

BOROUGH OF ALPHA

1001 East Boulevard Alpha, New Jersey 08865

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Borough of Alpha Municipal Building Tuesday, May 10, 2016 – 7:00pm

- 1. Call to Order: Open Public Meetings Notice-Mayor Craig S. Dunwell
- 2. Prayer & Salute to the Flag
- 3. Roll Call:

Mrs. Grossman, Mr. Pettinelli, Mr. Preiss, Ms. Ronan, Mr. Schwar and Mr. Seiss

4. Public Comment:

4a: Bid Opening: Farmland Lease

- 5. Ordinances:
 - > ORDINANCE 2016-8 (1st Reading)

BOROUGH OF ALPHA ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF ALPHA AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING CODE SECTION CHAPTER 403 WATER AND SEWERS

> ORDINANCE 2016-5 (2nd Reading)

BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING AN APPROPRIATION OF \$750,000 FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS IN AND BY THE BOROUGH OF ALPHA, IN THE COUNTY OF WARREN, NEW JERSEY AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$600,000 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE BOROUGH FOR FINANCING PART OF THE APPROPRIATION.

> ORDINANCE 2016-6 (2nd Reading)

BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING AN APPROPRIATION OF \$1,000,001 FOR WATER UTILITY IMPROVEMENTS IN AND BY THE BOROUGH OF ALPHA, IN THE COUNTY OF WARREN, NEW JERSEY AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$950,000 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE BOROUGH FOR FINANCING PART OF THE APPROPRIATION.

> ORDINANCE 2016-7 (2nd Reading)

"CAP" ORDINANCE TO EXCEED INDEX RATE FOR THE YEAR 2016 (N.J.S. 40A: 4-45.14)

6. Resolutions:

> RESOLUTION 2016-80 Public Hearing/Adoption BUDGET

> RESOLUTION 2016-82

PREMIUM RETURN TSC #15-00014

> RESOLUTION 2016-83

LIEN REDEMPTION CERTIFICATE #15-00014

> RESOLUTION2016-84

LIEN REDEMPTION CERTIFICATE #15-00005

> RESOLUTION 2016-85

PREMIUM RETURN TSC #15-00005

7. Approval of Minutes:

Regular Meeting:

Executive Session:

Unreleased Approved Executive Session Minutes:

8. Department Reports:

Administration – Councilman Peter Pettinelli

Finance - Councilman Michael Schwar

Health & Welfare - Councilwoman Kathleen Ronan

Public Property – Councilwoman Tracy Grossman

Public Safety – Councilman Thomas Seiss

Public Works - Councilman Jack Preiss

Agenda-Continued

9. Committee Reports

10. Professionals & Officials Reports:

Mayor - Craig S. Dunwell

Police Department-Chief Faulborn

Fire Department -Sean McDyer

Emergency Squad

Office of Emergency Management- Hunter Stagg

Attorney – Christopher Troxell

Engineer – Frank J. Seney

Sewer Engineer – Jim Hill/John Ross CFO- Charles Daniel Municipal Clerk – Laurie A. Barton Recycling Coordinator – Thomas Fey Code Enforcement –Thomas Fey Library Board – Louis Cartabona

- 11. Public Comment:
- 12. Payment of Bills and Claims
- 13. Old Business:
- 14. New Business:
 - Approval of Pavilion Permit: Jaymie Fives on June 18th w/alcohol
- 15. Executive Session

16. Adjournment

Executive Session may be called anytime prior to adjournment.

The public may be excluded for the following reasons as stated in the Open Public Meetings Act, NJSA 10:4-12:

- (1) Any matter which, by express provision of Federal Law or State statute or rule of court, shall be rendered confidential or excluded from the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act.
- (2) Any matter in which the release of information would impair a right to receive funds from the Government of the United States.
- (3) Any material the disclosure of which constitutes an unwarranted invasion of individual privacy such as any records, date, reports, recommendations, or other personal material of any educational, training, social service, medical, health, custodial, child protection, rehabilitation, legal defense, welfare, housing, relocation, insurance and similar program or institution operated by a public body pertaining to any specific individual admitted to or served by such institution or program, including but not limited to information relative to the individual's personal and family circumstances, and any material pertaining to admission, discharge, treatment, progress or condition of any individual, unless the individual concerned (or, in the case of a minor or incompetent, his guardian) shall request in writing that the same be disclosed publicly.
- (4) Any collective bargaining agreement, or the terms and conditions which are proposed for inclusion in any collective bargaining agreement, including the negotiation of the terms and conditions thereof with employees or representatives of employees of the public body.
- (5) Any matter involving the purchase, lease, or acquisition of real property with public funds, the setting of banking rates or investment of public funds, where it could adversely affect the public interest if discussion of such matters were disclosed.
- (6) Any tactics and techniques utilized in protecting the safety and property of the public provided that their disclosure could impair such protection including any investigation of violations or possible violations of the law.
- (7) Any pending or anticipated litigation or contract negotiation other than in section 4 herein in which the public body is, or may become a party. Any matters falling within the attorney-client privilege, to the extent that confidentiality is required in order for the attorney to exercise his ethical duties as a lawyer.
- (8) Any matter involving the employment, appointment, termination of employment, terms and conditions of employment, evaluation of the performance of, promotion or disciplining of any specific prospective

public officer or employee or current public officer or employee employed or appointed by the public body, unless all the individual employees or appointees whose rights could be adversely affected request in writing that such matter or matters be discussed at a public meeting.

(9) Any deliberations of a public body occurring after a public hearing that may result in the imposition of a specific civil penalty upon the responding party or the suspension or loss of a license or permit belonging to the responding party as a result of an act or omission for which the responding party bears responsibility.

Unreleased Approved Executive Session Minutes List

<u>Litigation</u> :	<u>Litigation (continued)</u> :	Contractual:	<u>Personnel</u> :
06/13/95 (#1) Sewer	01/11/05 (#3) Alpha 519	10/11/94 (-) Sewer Agreement	03/14/06 (#4) DPW-Ins. Liability
04/13/99 (#2) Sewer (Pohatcong)	01/25/05 (#1) Alpha 519	01/28/97 (#8) Sewer Contract	03/14/06 (#8) Pohat Sewer Billing
05/11/99 (#2) Sewer (Pohatcong)	02/08/05 (#7) Alpha 519	05/26/98 (#1) Sewer Negotiations	05/23/06 (#4) Plan. Attny-Master Plan
05/25/99 (#1) Sewer (Pohatcong)	03/08/05 (#1) Pohat-Water/Sewer	06/09/98 (#2) Sewer Negotiations	10/24/06 (#5) Labor Attny-DPW
05/25/99 (#3) Sewer (Pohatcong)	05/10/05 (#4) Alpha 519	07/14/98 (#3) Sewer Contract	01/23/07 (#1) Open Space
09/09/99 (#2) Resnick	06/14/05 (#1) P'burg Sewer	07/14/98 (#4) Sewer Capacity	02/13/07 (#1) Construction Official
09/28/99 (#1) Sewer (Phillipsburg)	08/09/05 (#3) Litigation Updates	11/24/98 (#2) Sewer Agreement	02/13/07 (#4) Attorney Souders 02/27/07 (#2) Auditors
09/28/99 (#8) Resnick 10/12/99 (#1) Sewer (Pohatcong)	08/23/05 (#2) Alpha 519 09/27/05 (#2) Aqua	12/08/98 (#1) Sewer Contract 07/27/99 (#1) Sewer Contract	02/27/07 (#2) Additors 02/27/07 (#4) CFO-Weekend Work
10/26/99 (#1) Sewer (Pohatcong)	09/27/05 (#2) Aqua 09/27/05 (#3) EAI Letter	10/08/02 (#3) Quarry	03/13/07 (#4) Don Souders
11/09/99 (#3) Sewer (Pohatcong)	10/11/05 (#5) EAI Letter	10/22/02 (#3) Quarry	11/27/07 (#2) Health Benefits-Assessor
12/14/99 (#1) Resnick	01/24/06 (#2) Brian Prop	11/12/02 (#3) Quarry	11/10/09 (#2) Dep Clerk-Salary
12/28/99 (#2) Resnick	02/28/06 (#1) Alpha 519	12/10/02 (#1) Quarry	12/15/09 (#1) Pension for Sewer Emp.
01/11/00 (#1) Sewer (Pohatcong)	02/28/06 (#2) COAH	12/10/02 (#4) Sewer	12/15/09 (#3) Sewer-Reports & AD
01/11/00 (#2) Resnick	03/14/06 (#10) EAI Update	09/09/03 (#2) Quarry	01/05/10 (#1) CFO-Greenwich
02/22/00 (#4) Resnick	03/29/06 (#5) COAH	09/23/03 (#2) Quarry	01/05/10 (#4) Savary-DPW Employees
03/06/00 (#1) Resnick	04/11/06 (#1) COAH	10/28/03 (#2) Quarry	01/26/10 (#4) CFO-Greenwich
04/24/00 (#6) Resnick	04/11/06 (#6) Toll Brothers	09/28/04 (#6) Pohat Sewage Request	01/26/10 (#5) Mayor-Letter Re'cd
05/23/00 (-) Resnick	04/25/06 (#3) Ezekian-Crincoli-Landfill	10/12/04 (#1) P'burg Sewer Agrmnt.	01/26/10 (#6) Licensed Operator
06/08/00 (-) Resnick	05/09/06 (#1) Toll Brothers	10/26/04 (#7) Sewer Agreement	02/09/10 (#1) Savary-Recycle Coord.
07/25/00 (#2) Resnick	08/08/06 (#5) Pohat School-Sewer	11/30/04 (#1) Quarry	02/23/10 (#1) Court Administrator
08/08/00 (#1) Resnick	10/10/06 (#1) CFO	11/30/04 (#2) Alpha 519	03/09/10 (#2) Water Pump Operator
08/22/00 (#2) Sewer	10/10/06 (#3) COAH	02/22/05 (#5) Water-Alpha 519	03/23/10 (#3) Court Administrator
09/07/00 (#3) Sewer	10/10/06 (#5) Pohat & Alpha Sewer	04/26/05 (#3) Water Allocation	03/23/10 (#5) Court Administrator
10/10/00 (-) Sewer	11/28/06 (#1) Rocco	06/28/05 (#8) Sewer	03/23/10 (#6) CFO-Rice Notice
11/28/00 (#2) Resnick	12/05/06 (#7) Homa Farm-Rocco	07/12/05 (#1) Sewer Update	04/27/10 (#1) Rice Notice CFO
12/12/00 (#5) Resnick	12/19/06 (#3) Brian Properties	08/23/05 (#1) Sewage	04/27/10 (#6) DPW Harassment
01/09/01 (#5) Sewer (Hubbard)	03/13/07 (#3) Pohatcong-Sewer Lines	09/13/05 (#3) Aqua	Complaint
04/24/01 (#3) Pohatcong	03/13/07 (#2) Alpha 519	10/25/05 (#3) Aqua	05/11/10 (#6) Art Groves
04/24/01 (#5) Litigation Updates	03/27/07 (#1) Alpha 519	05/23/06 (#1) Sewer w/P'Burg	05/11/10 (#7) Clarence Deemer
05/08/01 (#1) Alpha 519	03/27/07 (#2) Brian Properties	05/23/06 (#5) Quarry	05/25/10 (#3) Art Groves
06/26/01 (#3) Resnick	04/10/07 (#2) Alpha 519	08/08/06 (#9) P'Burg Sewer Agrmnt	05/25/10 (#4) Librarian
02/26/02 (#2) EAI	05/08/07 (#2) Alpha 519 05/08/07 (#3) Almond Tree Liquor Lic.	11/28/06 (#3) CFO-Salaries 12/05/06 (#8) DPW-CFO Contracts	07/13/10 (#8) Clerk-Personnel Records 07/27/10 (#2) Scrap Metal
03/26/02 (#1) EAI 06/25/02 (#2) Alpha 519	06/12/07 (#1) Planning Board	12/19/06 (#2) CFO	07/27/10 (#2) Scrap Metal: Clean Up
07/23/02 (#2) Alpha 319 07/23/02 (#3) Resnick	12/08/09 (#2) DEP-Home Water Dmg	06/23/09 (#2) Water System	08/10/10 (#0) Scrap Metal. Clean Op 08/10/10 (#2) Clerk-Trenton
08/13/02 (#2) Sewer	04/27/10 (#3) Woodhill	12/08/09 (#1) Clerk Transition	08/10/10 (#2) Clerk-Helion 08/10/10 (#4) Attrny Conflict-J Caleca
10/22/02 (#4) Resnick	07/13/10 (#5) Resolution for Quarry	01/26/10 (#2) Appraisal	08/10/10 (#5) Security Cameras
11/12/02 (#1) Resnick	03/26/13 (#6) New Fire Truck	04/27/10 (#5) Quarry	12/27/10 (#1) CFO-Shared Serv.
11/26/02 (#7) Resnick	04/23/13 (#2) DR Horton	07/27/10 (#1) DPW Contract-Pension	01/19/2012 Construction Official
12/10/02 (#3) Resnick	04/23/13 (#3) Sewer Blockag	04/23/13 (#7) Fire Truck	03/26/13 (#2) DPW
01/14/03 (#4) Sewer Contract	04/23/13 #4) AYAA	05/28/13 (#3) Firetruck	03/26/13 (#3) Code Book
03/25/03 (#6) Alpha 519	04/23/13 (#5) AYAA Missing Funds	05/28/13 (#4) Industrial Drive	03/26/13 (#5) Clerk
04/22/03 (#4) Alpha 519	04/23/13 (#6) Library	05/28/13 (#6) Sewer Highlands	04/23/13 (#7) Easter Egg Hunt
09/09/03 (#6) COAH	05/28/13 (#2) D.R. Horton	06/11/13 (#1) Indus Dr Realignment	05/28/13 (#7) Dep Clerk Personal Days
09/23/03 (#1) Sewer Litigation	05/28/13 (#5) DEP	06/11/13 (#3) Valves & Pipe Upgrade	06/11/13 (#5) Clerk
09/23/03 (#3) Alpha 519	06/11/13 (#12) Pedestrain Injury	06/11/13 (#4) Court-Shared Services	06/11/13 (#9) Library
10/14/03 (#2) Alpha 519	06/11/13 (#13) DR Horton	06/11/13 (#8) Insurance	06/11/13 (311) NJLM Conf Hotel Limit
10/28/03 (#1) Sewer Agreement	06/11/13 (#2) Sinkhole Third Ave	07/09/13 (#8) Fire Truck Bill	06/11/13 (#14) Savary-Charges
11/10/03 (#1) Alpha 519	6/11/13 (#10) Water Meters Malfunction	07/09/13 (#11) Admin Clerk	07/09/13 (#9) Clerks Office
11/10/03 (#4) Sewer	07/09/13 (#1) DR Horton	07/09/13 (#12) Homa Farm	07/09/13 (#10) AYAA
12/09/03 (#2) Alpha 519	07/09/13 (#2) Lear-Fence	08/13/13 (#1) Court	08/13/13 (#2) Tax Collector
12/09/03 (#3) DEP-Sewer	07/09/13 (#3) Alpha V. John Does	08/13/13 (#7) Fire Truck	08/13/13 (#3) Library
12/16/03 (#1) Don Souders	07/09/13 (#4) Fred Cook	09/10/13 (#3) Lease of Pub Property-	08/13/13 (#4) Clean Communities
01/13/04 (#1) Lyn Aaroe-Sewer	07/09/13 (#5) Sink Hole-Oberly Property	Cell Tower 09/10/13 (#4) Truck Purchase	08/13/13 (#12) Hops N Barley Name
01/13/04 (#3) Souders-Sewer 02/10/04 (#1) Perelman	07/09/13 (#6) AYAA 08/13/13 (#5) Homa Farm Drainage	09/10/13 (#4) Truck Futchase 09/10/13 (#7) Penn Bower	Change 09/10/13 (#2) DPW Overtime
02/10/04 (#1) 1 eterman 02/10/04 (#3) Alpha 519	08/13/13 (#6) Cahill Rambo Farm	09/10/13 (#11) Fire Truck	09/10/13 (#2) DI w Overtime 09/10/13 (#9) Library
02/24/04 (#4) Alpha 519	08/13/13 (#0) Earlin Rambo Farm 08/13/13 (#9) Fire Hydrant Damage	09/19/13 (#11) He Huck 09/19/13 (#1) Mold Remediation	09/10/13 (#10) Savary
03/09/04 (#1) Alpha 519	08/13/13 (#10) Fred Cook	09/24/13 (#1) LUB Rep	09/10/13 (#12) Mold in Municipal
08/24/04 (#5) Alpha 519	08/13/13 (11) John Doe Lawsuit	09/24/13 (#1) Beb Rep 09/24/13 (#3) Mold	Building
09/28/04 (#2) Alpha 519	09/10/13 (#1) Damage at AYAA Field	10/22/13 (#2) Water Main Easement	09/24/13 (#2) Library Board President
10/12/04 (#5) Odor-Alpha 519	House	10/22/13 (#4) Fire Truck Repairs	10/22/13 (#3) Library Titles
10/12/04 (#7) Resnick-Toll Brothers	09/10/13 (#5) Water Main Break-Penn	11/12/13 (#2) DEP Alpha St Well	10/22/13 (#5) Fire Co Applications
10/26/04 (#4) Landfill	Bower	11/12/13 (#4) Easement-Rooks	10/22/13 (#6) Savary
10/26/04 (#5) Resnick Update	09/10/13 (#6) Backwash permit	11/12/13 (#5) Court Shared Services	10/22/13 (#7) DPW Employees-Cell
11/09/04 (#3) P'Burg Sewer	10/22/13 (#1) Vault on W Vulcanite	11/12/13 (#6) FireTtruck Purchase	Phones
11/09/04 (#4) Resnick-Prop. Transf.	10/22/13 (#9) Cook Litigation	11/26/13 (#4) PEG Bandwidth	10/22/13 DPW –Laptop
11/30/04 (#3) Resnick	11/12/13 (#1) Mold	11/26/13 (#8) Savary-Work done for	
12/14/04 (#6) Alpha 519	11/26/13 (#1) Wayne St Water Main	Borough -Concrete	
	Break	12/10/13 (#3) Alpha Fire Co-Meet &	

12/10/13 (#3) Alpha Fire Co-Meet &

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Break

11/26/13 (#3) MOLD-Peosh

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Litigation:

11/26/13 (#5) VanVeldhusien-Sewer Hook Ups

11/26/13 (#6) Judy Korp Property 11/26/13 (#9) Damage to Dog Fence

12/10/13 (#4) Invoices for Mold 12/10/13 (#8) Stormwater

12/30/13)#4) Water Break-Response from DPW

01/14/14 (#1) Savary-Unauthorized Access

01/14/14 (#4) Penn Bower

02/11/14 (#) Sewer Back Up 02/11/14 (#4) Sewer Authority

02/25/14 (#1) Fred Cook 02/25/14 (#4) John Doe Lawsuits

02/25/14 (#5) Mrs. Lear Sewer Bill 04/08/14 (#3) Lee Ave Sewer Back

04/08/14 (#8) Lear Tort Claim 05/13/14 (#3) Firm Capacity

05/13/14 (#4) Fred Cook

05/13/14 (#7) HVAC System

06/10/14 (#1) DR Horton

06/10/14 (#2) Water Repairs 519

6/10/14 (#3) Lee Ave

6/10/14 (#6) Inspection Fees-Pohat

6/10/14 (#7) CFO-Greenwhich

6/24/14 (#1) Drainage-Homa

6/24/14 (#4) Pohat Eng Billing

6/24/14 (#5) Library

7/8/14 #1 DPW 7/8/14 #2 Library

7/8/14 #4 Computer Switch

7/8/14 #6 Penn Bower

9/9/14 #1 D.R. Horton

9/9/14 #3 Trane

9/9/14 #4 D.R. Horton

9/23/14 #3 Library

01/12/15 #1 Savary Litigation

02/09/15 #5 Pohatcong

02/23/15#1 Route 519-Lateral

02/23/15 #2 Penn Bower

02/23/15 #4 Fire Hydrant

02/23/15 #7 Christy Rose

3/10/15 #9 Pool Demolition Contract

07/14/15 #1 DEP Violation

07/14/15 #3 COAH

07/14/15 #4 Rt. 519

08/11/15 #3 Fire Hydrant

08/11/15 #4 Water Tower

Litigation (continued):

9/08/15 #2 Alpha Family Rest.

09/8/15 #3 Wayne St Sinkhole-Pohat

09/8/15 #5 Savary

09/8/15 #6 water Sewer Bill Estimation

9/21/15 #4 Mike Savary

9/21/15 #5 Christy Rose

9/21/15 #8 Sewer Rates/Problems

10/13/15 #2 Water/Sewer Rates 10/13/15 #3 Phillipsburg Colts

10/13/15 #4 D.R. Horton

10/27/15 #2 Wayne St

10/27/15 #4 Library

11/10/15 #1 Water/Sewer Bills

11/10/15 #2 Water/Sewer

11/10/15 #3 Christy Rose

11/10/15 #9 Manholes

11/10/15 #10 Engineer

11/10/15 #11 Rooks

11/24/15 #4 Water/Sewer

12/8/15 #1 Jerry Kern-Pohatcong W/S

12/29/15 #1 Jerry Kern

Contractual:

12/10/13 (#5) DEP Firm Capacity

12/10/13 (#6) Water Softener

12/10/13 (#7) Sewer

12/30/13 (#1) Road Improvement

Program-Engineer

01/14/14 (#2) Shared Services-

Pohatcong -Police

01/14/14 (#3) Shared Services-Court

01/14/14 (#5) HVAC System

02/11/14 (#3) Shared Services-Court 02/14/14 (#5) Shared Services Court

02/25/14 (#2) PEG Bandwidth

03/11/14 (#1) Shared Services

03/11/14 (#2) Court

04/08/14 (#1) Garbage 04/08/14 (#2) Courts Shared Serv

04/8/14 (#4) Water Frace St Bids

04/8/14 (#5) Lease of Boro Property

04/08/14 (#6) DR Horton

04/08/14 (#7) Open Space 05/13/14 (#2) Debt Limit

05/21/14 (#1) Library

6/10/14 (#4) DPW

6/10/14 (9) Shared Services Court

6/10/14 (#10) DPW-Fence Repairs

6/24/14 (#3) Sprint Metro PC

7/8/14 #5 Alpha St Pump House

7/8/14 # 7 Redundancy

7/8/14 #8 T-Mobile

7/8/14 #10 Solar Panels

7/22/14 #1 Penn Bower

7/22/14 #2 Penn Bower-Emergency Call

7/22/14 #3 Open Space

7/22/14 #4 Solar Panels

7/22/14 #6 Fire Truck Purchase

8/12/14 #1 Shared Service-Pohatcong

8/12/14 #2 Penn Bower

8/12/14 #3 Metro PCS

8/12/14 #4 DPW 8/12/14 #5 River Edge

8/12/14 #6 Trane

9/9/914 # 2 Fire truck Purchase

9/23/14#1 Root Control Bid 9/23/14 # 5 Professionals

9/23/14 #6 Engineer Inspector

9/23/14 #4 Shared Services Greenwich 01/12/15 #3 Contract EMS-Post Office

01/12/15 #4 Contractual-DPW

01/12/15 #5 Contractual-Police

01/12/15 #6 Contractual-Shared

Service-CFO

01/26/15 #2 DPW Contract

02/09/15 #1 DPW

02/09/15 #2 Emergency Squad

02/09/15 #4 CFO

02/23/15 #3 Police Contract

02/23/15#5 DPW

03/10/15 #1 CFO Shared Services

03/10/15#3 Redundancy

03/10/15 #4 Police Shared Services

03/10/15 #35 Norfolk

03/10/15 #6 Postage Machine

03/10/15 #8 DPW

03/24/15 #1 Emergency Squad

03/24/15 #2 Porta-John Contract

03/24/15 #3 Shared Services Police/Court

07/28/15 #1 Phase II Water Project

07/28/15 #3 Fieldhouse/Football Field

07/28/15 #2 Old Fire Truck

Personnel:

11/12/13 (#3) Library Titles

11/26/13 (#2) N2 Dischrage Operator

11/26/13 (#7) DPW Laptop

12/10/13 (#1) Deputy Clerk

12/10/13 (#2) Civil Service-Library

12/30/13 (#2) William Packer

12/30/13 (#3) Adminsitrative Clerk

Request

12/30/13 (#5) Library Employees-

Funds

12/30/13 (#6) Password Policy

01/14/14 (#6) ACO Budget for Rabies

01/14/14 (#7) Library Resolution Appointments

02/11/14 (#2) Monitor Position 02/25/14 (#3) Library Pensions

02/25/14 (#6) Clerks Office

03/11/14 (#3) ACO

03/11/14 (#4) Library Personnel

05/13/14 (#1) Chief Faulborn Power

Cat Purchase

05/21/14 (#2) Shared Services-

Pohatcong-Clerk

6/10/14 (#5) Dunwell

6/24/14 (#2) Sidewalk Project

Appointment

7/8/14 #3 CFP as LPA 7/8/14 #9 ACO

7/22/14 # 5 DPW Employee-Fire Calls

9/9/14 # 5 Field House

9/23/14 # 2 Deputy Clerk 01/12/15 #2 Temporary CFO-Personnel

01/26/15 #1 Deputy OEM

01/26/15 #3 Snow Plowing Employee

02/09/15 #3 Finance 02/23/15 #6 Water/Sewer Collector

02/23/15 #8 CFO Position

03/10/15 #2 Finance Clerk 03/10/15 #7 Temp CFO Appointment

04/14/15 #1 Payroll

04/14/15 #2 Mercantile Fees

08/11/15 #1 Code Enforcement Officer

12/8/15 #3 Dunwell-Appointments

09/21/15 #2 Tax Assessor 9/21/15 #3 Former CFO

10/13/15 #1 Tax Assessor 10/27/15 #5 Tax Assessor

12/8/15 #2 CFO

Contractual:

07/28/15 #4 County Project-Pipe-Back-Wash

8/11/15 #2 Emergency Squad 09/8/15 31 5th Ave

09/8/15 #4 Bob Canace

09/21/15 Shared Services Police 09/21/15 #6 Engineer R&V

09/21/15 #7 Engineer R&V 09/21/15 #9 DPW-Third Hire

10/27/15 #1 LMR

10/27/15 Engineer

11/10/15 #4 Troxell

11/10/15 #5 D.R. Horton

11/10/15 #8 LMR Disposal

11/24/15 #1 Shared Service-Police

11/24/15 #2 Engineer 11/24/15 #3 Cohen-Highlands

11/24/15 #5 Open Space 12/29/15 #2 Personnel

ORDINANCE 2016-5

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BE IT ORDAINED, BY THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF ALPHA, IN THE COUNTY OF WARREN, NEW JERSEY (not less than two-thirds of all members thereof affirmatively concurring) AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1:

The improvement described in Section 3 of this Bond Ordinance (the "Improvement") is hereby authorized to be undertaken by the Borough of Alpha, in the County of Warren, New Jersey (the "Borough") as a general improvement. For the said Improvement there is hereby appropriated the amount of \$750,000, such sum includes the sum of \$150,000 as the down payment (the "Down Payment") required by the Local Bond Law of the State of New Jersey, constituting Chapter 2 of Title 40A of the New Jersey Statutes, as amended and supplemented (the "Local Bond Law"). The Down Payment is now available by virtue of provision in one or more previously adopted budgets for down payments for capital improvement purposes.

SECTION 2:

In order to finance the additional cost of the Improvement not covered by application of the Down Payment, negotiable bonds of the Borough are hereby authorized to be issued in the principal amount of \$600,000 pursuant to the provisions of the Local Bond Law (the "Bonds"). In anticipation of the issuance of the Bonds and to temporarily finance said Improvement or purposes, negotiable bond anticipation notes of the Borough are hereby authorized to be issued in the principal amount not exceeding \$600,000 pursuant to the provisions of the Local Bond Law (the "Bond Anticipation Notes" or "Notes").

SECTION 3:

(a) The Improvements hereby authorized and the purposes for the financing of which said obligations are to be issued, the estimated cost of each Improvement and the appropriation therefor, the estimated maximum amount of bond or notes to be issued for each Improvement and the period of usefulness of each Improvement are as follows:

Improvement of Purpose	Appropriation and Estimated Cost	Maximum Amount of Bonds or Notes	Period of Usefulness
(i) Improvements to the Municipal Building, including a new roof, telephone system and audio visual improvements to council chambers, including all structures and appurtenances, work and materials necessary therefor or incidental thereto, as shown on and in accordance with plans and specifications therefor on file with the Borough Clerk.	\$ 90,000	72,000	15 years
(ii) Road improvements on Industrial Drive, including all structures and appurtenances, work and materials necessary therefor or incidental thereto, as shown on and in accordance with plans and specifications therefor on file with the Borough Clerk.	380,000	304,000	20 years
(iii) Flood mitigation detention basin on preserved parkland, located at Block 97, Lot 1, including all structures and appurtenances, work and materials necessary therefor or incidental thereto, as shown on and in accordance with plans and specifications therefor on file with the Borough Clerk.	200,000	160,000	15 years
(iv) Acquisition of a mason dump truck for the Department of Public Works.	80,000	64,000	5 years
TOTAL	\$750,000	\$600,000	

- (b) The estimated maximum amount of Bonds or Notes to be issued for the purpose of financing a portion of the cost of the Improvement is \$600,000.
- (c) The estimated cost of the Improvement is \$750,000 which amount represents the initial appropriation made by the Borough.

SECTION 4:

All Bond Anticipation Notes issued hereunder shall mature at such times as may be determined by the municipal finance officer of the Borough (the "Chief Financial Officer"); provided that no Note shall mature later than one year from its date. The Notes shall bear interest at such rate or rates and be in such form as may be determined by the Chief Financial Officer. The Chief Financial Officer shall determine all matters in connection with Notes issued pursuant to this ordinance, and the signature of the Chief Financial Officer upon the Notes shall be conclusive evidence as to all such determinations. All Notes issued hereunder may be renewed from time to time subject to the provisions of Section 8(a) of the Local Bond Law. The Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to sell part or all of the Notes from time to time at public or private sale and to deliver them to the purchasers thereof upon receipt of payment of the purchase price plus accrued interest from their dates to the date of delivery thereof. The Chief Financial Officer is directed to report in writing to the Borough Council of the Borough at the meeting next succeeding the date when any sale or delivery of the Notes pursuant to this ordinance is made. Such report must include the amount, the description, the interest rate and the maturity schedule of the Notes sold, the price obtained and the name of the purchaser.

SECTION 5:

The capital budget of the Borough is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this Ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency herewith. The resolution in the form promulgated by the Local Finance Board showing full detail of the amended capital budget and capital program as approved by the Director, Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey is on file with the Borough Municipal Clerk and is available for public inspection.

SECTION 6:

The following additional matters are hereby determined, declared, recited and stated:

- (a) The Improvement described in Section 3 of this Bond Ordinance is not a current expense, and is a capital improvement or property that the Borough may lawfully make or acquire as general improvements, and no part of the cost thereof has been or shall be specially assessed on property specially benefited thereby.
- (b) The period of usefulness of the Improvement, within the limitations of the Local Bond Law, taking into consideration the respective amounts of all obligations authorized for such purpose, according to the reasonable life thereof computed from the date of the Bonds authorized by this Bond Ordinance, is 16.46 years.
- (c) The Supplemental Debt Statement required by the Local Bond Law has been duly prepared and filed in the office of the Borough Municipal Clerk and a complete executed

duplicate thereof has been filed in the office of the Director, Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. Such statement shows that the gross debt of the Borough, as defined in the Local Bond Law, is increased by the authorization of the Bonds and Notes provided in this Bond Ordinance by \$600,000 and the obligations authorized herein will be within all debt limitations prescribed by the Local Bond Law.

(d) An aggregate amount not exceeding \$250,000 for items of expense listed in and permitted under Section 20 of the Local Bond Law is included in the estimated cost of the Improvements, as indicated herein.

SECTION 7:

Any funds or grant monies received for the purpose described in Section 3 of this Ordinance shall be used for financing said Improvement by application thereof either to direct payment of the cost of said Improvement or to the payment or reduction of the authorization of the obligations of the Borough authorized therefor by this Bond Ordinance. Any such funds received may, and all such funds so received which are not required for direct payment of the cost of said Improvement shall, be held and applied by the Borough as funds applicable only to the payment of obligations of the Borough authorized by this Bond Ordinance.

SECTION 8:

The full faith and credit of the Borough are hereby pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on the obligations authorized by this Bond Ordinance. The obligations shall be direct, unlimited obligations of the Borough, and the Borough shall be obligated to levy ad valorem taxes upon all the taxable property within the Borough for the payment of the obligations and the interest thereon without limitation of rate or amount.

SECTION 9:

This Bond Ordinance constitutes a declaration of official intent under Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2. The Borough reasonably expects to pay expenditures with respect to the Improvement prior to the date that Borough incurs debt obligations under this Bond Ordinance. The Borough reasonably expects to reimburse such expenditures with the proceeds of debt to be incurred by the Borough under this Bond Ordinance. The maximum principal amount of debt expected to be issued for payment of the cost of the Improvement is \$600,000.

SECTION 10:

This Bond Ordinance shall take effect 20 days after the first publication thereof after final adoption, as provided by the Local Bond Law.

ORDINANCE 2016-6

BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING AN APPROPRIATION OF \$1,000,001 FOR WATER UTILITY IMPROVEMENTS IN AND BY THE BOROUGH OF ALPHA, IN THE COUNTY OF WARREN, NEW JERSEY AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$950,000 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE BOROUGH FOR FINANCING PART OF THE APPROPRIATION.

BE IT ORDAINED, BY THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF ALPHA, IN THE COUNTY OF WARREN, NEW JERSEY (not less than two-thirds of all members thereof affirmatively concurring) AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 11:

The improvement described in Section 3 of this Bond Ordinance (the "Improvement") is hereby authorized to be undertaken by the Borough of Alpha, in the County of Warren, New Jersey (the "Borough") as a general improvement. For the said Improvement there is hereby appropriated the amount of \$1,000,001, such sum includes the sum of \$50,000 as the down payment (the "Down Payment") required by the Local Bond Law of the State of New Jersey, constituting Chapter 2 of Title 40A of the New Jersey Statutes, as amended and supplemented (the "Local Bond Law"). The Down Payment is now available by virtue of provision in one or more previously adopted budgets for down payments for capital improvement purposes.

SECTION 12:

In order to finance the additional cost of the Improvement not covered by application of the Down Payment, negotiable bonds of the Borough are hereby authorized to be issued in the principal amount of \$950,000 pursuant to the provisions of the Local Bond Law (the "Bonds"). In anticipation of the issuance of the Bonds and to temporarily finance said Improvement or purposes, negotiable bond anticipation notes of the Borough are hereby authorized to be issued in the principal amount not exceeding \$950,000 pursuant to the provisions of the Local Bond Law (the "Bond Anticipation Notes" or "Notes").

SECTION 13:

(a) The Improvements hereby authorized and the purposes for the financing of which said obligations are to be issued, the estimated cost of each Improvement and the appropriation therefore, the estimated maximum amount of bond or notes to be issued for each Improvement and the period of usefulness of each Improvement are as follows:

Improvement of Purpose	Appropriation and Estimated Cost	Maximum Amount of Bonds or Notes	Period of Usefulness
(i) Improvements to Frace Street Water Treatment Plant, including all structures and appurtenances, work and materials necessary therefore or incidental thereto, as shown on and in accordance with plans and specifications therefore on file with the Borough Clerk.	\$250,000	\$237,500	40 years
(ii) Improvements to Distribution System, including water mains and valves, and including all structures and appurtenances, work and materials necessary therefore or incidental thereto, as shown on and in accordance with plans and specifications therefore on file with the Borough Clerk.	450,000	427,500	40 years
(iii) Improvements to Pursel Street and Industrial Drive Standipes and Frace Street Well, including all structures and appurtenances, work and materials necessary therefore or incidental thereto, as shown on and in accordance with plans and specifications therefore on file with the Borough Clerk.	300,000	285,000	40 years
TOTAL	\$1,000,001	\$950,000	

- (b) The estimated maximum amount of Bonds or Notes to be issued for the purpose of financing a portion of the cost of the Improvement is \$950,000.
- (c) The estimated cost of the Improvement is \$1,000,001 which amount represents the initial appropriation made by the Borough.

SECTION 14:

All Bond Anticipation Notes issued hereunder shall mature at such times as may be determined by the municipal finance officer of the Borough (the "Chief Financial Officer"); provided that no Note shall mature later than one year from its date. The Notes shall bear interest at such rate or rates and be in such form as may be determined by the Chief Financial Officer. The Chief Financial Officer shall determine all matters in connection with Notes issued pursuant to this ordinance, and the signature of the Chief Financial Officer upon the Notes shall be conclusive evidence as to all such determinations. All Notes issued hereunder may be renewed from time to time subject to the provisions of Section 8(a) of the Local Bond Law. The Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to sell part or all of the Notes from time to time at public or private sale and to deliver them to the purchasers thereof upon receipt of payment of the purchase price plus accrued interest from their dates to the date of delivery thereof. The Chief Financial Officer is directed to report in writing to the Borough Council of the Borough at the meeting next succeeding the date when any sale or delivery of the Notes pursuant to this ordinance is made. Such report must include the amount, the description, the interest rate and the maturity schedule of the Notes sold, the price obtained and the name of the purchaser.

SECTION 15:

The capital budget of the Borough is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this Ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency herewith. The resolution in the form promulgated by the Local Finance Board showing full detail of the amended capital budget and capital program as approved by the Director, Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey is on file with the Borough Municipal Clerk and is available for public inspection.

SECTION 16:

The following additional matters are hereby determined, declared, recited and stated:

- (a) The Improvement described in Section 3 of this Bond Ordinance is not a current expense, and is a capital improvement or property that the Borough may lawfully make or acquire as general improvements, and no part of the cost thereof has been or shall be specially assessed on property specially benefited thereby.
- (b) The period of usefulness of the Improvement, within the limitations of the Local Bond Law, taking into consideration the respective amounts of all obligations authorized for such purpose, according to the reasonable life thereof computed from the date of the Bonds authorized by this Bond Ordinance, is 40 years.
- (c) The Supplemental Debt Statement required by the Local Bond Law has been duly prepared and filed in the office of the Borough Municipal Clerk and a complete executed duplicate thereof has been filed in the office of the Director, Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. Such statement shows that the gross debt of the Borough, as defined in the Local Bond Law, is increased by the authorization of the Bonds and Notes provided in this Bond Ordinance by \$950,000 and the obligations authorized herein will be within all debt limitations prescribed by the Local Bond Law.

(d) An aggregate amount not exceeding \$350,000 for items of expense listed in and permitted under Section 20 of the Local Bond Law is included in the estimated cost of the Improvements, as indicated herein.

SECTION 17:

Any funds or grant monies received for the purpose described in Section 3 of this Ordinance shall be used for financing said Improvement by application thereof either to direct payment of the cost of said Improvement or to the payment or reduction of the authorization of the obligations of the Borough authorized therefore by this Bond Ordinance. Any such funds received may, and all such funds so received which are not required for direct payment of the cost of said Improvement shall, be held and applied by the Borough as funds applicable only to the payment of obligations of the Borough authorized by this Bond Ordinance.

SECTION 18:

The full faith and credit of the Borough are hereby pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on the obligations authorized by this Bond Ordinance. The obligations shall be direct, unlimited obligations of the Borough, and the Borough shall be obligated to levy ad valorem taxes upon all the taxable property within the Borough for the payment of the obligations and the interest thereon without limitation of rate or amount.

SECTION 19:

This Bond Ordinance constitutes a declaration of official intent under Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2. The Borough reasonably expects to pay expenditures with respect to the Improvement prior to the date that Borough incurs debt obligations under this Bond Ordinance. The Borough reasonably expects to reimburse such expenditures with the proceeds of debt to be incurred by the Borough under this Bond Ordinance. The maximum principal amount of debt expected to be issued for payment of the cost of the Improvement is \$950,000.

SECTION 20:

This Bond Ordinance shall take effect 20 days after the first publication thereof after final adoption, as provided by the Local Bond Law.

ORDINANCE 2016-7

"CAP" ORDINANCE TO EXCEED INDEX RATE FOR THE YEAR 2016 (N.J.S. 40A: 4-45.14)

WHEREAS, the Local Government Cap Law, N.J.S. 40A: 4-45.14 et seq., provides that in the preparation of its annual budget, a municipality shall limit any increase in said budget to 2.0% or the Cost of Living Increase (COLA), whichever is less, over the previous year's final appropriations, subject to certain exceptions; and

WHEREAS, P.L. 1986, C.203 amended the Local Government Cap Law, to provide that a municipality may, in any year in which the index rate is less than 2.0% increase its final appropriations by a percentage rate greater than the index rate but not to exceed the 3.5% rate as specified in law, when authorized by ordinance, and

WHEREAS, the COLA rate for 2016 has been certified by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs as 0.0%; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council of the Borough of Alpha in the County of Warren finds it advisable and necessary to increase its budget by more than 2.0% over the previous year's final appropriations, in the interest of promoting health, safety and welfare of the citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council hereby determines that a 3.5% increase in the budget for said year, amounting to \$50,300.46 in excess of the increases in final appropriations otherwise permitted by the Local Government Cap Law, is advisable and necessary.

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

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Alpha, in the County of Warren, a majority of the full authorized membership of this governing body affirmatively concurring that, in the 2016 budget year, the final appropriations of the Borough of Alpha shall, in accordance with this ordinance and P.L. 1986, C. 203, and be increased by 3.5% amounting to \$50,300.46 and that the 2016 municipal budget for the Borough of Alpha be approved and adopted in accordance with this ordinance; and

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

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

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

Resolution 2016-80

2016 Municipal Budget

BOROUGH OF ALPHA, COUNTY OF WARREN FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

Revenue and Appropriation Summaries

Summary of Revenues - Current Fund	Anticipa	Anticipated	
	2016	2015	
1. Surplus	919,000.00	438,000.00	
Total Miscellaneous Revenues	599,484.42	287,961.39	
3. Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	150,000.00	150,000.00	
Local Tax for Municipal Purposes	1,814,231.00	1,825,240.93	
Total General Revenues	3,482,715.42	2,701,202.32	

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Summary of Appropriations - Current Fund	2016 Budget	Final 2015 Budget
Operating Expenses: Salaries & Wages	525,093.00	499,320.60
Other Expenses	1,815,567.42	1,358,274.39
Deferred Charges & Other Appropriations	146,455.00	157,345.33
3. Capital Improvements	539,800.00	212,762.00
4 Debt Service	120,800.00	138,500.00
5. Judgments	10,000.00	10,000.00
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	325,000.00	325,000.00
Total General Appropriations	3,482,715.42	2,701,202.32
Total Number of Employees - Full & Part Time	28.0	34.0

2016 Dedicated Water/Sewer Utility	y Budget		
Summary of Revenues	Antic	Anticipated	
,	2016	2015	
1. Surplus	101,710.00	148,000.00	
Miscellaneous Revenues	889,000.00	824,000.00	
Total Revenues	990,710.00	972,000.00	
Summary of Appropriations	2016 Budget	Final 2015 Budget	
Operating Expenses: Salaries & Wages	79,210.00	114,048.00	
Other Expenses	666,950.00	594,152.00	
2. Capital Improvements	15,000.00	12,500.00	
3. Debt Service	172,600.00	243,100.00	
Deferred Charges & Other Appropriations	6,950.00	8,200.00	
Total Appropriations	940,710.00	972,000.00	
Total Number of Employees - Full & Part Time	3	1	

Dalai ice di Outsta	inding Debt Bonds	& LOans 12/31/15
	General	Water/Sewer
Interest	2,745,757.47	3,092,231.25
Principal	2,014,250.00	2,250,000.00
Outstanding Balance	4,760,007.47	5,342,231.25

Notice is hereby given that the budget and tax resolution was approved by the Borough Council of the Borough of Alpha, County of Warren on April 12, 2016.

A hearing on the budget and tax resolution will be held at the Municipal Building on May 10, 2016 at 7:00 o'clock (PM) at which time and place objections to the Budget and Tax Resolution for the year 2016 may be presented by taxpayers or other interested persons.

Copies of the detailed budget are available in the office of Laurie A. Barton, Borough Clerk, at the Municipal Building, 1001 East Boulevard, Alpha, New Jersey 08865, (908) 454-0088, during the hours of 8:00(A.M.) to 4:00(P.M.).

RESOLUTION 2016-82 PREMIUM RETURN TSC #15-00014

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector of the Borough of Alpha has advised the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Alpha, that the following property has been redeemed within five (5) years of the tax sale and a premium of \$1,000 was paid at the time of sale,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Borough of Alpha Council this 10th day of May 2016 that a refund be made to the certificate holder as noted:

Stuart Lasher PO Box 83 Milltown, NJ 08850

Block 96, Lot 13 Certificate #15-00014 \$1,000

RESOLUTION 2016-83 LIEN REDEMPTION CERTIFICATE #15-00014

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector of the Borough of Alpha has advised the Mayor and Council that the following property has been redeemed and the money due thereon paid to the Borough of Alpha Tax Collector,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Borough of Alpha Council this 10th day of May 2016, that refunds are made to the certificate holder as noted:

Stuart Lasher PO Box 83 Milltown, NJ 08850

Block 96, Lot 13 – 1670 Springtown Road Certificate #15-00014 \$2,795.20

RESOLUTION2016-84 LIEN REDEMPTION CERTIFICATE #15-00005

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector of the Borough of Alpha has advised the Mayor and Council that the following property has been redeemed and the money due thereon paid to the Borough of Alpha Tax Collector,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Borough of Alpha Council this 10^{th} day of May 2016, that refunds are made to the certificate holder as noted:

Arthur Frustaci 712 Rugby Road Phillipsburg, NJ 08865

Block 36.02, Lot 37 – 653 North Boulevard Certificate #15-00005 \$1,036.93

RESOLUTION 2016-85 PREMIUM RETURN TSC #15-00005

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector of the Borough of Alpha has advised the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Alpha, that the following property has been redeemed within five (5) years of the tax sale and a premium of \$900 was paid at the time of sale,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Borough of Alpha Council this $10^{\rm th}$ day of May 2016 that a refund is made to the certificate holder as noted:

Arthur Frustaci 712 Rugby Road Phillipsburg, NJ 08865

Block 36.02, Lot 37 Certificate #15-00005 \$900

EXECUTIVE SESSION RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Section 8 of the Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231, P.L. 1975, permits the exclusion of the public from a meeting in certain circumstances; and

WHEREAS, this public body is of the opinion that such circumstances presently exist.

- 1. The public shall be excluded from discussion(s) of the hereinafter specified subject matter(s).
- 2. The general nature of the subject matter(s) to be discussed is: Personnel, Litigation and/or Contractual,
- 3. It is anticipated at this time, that the above stated subject matter(s) will be made public when it is no longer a matter of confidentiality.
- 4. Action may or may not be taken after executive session.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the governing body of the Borough of
Alpha that the public shall be excluded from an executive session for approximately
hour(s), minutes, allowing for a five (5) minute recess between the regular session and the
executive session.