

**TOWNSHIP OF CEDAR GROVE  
ESSEX COUNTY NEW JERSEY**

**SPECIAL PUBLIC MEETING**

**MINUTES  
8:00 A.M.**

**AUGUST 26, 2015**

**1. ROLL CALL, INVOCATION AND FLAG SALUTE**

Mayor Chiusolo called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

Present: Councilman Kumburis, Longo, Tanella, Mayor Chiusolo  
Also Present: Township Manager Tucci, Township Attorney Zielinski

Mayor Chiusolo made the required announcement concerning the Open Public Meetings Act as follows: Adequate notice of this meeting was duly provided to the Verona-Cedar Grove Times and the Star Ledger by fax and on August 17, 2015, filed with the Township Clerk, and posted on the public bulletin board in the Municipal Building Lobby in accordance with the Open Public Meeting Act.

**2. EXTRAORDINARY BUSINESS**

a) Discussion of Council Vacancy

Attorney Zielinski explained that according to State statute, Township must hold a municipal election as part of the November 3<sup>rd</sup> General Election to fill the vacancy created by Deputy Mayor Zunic's resignation for the unexpired term (til 7/1/17). Attorney Zielinski further advised that the Council may fill the vacancy until the November election by appointment.

Councilman Tanella moved to appoint Michael Maffucci to fill the vacancy effective immediately, seconded by Councilman Longo, and passed by the following vote:  
AYE: Councilman Longo, Tanella, Mayor Chiusolo  
NO: Councilman Kumburis

Attorney Zielinski administered the oath of office to Michael Maffucci.

**3. MEETING OPEN TO RESIDENTS OF THE TOWNSHIP WISHING TO BE HEARD ON ANY ITEM ON THE AGENDA**

Mayor Chiusolo opened this portion of the meeting to anyone wishing to be heard on any item on the agenda. There being no one present wishing to be heard, Mayor Chiusolo closed this portion of the meeting.

**4. ADJOURNMENT**

Councilman Tanella moved adjournment of the meeting, seconded by Councilman Longo, and passed by the following vote:

AYE: Councilman Kumburis, Longo, Tanella, Mayor Chiusolo

NO: None

The meeting adjourned at 8:15 a.m.

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JOSEPH CHIUSOLO                      MAYOR

ATTEST:

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KATHLEEN R. STUTZ      MUNICIPAL CLERK