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Roll Call of Council Members Present: DiDomenico, Hess, Jackson, Sinon, Strippoli, President Randolph-Sharpe, and Mayor Roach.

Resolution 2020:110 Extend Grace Period for Property Taxes

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of New Jersey issued Executive Order 103 on March 9, 2020 declaring both a Public Health Emergency and State of Emergency, and

WHEREAS, Governor of the State of New Jersey issued Executive Order 1119 extending this order, and WHEREAS, in accordance with N.J.S.A. App. A:9-34 and -51, the Governor reserves the right to utilize and employ all available resources of the State government to protect against the emergency created by COVID-19, and

WHEREAS, under N.J.S.A. 54:4-66(a), second quarter property taxes are due May 1, 2020 for municipalities on a calendar year budget cycle, and

WHEREAS, under N.J.S.A. 54:4-67(a), local governments may fix the rate of interest to be charged for the nonpayment of taxes, assessments, or other municipal liens or charges, on or before the date when they would become delinquent, and may provide that no interest shall be charged if payment of any installment is made within the tenth calendar day following the date upon which the same became delinquent, and

WHEREAS, under N.J.S.A. App. A:9-47, the Governor is authorized to, among other things, suspend any regulatory provision of law when its enforcement is detrimental to the public welfare during an emergency, and

WHEREAS, in an attempt to alleviate some of the financial burden on property taxpayers, extends the grace period concluding on a date no later than June 1, 2020 for the payment of second-quarter property taxes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Lindenwold authorizes the acceptance of Executive Order No. 130 by the Governor of New Jersey to extend the second-quarter property tax payment until June 1, 2020, and

NOW, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that payments received after June 1, 2020 will be subject to interest back to the original due date of May 1, 2020.

Motion was made by President Randolph-Sharpe, second by Councilman DiDomenico that Resolution 2020:110 be adopted as read. Roll call vote was unanimous in the affirmative. Motion carried.

CONSENT AGENDA: The items listed below are considered routine by the Borough of Lindenwold and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no formal discussion of these items. If discussion is desired, this item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and will be considered separately.

Motion was made by President Randolph-Sharpe, second by Councilman DiDomenico that Resolution 2020:111 to Resolution 2020:112 be adopted as read. Roll call vote was unanimous in the affirmative. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION 2020:111 Property Maintenance Liens Rev

WHEREAS, the Borough of Lindenwold placed a property lien under Resolution 2020:100 for property maintenance work done by the Lindenwold Public Works for Code Compliance, and

WHEREAS, the Block and Lot were reported incorrectly, and

WHEREAS, lien should be put on the following property for the cost of performing this work:

Invoice Date	Block	Lot	Address	Amount
2/27/20	46	10	816 E. Elm Ave.(trash)	\$334.00

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Lindenwold that lien be put on this property.

RESOLUTION 2020:112

WHEREAS, there is a need for members to the Emergency Management Committee for the Borough of Lindenwold.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Lindenwold, New Jersey that the following be and are hereby appointed as members to the Emergency Management Committee:

Craig Wells	OEM Coordinator
Richard J. Paul, Jr.	Deputy Coordinator/Emergency Op Center/Shelter, Reception and Care
Steven Burns	Alert Warning/Communications
Wayne Hans	Damage Assessment
Michael Cavallaro	Law Enforcement/Emergency Public Information
Art Walls	Evacuation
Philip Beeler, Jr.	Fire and Rescue
Brett Hoag	Haz-Mat, Radiological
David Venuto	Emergency Medical
Andrew Tweedley	Law Enforcement
Sandi Sinon	Public Health

George Turner
John Brady
Brenda Roach
Joe Tomasetti

Public Works
Resource Management
Social Services
Terrorism

Mayor Roach asked Council for any updates.

Mayor Roach stated that this was a bad week for the virus. Lindenwold is now the second highest in the County. Even though the Governor opened the parks, children should stay off the equipment. The parks are opened but the gates will remain closed due to the playground. President Randolph-Sharpe asked about the restrooms which are closed. She added about the dense population due to the apartments which contribute to the high numbers.

Mayor Roach opened the meeting to the public.

Diane Veteri, resident, questioned if employees are still working even though the Borough is closed. The Mayor responded that schedules have been staggered as well as staff working from home.

There being no one else desiring the floor, the Mayor closed the meeting to the public.

Motion was made by President Randolph-Sharpe, second by Councilman DiDomenico that the meeting be adjourned. Voice vote was unanimous in the affirmative. Motion carried.

DATED: June 10, 2020

Deborah C. Jackson, RMC
Borough Clerk