dispatcher who is handling Northfield, Linwood, Longport and Egg Harbor Township will have a screen that will tell them where the police cars are for all four (4) municipalities are. Chief Davis stated it is not set up that way. He advised you will not have one (1) dispatcher for four (4) jurisdictions. He advised it will be separated up. Chief Davis advised at this point he cannot advise if Longport will be independent. He advised it probably will not be. He advised they will probably have a dispatcher assisting another jurisdiction. He advised this is going to be based on need. He advised if there is a major incident in Longport there will be more dispatchers that will be able to divert and assist. He indicated currently they only have one (1) and if that dispatcher is overwhelmed they have no one to turn to. Chief Davis advised here there will be three (3) to four (4) others that will immediately be able to assist with other fire units for mutual aid, EMS Units or Police.

Attorney Doyle asked how many dispatchers are present at a given time. He advised he understands seasonally, time of day, and events may make a difference. Chief Davis stated there would be three (3) to five (5). Attorney Doyle asked if they are assigned geographically. Chief Davis stated they would be assigned by the Town. He explained in Egg Harbor Township we have the New World CAD system and Northfield shares that CAD system, but they have an independent version of New World also. He indicated Linwood has Enforces and Longport has Enforces. Therefore, there will be two (2) CAD's running out of there for those situations. He advised how this is going to be set up is still in the works. He advised we are looking at how to best serve the four (4) communities.

Freeholder Carman asked if Attorney Doyle will be showing the relevance to the questions and testimony provided because he is not seeing it. Attorney Doyle stated it is fundamentally important for the people who made the petition to understand how they are going to be served. He advised the residents have testified the services they have relied upon have come from Longport and now there is a new situation. He advised they filed the petition because the situation worked to their social detriment. Now we have a system that Longport's calls are going to come into Egg Harbor Township. He advised the residents had the option, though the Chief advised the resident's to take the number down, to call the Longport Police Department.

Attorney Doyle stated they have reports that say on average we have the slowest response times for priority calls of any of the sections mentioned. He advised they have reports from the Longport Police Department that show the average response time and the median response time is a fraction of what the Egg Harbor Township response time is. He indicated when we are confronted with all these negatives we are into a new system where Egg Harbor Township is going to decide when a call comes in from Seaview, as the Chief said that's our call and we are going, we want to know if they are going to go even if it takes 3 or 4 times as long. So to find out the answers of what is going to happen in the future

and this petition governs what will happen in the future, though it is based upon the existing facts, he cannot think of anything more relevant.

Freeholder Carman stated questioning the training of the dispatchers and how they dispatch other calls and whether they are certified medically. He advised all of this he does not see the relevance to for the matter at hand. He advised maybe if he missed the point he apologizes.

Board Member Aponte stated the new system is anticipated for October 1, 2015. Chief stated this is correct. He advised it could be sooner but the target date is October 1st. He advised it is a work in progress and he is not sure how the dispatchers will be assigned. Attorney Doyle then read onto the record page 119 of the transcript from last month's meeting where Chief Davis testified. He then asked since there is no set criteria for whom is sent and we do not know how this will change. Chief Davis stated he would believe it will be enhanced. He advised right now if a Seaview Harbor resident erroneously calls Longport because this is the service they are calling from Longport Police. Longport is advising they called the wrong place and to call Egg Harbor Township or they will transfer the call to us or Longport will call the police department cells and advise we just received this call, this is what is going on and they are going.

Chief Davis stated what will happen now is that it is all coming to the same location so the dispatcher will receive the call from a resident in Seaview Harbor who has erroneously called Longport and they will be sitting next to the Egg Harbor Township dispatcher so the Egg Harbor Township dispatcher will immediately know. There will not be a time delay of calling us or transferring to us, the people will be in the same room and a quicker determination as to whether or not we are going to ask Longport to go.

Chief Davis stated it is a quality of service issue. He advised there are more alarms calls in Seaview Harbor than any other calls in Seaview Harbor. He advised frequently we will request a Longport response just to determine if something active is going on and if there is a problem. He advised we will follow-up with the response. He indicated at times they may call us off by advising there is no problem, it is confirmed false, or the response comes back to use from the alarm company saying we can cancel the call. He advised the Township would then cancel the call from anyone responding. He advised in this case when it is all coming into the same room it will speed up the communication. So again, if someone from Seaview Harbor erroneously calls Longport it is going to immediately come into here and the dispatchers will be in the same room.

Attorney Doyle stated if presently, before October 1st, they call Longport in which you thought is the erroneous decision not to call 911. Chief Davis stated it is not what he thinks. It is what it is the erroneous decision. If you need police services you are calling the wrong police department. They should be calling Egg Harbor Township. He stated we will determine whether or not there is an immediate assistance that is needed or we will be coming. He stated if there is something immediate for their protection, their safety and we feel is immediate we will request the assistance from them unless our person happens to be in that area. He advised if his patrolman is there or close to the area than he will go otherwise they may request the assistance of the people of that community.

Attorney Doyle stated Chief Davis indicated if a Seaview Harbor resident calls the Longport number, not 911. The Longport Police Department would say we got this call. We are on our way, but we want you to know it. Chief Davis stated they would call us, let us know they received this call. We would be notified and will respond and they will often at times go.

Chief Davis stated there are calls for service that Attorney Doyle sent out were Seaview Harbor people called Longport and Longport advised they would have to call Egg Harbor Township, he advised there are times when the call was transferred to us and other times when the dispatcher called us and advised us of what was coming in. Attorney Doyle stated there were often times when the Longport Police Officer went, after having told Egg Harbor Township, and arrived a number of minutes before the Township did or before the Township came out at all. Chief Davis stated this is correct.

Attorney Doyle asked if Chief Davis quantified these calls or reviewed the differences of how many happen this way or how quickly you responded. Chief Davis stated he looked at the 1,100 pages of calls presented by Attorney Doyle and he broke them down but he did not do an analysis. He advised he did not have enough time. Attorney Doyle stated he would look at the Seaview Harbor person as a consumer, who based upon past experience, bought what they thought was better product by calling the Longport Police Department rather than calling the Egg Harbor Township police department at either 911 or their number. Now that person will be calling the sole provider of the service, which is Egg Harbor Township who will make a judgement who made that call.

Chief Davis stated he is not sure what Attorney Doyle is saying. He indicated you have an erroneous caller from Seaview Harbor making an erroneous call for police services to Longport. Attorney Doyle stated to the Chief it maybe an erroneous decision, he indicated this is the past, they decided they could receive quicker service from Longport than Egg Harbor Township and all they are interested in is quicker service. Attorney Doyle stated now if he makes that same judgement it does not matter because they will get one source of a responder and that is Egg Harbor Township.

Chief Davis stated it is erroneous to think you are going to call Longport and get quicker or better service. He advised he could just as easily, if you called 911 or 927-5200 and you get an Egg Harbor Township call for service that there is an Egg Harbor Township officer in that area that could reach them just as quick or if not quicker. He stated there are examples of this that have been thrown about in these OPRA request and reports that have come through that Egg Harbor Township is there before Longport Officer comes there to assist.

Chief Davis stated it is an erroneous assumption that closer is quicker and better. He stated he would dispute this. He advised he is proud of his police department and they provide an excellent service to these people and we will continue to do this. He advised the having the enhancement of Longport to insist on calling Longport because it is quicker and better. Attorney Doyle asked if a Seaview Harbor person calls either the 5200 or 911 does the dispatcher know at that time where the nearest police officer bet it Egg Harbor Township or Longport where they are physically located.

Chief Davis stated no. He advised depending upon where they are physically located depends upon their availability. He advised typically there are only two (2) Longport police officers on the road and if they are tied up at their station, or one (1) is in court and the other on a prison run there would be no one available. He indicated he could just as soon have someone at this police department, right now, be the closest available police unit to service Seaview Harbor.

Attorney Doyle asked if the dispatcher knows this at that spontaneous moment on who to send. Chief Davis stated the area car, Area 5, would be sent. He indicated this was referenced within his presentation. He indicated if the dispatcher receives a call for that area and that unit is available they will send that unit. He advised depending upon the emergency itself, if it is only police, we are sending our police officer. Chief Davis stated if it is something that we believe we need assistance or a quicker

response would be helpful they may or may not, depending upon the need and the supervisor asking, having Longport respond in addition to us. Attorney Doyle asked if the dispatcher knows where the Longport Police Department, two (2) cars, are at the moment that call comes in and they understand the nature of the call. Chief Davis asked now. Attorney Doyle stated no after October 1st. Chief Davis stated yes, they will know whether or not they are available. He indicated if the two (2) officers are working in Longport you will have their status as to whether or not they are available, whether or not they are on another call, and if so what the call is and where it is. He advised one may be at a motor vehicle stop and the other is available. He stated what their protocol is for dispatching their units will be up to Chief Culmone and how they wish to have that response. He advised he is not sure if they split Longport in half or if they do it together because it is a smaller location. He does not know. Attorney Doyle asked if has spoken with Chief Culmone about this yet. Chief Davis advised not about that particular issue yet.

Attorney Doyle stated without being repetitive. He asked if they have a screen to show where the car is. Chief Davis stated the Township does not have AVL in our cars and he does not believe Longport does either. Board Member Rosenberg stated he believes the last line of questioning is comparing apples and oranges. When you have someone calling for a product from a catalog versus someone who is participating in a government administrative program.

Attorney Doyle in an emergency you respond to your personal need to want it and want it right now. He indicated his clients have the right to make sure if a service is needed concerning the public health, safety and welfare for their family or themselves they have a right to know that that is going to be produced as well as possible. He indicated that is not to fault the Chief, the Egg Harbor Township police department or the dispatching services. Attorney Doyle stated it is nice to know that when that call comes in and how that decision is made and when the Chief stated there is no set criteria for them responding before us and that is now but now we are going to be in a post shared service agreement situation.

Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if a call comes in post October 1st, will a dispatcher, without a map seeing where the available cars are be able to make a competent and informed judgement as to how far away the Area 5 car is or whether the unused Longport car is closer. Chief Davis stated no and they do not know that now because neither of the cars have AVL in them. So to say where the exact location is for any of the cars is not going to be available unless AVL is available in the cars. Chief Davis further noted we are exploring and he is considering having AVL in the Egg Harbor Township cars, however, he is not convinced on doing this because we have to consider data storage, retention periods, money and cost effectiveness to weigh the benefit of doing this as oppose to the expense and putting that feature in a vehicle.

Board Member Rosenberg stated he believes the Chief's question answered his question. Attorney Doyle stated he believes it was a legitimate line of questioning and the analogy in order to obtain the best service and you are in an area where you have been given service by both municipalities. Board Member Rosenberg stated he believes premise is flawed. He indicated if we took example further if someone from the Township closer to Absecon called Margate police department because they feel Margate is a better service and then Margate responds to the center of Egg Harbor Township without notifying Egg Harbor Township that is a violation of jurisdiction and that is the difference between a private enterprise and a government.

Attorney Doyle stated he is not looking for someone to violate jurisdictions. He then asked Chief Davis if to his knowledge has the Longport police department, in its operation over the years he has been

familiar with it, violated Egg Harbor Township's jurisdiction and how it serves the people of Seaview Harbor when called upon. Chief Davis stated after looking at the reports Attorney Doyle sent. He does have a question as to whether or not they were responding without notifying us first and that would be a problem, yes. Attorney Doyle asked if he has brought this issue up with Chief Culmone. Chief Davis stated again, he has been swamped with 1,100 pages in the last two (2) days, as well as, a police department to run, so no. He advised he did reach out to him today, but did not have contact with him. So the answer is no he has not.

Attorney Doyle stated if the dispatcher cannot make a judgement and does not have the AVL but knows they have an available somewhere in A5 and somewhere in Longport. He asked if the dispatcher will send the Egg Harbor Township police officer. Chief Davis stated yes. He further noted depending upon the need, the priority of the call it would be up to the supervisor as to whether or not to request assistance from Longport to go. Chief Davis used as an example if a call came in for a stolen bicycle we will send the Area 5 car and we would not call Longport to ask them. He stated an alarm call at the house that is not whether related we may call and asked them to assist us depending upon where the Area 5 car is. He stated if the Area 5 car is at a motor vehicle stop at Ocean Heights and English Creek and they will clear in a minute or two (2) the supervisor may request to Longport to at least go and do an initial assessment to make sure there is nothing imperil there and we would send our car out also.

Chief Davis stated and again, there is a quicker response and a better service for the citizens of Seaview Harbor. He indicated if it is a non-emergency call, non-pending, non-in-progress call we would not call Longport in to go we would go to it ourselves. Attorney Doyle stated it is 3:00 a.m. in the morning and I live on Sunset and there is a party going on that is loud and ruckus and I call and say my wife is eight (8) months pregnant and it is difficult. He asked who goes. Chief Davis stated we would go and we may request Longport to go and assist also in case it is not a party and something else.

Chief Davis stated he does recall in the mountain of paperwork that he received two (2) similar calls. He indicated one (1) advises Longport goes out and does not see anything and our car continues out there and locates the party. Speaks to the party goes and has the party deceased. He indicated we mitigate the reason for the call and Longport missed it. Attorney Doyle asked when the Egg Harbor Township police went out on the call didn't you find the party had already moved indoors and might have so because of the Longport police department. Chief Davis stated not from the comments in the case. He advised the Longport case states UTL which means Unable to Locate. The Egg Harbor Township officer locate the party and it moved inside. So whether or not it moved inside prior to him responding there or he assisted in it moving inside based upon his presence and talking to them that he is uncertain because he is only going off the comments on something that happened years ago, however, that corresponding call from Longport states UTL – Unable to Locate.

Attorney Doyle stated the Chief indicated from the reports he looked out actions from the Longport police department that he thought was beyond their jurisdiction. This was by looking at incident reports filed by the Longport police department or the Egg Harbor Township police department. Chief Davis stated it was a combination of all. He stated he saw several times where he would have to question whether or not they responded being requested to do so, which would be improper to do. Attorney Doyle asked if this improper because it violates a statute or regulation. Chief Davis stated it would be in violation of the mutual aid statute title 40A: He advised they would need a request from us to take police action or assist us in that area.

Attorney Doyle asked if Chief Davis is suggesting the mutual aid statute requires each individual call to be specifically authorized by the police department of the home police department. Chief Davis stated it would have to be a request for assistance. He advised that does not necessarily make it each and every call. He advised there could be a standing request for assistance. He stated in some of them, again, there is a mountain of them, he does recall questioning why they went to them. He stated there is a call that came in for District 15 notified, which is us and we are responding. He indicated there is a back and forth notification to us, a request for approval, request them to go to it or actually Egg Harbor Township is requesting we go to it and we will be in route. He stated there is a couple that are lacking those comments and trying to interpret another departments police cases from years and years ago it is a difficult thing, but that is a question he does recall having on a few of them that there was no notification to Egg Harbor Township prior to their response.

Attorney Doyle stated the Chief has been a police officer in Egg Harbor Township since 1987 and a senior officer since. Chief Davis stated 2000. Attorney Doyle asked from what was observed in the reports, which were from January 1, 2011 through June 30, 2014. Was there a pattern different than what you knew existed between 1987–2011. Chief Davis asked what is meant by pattern. Attorney Doyle stated with his service through the Egg Harbor Township police department from 1987 to 2010 was the Chief aware how Egg Harbor Township and Longport responded to events on the Seaview/152 area.

Chief Davis stated it would be the Egg Harbor Township Police to go and if we needed assistance we would call Longport to assist. He advised if it happened on the causeway to the Ocean City Bridge we would call the Ocean City and if it was by Anchorage Poynte or Graef's Boat Yard we would call Somers Point. He advised we would call any of these neighboring jurisdictions to assist us based upon the nature of the call that we are responding to and again trying to keep that quality of service.

Attorney Doyle asked in those days if a Seaview Harbor person called Longport directly. What was his understanding or knowledge of what Longport police department would do in response to that call. Chief Davis stated notify us and lend availability for assistance if needed. He stated this has not changed. But again looking at some of the reports, the mountain of them, it does not say District 15 notified or advised of their response. He stated it just calls him to question if this is what is occurring on occasion that some is taking that call and going then telling us after the fact or not telling us at all.

Attorney Doyle asked if Longport police department got a call that seemed to be to them in their professional judgement a significant emergency, such as those falling within the 14 issues mentioned within Chief Davis' priority calls, unless they got a specific O.K. to go from Egg Harbor Township. Chief Davis stated if they got the call and they called us and it is the nature of what Attorney Doyle is saying we know they are going and we will go together. He indicated this is different than not telling us and providing a service or telling us after the fact. Attorney Doyle stated what if they are leaving where they are, to go there, and calling the Township that they are on their way and then the Township can make the judgement is this unacceptable. Chief Davis stated we could then make the judgement. He advised what is unacceptable is if they were to get a call for service in the Seaview Harbor area, the marina or the Boulevard or anywhere and they went and provided that service without telling us beforehand even if they were minor.

Chief Davis stated the ones he is speaking of were minor in nature, which are not in the petition area, but motor vehicle accidents on the Boulevard where they will set out to. He indicated they do respond and assist with this because we do not know if there is any injuries and any assistance they can provide,

even just calling back to us, advising tow trucks, there are injuries. He indicated that is fine because they are telling us they are going we did not tell them no and in that situation we would not tell them no. He advised we gladly accept that assistance for the betterment of those people.

Attorney Doyle stated there were 12 priority calls that were responded to by the Longport police department in the Seaview Harbor area in the time period previous mentioned that the median response time was 21 seconds. He indicated they could be there faster than Egg Harbor Township picking up the phone. Chief Davis advised out of the 2 calls they fit the criteria if you are comparing apples to apples. He indicated they are the same criteria we applied to the 16 calls and he sees five (5) of them where the average response time for the Longport police department was 11 minutes and 31 seconds.

Attorney Doyle stated the comments on their reports as to why they went advised Egg Harbor Township does not have units available. Attorney Doyle then began regarding the notations from other reports such as Egg Harbor Township requested assistance, Egg Harbor Township has no available officers. Chief Davis stated if Attorney Doyle provides him a case number he will be able to advise exactly what it was. He indicated again, if we are going to compare response times we need to do so with the same methodology as he did with the 16 calls. He indicated it would not be fair to do so otherwise.

Attorney Doyle then referred to Case #2 advising it occurred on September 19, 2013. Chief Davis stated this is solicitors to Egg Harbor Township going door to door but the comment is Longport checked the area noting SOW which is Sent on their Way subject in question. He advised as Chief of Egg Harbor Township we do have a Peddler's License and I would have wanted our officers to do a follow up to identify the people, but there is an individual's information put into this call so we do know at least one of them. He advised he then received the companion case in Longport from Attorney Doyle. He advised Longport had a call in their own jurisdiction with the same peddler's at their location. He indicated they had already stopped them, identified and told them to move on their way. So he understood at that point why Longport had SOW and Egg Harbor Township did not go because there is a companion case in Longport in which they were already out with these people in their town.

Attorney Doyle asked if the Longport police call the Township before they responded. Chief Davis stated yes, because there is a comment on the Longport one that says EHTPD called back asking us to go they do not have units available. He indicated they have the companion case in their town and at the same time handled the peddler's in our town. Attorney Doyle stated their time between dispatch time and arrival time was 1 second. So when did they call. Chief Davis stated this Longport's response call for their jurisdiction. So they may have called out to these people because they saw them so the 1 second response time may be accurate. He advised he is not taking this as a response time for Egg Harbor Township, but a response time for their town. Attorney Doyle asked if Egg Harbor Township went to this call. Chief Davis stated no and he was questioning it. He stated he would have preferred out officer follow it up, but then he read the companion case for Longport and they were out with them in their own town.

Attorney Doyle stated this is listed as a suspicious person call that fits Chief Davis' criteria as a priority call. Chief Davis stated yes, however, he also indicated even though it is a call for service for a suspicious person the situation may not call for it to be a priority and in this situation it was not. He indicated Longport already had the people in their town. Attorney Doyle asked how the dispatcher, if this were to happen again, know if a suspicious person not a priority call. Chief Davis stated by the information provided by the caller. He indicated in this instance Longport is telling us they were in their town. He advised this is what he interprets from reading these two (2) reports. He advised Longport has them

and it is not a priority for us to go out there the sent them on their way and identified them. Chief Davis continued by saying they must have provided us with the information because we have one of the name of one of the individuals.

Special Board Planner Wiser asked what TCO means. Chief Davis stated it means Taken Care Of. Attorney Doyle stated he sees something constantly referenced as Unit Timer Expired. He asked what does this mean. He sees this in the reports constantly. Chief Davis he advised it is a safety check to check on the officers.

Attorney Doyle then referred to Case #8 dated July 14, 2014. Chairman Garth asked if this information concerning S124. Attorney Doyle stated no. Attorney Doyle stated he is referring to a suspicious noise complaint. Chief Davis stated this is case is a noise complaint of party not a suspicious. He advised this is a different call to service. He indicated a noise complaint of a party is not a suspicious call. He advised there was another one he was referring to previously where there was yelling and screaming. Attorney Doyle stated regardless if it is a priority or not the information Longport was given to take the call was because Egg Harbor Township had no officer's available. He asked if this is accurate. Chief Davis stated he would say it is.

Attorney Doyle asked if Chief Davis has any idea how frequently a call comes in from Seaview Harbor and the response is Egg Harbor Township has no officers available. Chief Davis stated no. He indicated, however, just based on the reports given by Attorney Doyle it appears that it is less than 4% where Longport assisted us on the calls. Attorney Doyle stated then 96% of the calls provided by him to Chief Davis was handled exclusively by Egg Harbor Township. Chief Davis stated he is not sure if he would say exclusively because others could show up. He indicated what he did to go apples to apples he looked at the 65 reports that he gave as non-priority and he looked all the calls regardless of the time in the area. He advised there were 1,498 cases where we responded to calls in that area.

Chief Davis stated as opposed to the 65 and out of the 65 he only saw seven (7) that were Longport matched the criteria that we used. He further noted of the 65 many were motor vehicle stops and they were Longport motor vehicle stops but used the Boulevard as the address. He indicated whether or not it was ultimately stopped on the Boulevard the infraction occurred in Longport. So they were answer Longport calls and Longport traffic duties. He indicated the response time is -0- because it is officer initiated so it skewed their number to be lower because he found it disingenuous to have reports noting 1, 2, or 3 second response time to things where it would take you more than 1, 2, or 3 seconds to cross the bridge.

Chief Davis stated so without the officers sitting in front of a house, or their ambulance or fire truck those response times would be inaccurate and skew the numbers does. He advised when you remove the officer initiated calls and use the same methodology we used it comes out to be 11 minutes and 39 seconds for non-priority calls and for the seven (7) that fit the criteria for priority calls it was 6 minutes and 16 seconds and for us it was 3 minutes and 42 seconds. He indicated this gets into the numbers he advised this is 7 calls of some 1,500 calls of the traffic enforcement that we do out there and the property checks and so than our response time is now -0-, so it brings the number down.

Attorney Doyle stated if he understands Chief Davis after reviewing all the reports Longport on non-priority calls, as defined by the Chief, in an apples to apples mix took 11 minutes and 39 seconds on priority calls and it took 6 minutes and 16 minutes on non-priority. He indicated the comparisons for Egg Harbor Township based on Attorney Doyle's methodology for the 1,498 calls and the response time

was 3 minutes and 38 seconds for non-priority calls. Again, this was based on the time period of January 1, 2011 through June 30, 2014 based on the same methodology Attorney Doyle used for the 65 calls.

Chief Davis stated the priority calls he has for Egg Harbor Township, which totaled 113 was 7 minutes and 44 seconds was the average. He indicated this is the entire Boulevard not just the fishing area because there were accidents and other things that occurred not just in the petition area. He stated that is the entire boulevard. He indicated there were accidents on the boulevard. When he reviewed the 2 documents given they were not in petition area. Some were longport calls and were not eht and were on boulevard.

Attorney Doyle stated the calls the Chief Davis refer to are both outside of Seaview Harbor and along Route 152 in the numbers provided. Chief Davis stated he looked at things Attorney Doyle provided him such as the non-priority 65 and other at 12 for priority calls. He indicated they were all not in the petition area. He indicated some were out on the Boulevard, some were Longport calls that were not even Egg Harbor Township at all. Attorney Doyle asked which were not Egg Harbor Township's calls. He advised there was an accident with injuries on Longport Boulevard, the peddlers that were previously discussed. He indicated it was a companion case with Longport and would affect the response time. He advised the response time was -0- for Longport because they came across the people in their town and about the same time we receive the call and they are already in Longport so he indicated this is a -0- response time because it is an officer initiated call in their own town as a quicker response than Egg Harbor Township would give is erroneous.

Attorney Doyle asked if all officer initiated calls be removed from the records. Chief Davis stated he did do this because we provided citizen calls for service meaning we took out officer initiated calls. We are getting citizens calling asking for service and these are the categories that we are using as a priority. Chief Davis stated one of the calls on Attorney Doyle's priority had a response time of 2 seconds is Longport advising us of a noise complaint at the marina at a dock. Attorney Doyle asked if that is on October 13, 2012. Chief Davis stated yes. He indicated the dispatcher opens up documents that they took the call and passes it to us. He indicated this is a 2 second response time that is added into Longport's response time to Egg Harbor Township but they never went to this. Attorney Doyle asked if Egg Harbor Township went and if an incident report was issued. Chief Davis stated yes. He then read from the report Longport called, all quiet on the dock.

Attorney Doyle asked if this was a non-priority call. Chief Davis stated it would depend how the call came in. He indicated screaming yes it would be. Music not necessarily. Attorney Doyle stated so between January 1, 2011 and June 30, 2014 there were 1,498 calls that came out of Seaview Harbor. Chief Davis stated no. It was Longport Boulevard. Again, he did apples to apples when he had seen Attorney Doyle's list that included outside Seaview Harbor. So he did the same and it was over 1,498. Attorney Doyle stated we tried to eliminate because in your first presentation you made a point regardless what happens with the petition you will still have Route 152. So he purposely sought to eliminate that in their efforts.

Attorney Doyle asked if you eliminate Route 152 from the 1,498 calls how many would be just Seaview Harbor. Chief Davis stated priority he provided previously. He advised the non-priority he would have run. Attorney Doyle agreed that the number of priority calls was 16. Attorney Doyle stated as he looks at Page 44 (Exhibit B100) the average response time from January 1, 2011 to July 1, 2015 is 11 minutes and 45 seconds. He asked how does this square with a response time of 3 minutes and 42 seconds for priority and non-priority was 7 minutes 44 seconds.

Chief Davis stated non-priority was 3 minutes 42 seconds and priority was 7 minutes 44 seconds. He advised the calls pointing to Page 44 was specifically for Seaview Harbor not the Boulevard, Anchorage Poynte, or Ocean Drive. He indicated if you look at the same response time for Longport when they came over the border for the same calls it was 11 minutes and 39 seconds.

Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if he listed or charted in his analysis of these calls they provided what was priority or not priority. Since numbers are being cited. Chief Davis stated what he had done was take Attorney Doyle's chart, pulled each of the reports in order and reviewed them for any inconsistencies and to get an understanding of what they would be, and then he looked for the corresponding cases in Egg Harbor Township. He advised he then matched them up to get a better picture of what the call was.

Attorney Doyle asked if there were always corresponding cases in Egg Harbor Township. Chief Davis stated there are calls for service for Longport that is their call, but is listed on your report as Egg Harbor Township and it is not. He provided for example, he noted there was an EMS call for an elderly woman who needed assistance and the Township had nothing with it. He advised it said nothing about District 15. He indicated he was questioning it and then he saw the caller was from 1 something 16th Street within an apartment in Longport. He advised he thought this was odd. Chief Davis stated he looked her up and it is Seaview Condo in Longport. He indicated this was their call and they went to it. We have nothing to do with but it is listed as part of their response time and how quick they get to Egg Harbor Township.

Attorney Doyle asked if this is the 98 year old woman whom broke her leg. Chief Davis stated there were a number of elderly woman listed. He indicated he believes her name was Helene Cincotti. Chief Davis also advised he did not know there was a Seaview Condo in Longport but there is and this explains why there are property checks in Seaview with a -0- response time because the officers are going to Seaview Condo doing a property check in their own town and it is calculated into the response time saying look how good they respond and it is actually for their own town.

Chief Davis stated there are also motor vehicle stops on Longport Boulevard. He advised there are infractions occurring in their town. He indicated how he knows this is because they are arresting them and taking them back and processing them under their own jurisdiction court for DWI, a warrant arrest or whatever it happens to be. Chief Davis stated they are just stopping that car but he cannot tell from the information whether it is on their side of the bridge or if they went over the bridge and stopped them in Egg Harbor Township, however, either way it would be irrelevant because it is Longport doing Longport business.

Chief Davis stated this does not affect us but again a -0- response time because the officer is initiating call goes into the facture of play to their response time, which he stated he did not do when he prepared ours. He advised he eliminated property checks and motor vehicle stops. Chief Davis provided an example indicating Egg Harbor Township did 257 motor vehicle stops in the area of Longport Boulevard between January 1, 2011 and June 30, 2014. He advised our response time was -0- because the officer called them in.

Chief Davis continued by stating property checks which took a couple seconds. He advised we did 662 property check, however, he is hearing over and over that Egg Harbor Township police officers are never there but we were there 662 just providing property checks. Attorney Doyle asked for a property check

is a detailed incident report filed. Chief Davis stated if it is called in, yes, there would be. He indicated if they are just on normal patrol and went out to the boulevard and drove through Seaview Harbor and did not call in no there would not be. He advised if the officer says "put me out on property check Seaview Harbor" whether it is a specific residence, the marina or another location than yes there would be and it would dictate the date and time that they were out there.

Attorney Doyle asked what is a property check. Chief Davis stated how citizens in Egg Harbor Township including Seaview Harbor will call in and advise they are on vacation or they will be away and can they have a property check on my house. He advised we will have a specific location for officers to go out and check on. He advised they do this as a service to the residents.

Chief Davis stated on one of the cases we were doing a property check at the residence and we found an open door and Longport assisted us on it. So the response time was -0- for us and longer for Longport to come out and help us. Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if there was nothing wrong why was Longport called in. Chief Davis stated it was an open door at the house and he was going to check the house and he would not want him to do this alone.

Special Board Planner Wiser stated he would like clarification. He asked Chief Davis on Page 44 (Exhibit B100) the average response time for Egg Harbor Township is referenced as 11.74 minutes and that after Chief Davis settle the methodology that the Longport police had a similar response time to Seaview Harbor. Chief Davis stated the 11.74 is fractional but it is about 11 minutes 45 seconds and when he did PC calls for service with the information that was given to him on the calls it would be 11 minutes and 39 seconds. So it is about 6 seconds before us. Attorney Doyle then questioned Chief Davis concerning his calculation. Chief Davis then provided explanation concerning his calculation advising Attorney Doyle he based the calculations on the information he had supplied. He advised he removed from the list Attorney Doyle provided him one case that Longport did not respond to and another that was specifically a Longport case.

Chief Davis stated he compared the same calls for service that he had listed. He further noted he eliminated any calls less than 2 minutes was eliminated from our response time because it is either officer initiated, which eliminates the 1, 2, 3 second calls and it eliminates the happenstance that the officer just happened to be there. He indicated they also took out an out layer of 20 minutes because that is usually an error in some manner. Usually they failed to put the person in response. So they were taken out. He advised with methodology we end up with the same cases for calls for service and come up with an 11 minute 39 second average. Again, he was trying to do the comparison equal.

Attorney Doyle asked anything less than 2 minutes was eliminated. Chief Davis stated yes. He indicated it comes from the crime analysis and her justification as to why is that you are going to eliminate the ones that it is the officer initiating the call and you do not have really have response time. He indicating we are looking for the citizen calling in and asking for service on priority items. Attorney Doyle stated the property checks were relatively a short period of time. He indicated, however, he saw at least one or possible more that were better than an hour at 3 a.m. in the morning. Chief Davis stated he would have to review this one to see why they were out there longer than an hour.

Attorney Doyle asked if the report says nothing other than officer initiated and the officer got there at 2:45 a.m. and left at 4:02 a.m., does it make sense and there is no description other than that. Chief Davis stated it could be that the officer had taken a break, which he doubts, because it was property check or someone failed to clear him from that call and he left earlier than what he actually did. Chief

Davis stated this is based on the limited information that he has. . Doyle: rather than make it later on and appreciate the work he has done and will refine what is done and will be done and will not be at the next meeting and would be sharing each other as to how we refine the numbers and will figure out. Attorney Doyle stated he appreciates the work done by the Chief and it will help refine what we have done in order to make an apple to apple comparison. Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo indicated Chief Davis will not be present at the next meeting of the Board. He advised he had hoped the Chief would be finished tonight, but it is obvious this will not happen. He advised he is having Mr. Stauffer and Mr. Winker come to the next meeting because both are available that evening and he does not want to juggle the schedule so Chief Davis will have to be brought in another evening.

Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if he is required to keep statistics on the UCR type of crimes. Chief Davis stated yes. Attorney Doyle asked why these calls were not used for the priority calls and the non-priority calls. Chief Davis stated the calls for service were a broader base than the limited criteria that you need for UCR. He advised the UCR is very specific on what constitutes a type of crime. He indicated we did not have homicides or others.

Attorney Doyle mentioned how much would be lost to the department if the petition was granted and the boundary line was to be changed. He indicated it was mentioned \$175,000.00 to \$200,000.00 would be lost. He asked how this figure was derived. Chief Davis stated he had indicated in the first session that he had asked Peter Miller what the tax base would be if we were to lose Seaview Harbor and what was the tax implication would be to us. He advised based on that figure, which he believes is 100 million, 17% of that tax dollar would come to Egg Harbor Township and out of that percentage 35% would go towards the police department and this is how he came up with the estimate.

Attorney Doyle stated at one point it may have been 100 million but he hopes after Mr. Costello testifies we will have what the ratable base is in Seaview Harbor after all the tax appeals have been decided, but he believes it is more in the 97 million dollar area. Attorney Doyle continued that the tax rate has been struck for this year and he believes the municipal rate is \$.53. He stated it would be his understanding the beginning point would be \$.53 times the lost ratable.

Attorney Doyle continued by asking where the 35% for the police come from. Chief Davis stated traditionally the police take up 35% of the municipal budget. Attorney Doyle stated he reviewed the 2015 budget and the overall expenditures were 38 million and the police budget was about 9 million dollars, which is 24.5% of the budget. Chief Davis stated without reviewing he does not know if this number includes salary and wages and operations and expenditures.

Chief Davis further noted he is not sure what the other departments are seeking so he would be unable to verify the fraction of what is requested with the overall budget. He indicated in past years he was a bureau commander and his request were forward to the previous Chief's whom incorporated his request into the overall police budget. He indicated he was appointed on February 1st and he is not sure what the process was for that budget when submitted. He indicated again, he is not sure whether it would it is 25% or 35% he is going off the information he was provided and if it is 35% it would mean it was \$175,000.00 to \$200,000 dollars.

Attorney Doyle then provided his calculations advising he comes up with a number of \$131,000.00. Attorney Doyle however, noted that Chief Davis is treating this as it is an automatic loss of money. Attorney Doyle advised this is not really accurate because he believes Chief Davis would fight for what he could get based upon what you needed. Chief Davis stated if we are going to lose that 100 million or

96 million dollar tax base he indicated that would be a significant loss in contraction to every department. He advised whether or not he can win the battle and shave off a little and save he would do this but there is no guarantee. Chief Davis stated if there is going to be a contraction this significant in his budget of six (6) figures. He would have to contract the services he gives to everyone in Egg Harbor Township.

Attorney Doyle stated when you say 100 million dollars, but it is actually \$512,00.00 in taxes on a Township wide budget of 38 million dollars and this equates to 3.1% advising if there were no off setting revenue's it would be all but 1.3% of their budget. Attorney Doyle stated this does not take into account a new revenue source that is more than the police loss that is assumed. He asked where is the dispatch money going, the \$290,000.00. Attorney Doyle asked if this has to be discussed with Township Administrator Miller. Chief Davis stated yes. However, we do have to hire communication staff and some of this will go to salary and wage(s).

Attorney Doyle asked how many dispatchers does the Township have currently. Chief Davis stated there are 14 spots and currently there are 12 and there are two (2) supervisory spots with one (1) that is vacant. Attorney Doyle asked if the vacancy is based upon budgetary concerns or they have not found the right person. Chief Davis stated it was through attrition and we are in the process of filling.

Attorney Doyle asked what was the highest manpower in the police department. Chief Davis stated for officers it was at 101 in 2007. Attorney Doyle asked if there was a request in 2006 or 2007 for an increase to the force that he is familiar with. Chief Davis advised he say probably. Attorney Doyle asked if the population was less then what it is presently. Chief Davis stated the last census was 2010 and the difference between 2007 and 2010 he would not know.

Attorney Doyle asked how many police officers are currently authorized. Chief Davis stated there are currently 84, plus five (5) Class II officers. Attorney Doyle asked how many do you currently have. Chief Davis stated we have 92. Attorney Doyle asked if the 92 include SLEO's. Chief Davis stated he says no. Attorney Doyle asked for how long has the 92 been authorized. Chief Davis stated he would have to review the records as to when this was settled, however, he believes it has been a couple years.

Attorney Doyle stated so the Township has been operating for several years economically, efficiently, and satisfying the call, as he understands it, with less than what is authorized. Chief Davis stated yes. Board Member Aponte asked what an SCO is. Chief Davis stated it is a special law enforcement officer. He indicated they are not full time officers, however, we do have one (1) that is full time but he does not have the full protections of a regular police officer. Chief Davis added on Wednesday this individual will be appointed as a full time officer. He indicated the others supplement us with administrative calls and court security.

Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if the people with the force, the administrative staff, the dispatching or anyone associated with the police in Egg Harbor Township a resident of Seaview Harbor, to his knowledge. Chief Davis stated he does not believe so. Attorney Doyle do you have to live in town in order to be on the force. Chief Davis stated no. Attorney Doyle stated in the presentation Chief Doyle mentioned the volunteers in policing. He asked to his knowledge are any of the volunteers a resident of Seaview Harbor. Chief Davis stated he does not believe currently, but he does not know if anyone in the past was. Attorney Doyle stated Chief Davis mentioned a series of events that take place such as career day, mini-police academy, Memorial Day, National Night Out, Guns and Hoses softball, Shop with a Cop, and crime watch meetings at various areas. He asked if any of these happen outside of the mainland.

Chief Davis stated Shop with a Cop does. He advised this occurs in Hamilton Township. He asked Attorney Doyle what the others were so he could look at them again.

Attorney Doyle stated there was testimony to indicate the Longport Police Department uses beach and has so for certain exercises dealing with water issues that could be a police issue. He asked if the Egg Harbor Township Police Department used the beach for any police related activities. Chief Davis asked if it is Longport's beach. Attorney Doyle stated no, Seaview Harbor. Chief Davis stated not that he is aware of.

Attorney Doyle asked if Deannexation was granted what difference would it make in how law enforcement impacted the citizen in the rest of Egg Harbor Township Davis stated they would see a corresponding retraction of services because we have that loss of revenue base. He indicated the loss of the budget, equipment, loss of manpower and the structure of the police department in order to efficiently operate. He indicated the priority is going to be to answer the priority calls and unfortunately some of the nicer things that we do and services we provide would have to contract on and it would affect everyone.

Attorney Doyle asked other than revenue is there any difference in law enforcement for the citizen who lives around the corner from Town Hall or anywhere else on the mainland. He advised the only thing that Chief Davis has expressed a concern about, respectfully, is that you would lose revenue. He stated other than that. Chief Davis stated it is has a trickle down affect. He advised the loss of the revenue, has a contraction to the services to everyone and it is going to affect everybody because we are going to have to concentrate more on priority issues and less on community issues.

Attorney Doyle stated this is if you treat the revenue loss as a guarantee. He advised the ultimate budget is decided by the Township Committee and Chief Davis cannot predict how much they are going to budget to him in 2016, can he. Chief Davis stated with reasonable certainty he would say it would be close to what he had unless Egg Harbor Township losses a significant tax base and then we would have a significant reduction. He indicated if things were to stay relatively stable than he would reasonable expect would be relatively stable and he could plan ahead to the future to continue to service the public.

Chief Davis stated if things were to start to contract and he believes in his prior testimony you have an expectation of a community that when the economy goes down we all feel it. He stated when there are businesses there is an expectation they will fail, flourish, start, grow, or come and go. He advised this is an expectation of living in a community and goes back to Attorney Doyle's question previously about community. He stated what you don't expect is a member of the community, another portion of the community, to leave. He advised at one time it was all Egg Harbor Township and the last shuffle was in 1905 so it has been 110 years since anyone has left.

Chief Davis stated there is an expectation that the boundary lines, property lines are set. He indicated as a citizen of Egg Harbor Township and a public servant of the Township he would not expect a portion of town would back their bags and leave and the rest of us would be left having to deal with the repercussions of that. He advised there are repercussions we will lose a community and the taxes that come in with that community. But there will be a retraction of services across the board.

Attorney Doyle asked Chief Davis if he knows how many homes are in Egg Harbor Township. Chief Davis stated off the top of his head he does not have the figure. Attorney Doyle stated it is roughly 15,000 of

which Seaview Harbor is 92 or 6th tenths of 1%. He asked if this is a big chunk. Chief Davis stated yes, because of the tax base and the ramifications. He stated take any 100 home neighborhood and have it move. He indicated it will have an effect on our town and it will not be for the good.

Attorney Doyle stated if you take a WalMart that comes into town with a 40 or 50 million dollar ratable does that mean you will have more police necessarily. Chief Davis stated he would hope so, however, there will be other departments also seeking money. He advised he will make his case than but we have been waiting for this for a number of years, so it is not a guarantee, in order to say the petitions alright because we may have WalMart in a year or two (2).

Attorney Doyle stated he is not trying to have Chief Davis say the petition is alright because he knows he cannot, but it is the same as trying to question the future. He stated Chief Davis is not sure if the plusses or the minuses will outweigh each other or what the result will do specifically to his department. Chief Davis stated for the future no but obviously he can say a loss of a neighborhood.

Chairman Garth stated it is 9:00 p.m. and he asked Attorney Doyle complete his questioning shortly. Attorney Doyle stated he can finish this line of questioning but he is not finished with Chief Davis completely. Chairman Garth stated he understand this. He is just referencing tonight. Attorney Doyle stated he is done.

Chairman Garth asked how many residents from Seaview Harbor are permanent residents that have no residence someplace else. Attorney Doyle stated he does not have that number off hand. He advised he can ask the residents to provide this number. He indicated he knows when the questionnaire went out it was not answered by all of the 92 homeowners the numbers were roughly 57% non-full time and 43% full time. He indicated that was based upon roughly 75 responses out of the 92.

May the record reflect: Attorney Doyle and Special Board Solicitor Marcolongo discussed the document S124 and if it is applicable. Attorney Doyle stated based upon the comments referenced by Chief Davis this document may be revised and presented at a later date.

Motion Rosenberg/Eykyn to carry public hearing to Tuesday, August 25, 2015, 5:00 p.m., prevailing time. VOTE 7 Yes: Aponte, Carman, Eykyn, Garth, Kearns, Pfrommer, Rosenberg

SUMMARY MATTER(S):

SECTION I: Discussions of matters pertaining to the Board:

A: General public discussion: Motion Rosenberg/Aponte to open public portion

May the record reflect no one came forward

Motion Rosenberg/Eykyn to close public portion

Motion Rosenberg/Pfrommer to approve special planning board minutes of February 23, 2015. Vote 6 Yes: Carman, Eykyn, Garth, Kearns, Pfrommer, Rosenberg – **1 Abstention:** Aponte

Motion Rosenberg/Eykyn to approve regular planning board minutes March 16, 2015. Vote 6 Yes: Carman, Eykyn, Garth, Kearns, Pfrommer, Rosenberg – **1 Abstention:** Aponte

Board Secretary Wilbert went over the meeting dates with the Board for September, 2015 as the 21st, 29th and 30th. She advised these dates were already approved and set by the Board. She then advised the meeting dates for October, 2015 would be the 6th, 7th beginning at 7:00 p.m. and ending at 10:00 p.m., 19th, and 27th.

Motion Pfrommer/Eykyn to approve October, 2015 meeting dates as referenced. Vote 7 Yes: Aponte, Eykyn, Garth, Kearns, Pfrommer, Rosenberg

Motion Rosenberg/Eykyn to adjourn at 9:14 P.M. VOTE 7 Yes: Aponte, Eykyn, Garth, Kearns, Pfrommer, Rosenberg

Respectfully submitted by,

Theresa Wilbert, Secretary