

**TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE  
APRIL 24, 2018 MINUTES**

The Tewksbury Township Committee met on the above date at the Police Administration Building.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM, roll call held and a quorum established. Mayor Louis DiMare presided.

Other officials in attendance were Township Committee members Robert Becker, Dana Desiderio, Peter Melick and William Voyce.

Roberta Brassard, Administrator/Clerk was in attendance.

There were no members of the public in attendance.

**1. Open Public Meetings Statement**

Mayor DiMare opened the meeting by announcing that adequate notice of the meeting had been provided by posting a copy thereof on the Police/Administration Building bulletin board, transmitting a copy to the Hunterdon Review and the Hunterdon County Democrat, and filing with the Municipal Clerk, all on April 12, 2018.

**2. Flag Salute**

Those present stood and pledged allegiance to the American flag.

**3. Public Participation**

There were no comments from the public.

**4. Executive Session**

At 7:32 PM Ms. Desiderio moved adoption of the following Resolution, seconded by Mr. Becker. The motion was approved. Ayes: Becker, Desiderio, DiMare, Melick, Voyce. Nays: None.

**RESOLUTION #77-2018  
A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN EXECUTIVE SESSION OF THE TEWKSBURY  
TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE**

**BE IT RESOLVED**, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-13 and 10:4-12 that the Tewksbury Township Committee hold a closed session to discuss Personnel.

It is expected that the discussion undertaken in closed session can be made public at the time official action is taken.

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Louis DiMare  
Mayor

**7. Reconvened**

The meeting reconvened at 8:23 PM.

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Mr. Becker made a motion to appoint Francis Linnus as Township Attorney through 12/31/18 and to not reappoint Michael Selvaggi, seconded by Ms. Desiderio. A roll call vote was taken and the motion was approved. The motion was approved. Ayes: Becker, Desiderio, DiMare. Nays: Melick, Voyce.

Mayor DiMare stated that he would speak with both Mr. Linnus and Mr. Selvaggi and advise Mr. Linnus to speak directly with Mr. Selvaggi regarding current Township matters.

Mr. Melick expressed concern that there are pending matters that are being handled by other members of the firm (Lavery, Selvaggi, Abromitis & Cohen LSAC) and he wanted to be certain that these matters are brought to conclusion by LSAC staff.

Additional discussion followed regarding the current rate that LSAC is billing the Township for matters handled by attorneys other than Mr. Selvaggi.

Mr. Melick made a motion authorizing the Mayor to speak with Mr. Selvaggi regarding having the current LSAC staff continue with current items related to tax appeals and CADB matters, seconded by Dr. Voyce. The motion was approved. Ayes: Becker, Desiderio, DiMare, Melick, Voyce. Nays: none.

Dr. Voyce made a motion authorizing the Clerk to sign the two applications for the NJ State Firemen's Association for Bradley Carr and Steven Timko, seconded by Ms. Desiderio. The motion was approved. Ayes: Becker, Desiderio, DiMare, Voyce. Nays: None. Abstain: Melick.

- Authorizing the signature of applications for the NJ State Firemen's Association for Bradley Carr and Steven Timko for the Oldwick Fire Company

**8. Adjournment**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:25 PM.

Roberta A. Brassard  
Administrator/Clerk