

**BOROUGH OF FANWOOD
MAYOR AND COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING
FEBRUARY 28, 2017**

This Special Meeting of the Mayor and Council was held on February 28, 2017 at Fanwood Borough Hall, 75 North Martine Avenue, Fanwood, NJ at 7:00 pm.

Mayor Mahr presided and stated; I hereby announce and request that such be included in the minutes of this meeting that notice of the time, place and date of the meeting has been prominently posted on the bulletin board at the Borough Hall, mailed to The Times, the Star Ledger, the Courier News, Alternate Press, filed with the Borough Clerk and mailed to any person requesting the same in accordance with the requirements of the Open Public Meetings Act.

Present: Kevin Boris, Russell Huegel, Tom Kranz, Erin Mcelroy-Barker, Katherine Mitchell,

Absent: Jack Molenaar

Also Present: Colleen Mahr, Eleanor McGovern, Frederick Tomkins

Mayor Mahr stated that this meeting was being held to discuss the 2017 Municipal and Capital Budgets.

NEW BUSINESS

Department submissions were reviewed and discussed. Discussion ensued on the larger increases in 2017: health insurance, vehicle purchase as well as anticipated revenues.

Council requested that the Department Heads and the engineer attend the next budget meeting.

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR BY THE PUBLIC

Boris/Mitchell moved to open the meeting to the public. Motion carried.

Mike Lewis petitioned the Council to reconsider the consolidation of Scotch Plains/Fanwood Police Departments.

Kranz/Mitchell moved to close the meeting to the public. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

Kranz/Mcelroy-Barker moved to adjourn at 8:25 pm. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Eleanor McGovern
Borough Clerk