

TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON
BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

PUBLIC PORTION/PUBLIC MEETING

December 3, 2012

The Township Council held a Public Portion/Public Meeting in the Municipal Building, Pascack Road. The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Council President, Richard Hrbek. Members present: Joseph D'Urso, Fred Goetz, Richard Hrbek. Absent: Glenn Beckmeyer, Steven Cascio. Also present: Janet Sobkowicz, Mayor; Ken Poller, Attorney; Catherine Steinel, Administrator

Pursuant to the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act this meeting was listed in the Township Council Annual Meeting List which was published in the Ridgewood News, forwarded to the local newspapers, posted on Municipal Bulletin Board and filed with the Municipal Clerk.

Mayor Sobkowicz swore in 4 new Jr. Firemen. She said she was impressed with all that they will do. Mayor Sobkowicz told everyone of the excellent job the fire department does. She also mentioned that holiday trees were being sold at the firehouse. She said she was happy to see a Jr. Fire program. She mentioned that many towns have this type of program. The cadets will go to the academy for training. Happy to see all the families present. All four will be installed now. Clayton Kenny, Andrew Lerner, Nicholas Schroeder, Phillip Sabbagh.

The Clerk read the total of various bill paid, a copy of which is attached and made part of these minutes.

REPORT OF MAYOR

Mayor Sobkowicz said that on Wednesday December 5 at 10:45 p.m. there will be a municipal alliance brown bag event. A pharmacist will be at the Clearview Cinema to do a talk about medications and how they react with other medications. A movie will follow, Miracle on 42nd Street. Township gets a grant each year. Welcomed all seniors to attend. On December 5, 2012 there will be a Planning Board meeting and dunkin donuts is on the agenda. The K of C will hold their annual beefsteak this weekend and on Saturday they will have their food drive. There is also an open house at the K of C. The Township tree lighting will be done at 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, December 9. Also informed the public that United Water will be doing a water main replacement job on Jackson Avenue to Ridgewood Boulevard East. The project has already started and everything is going smoothly.

REPORT OF COUNCIL

Mr. Goetz – No report
Mr. D'Urso – No report
Mr. Hrbek – No report

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz to approved the October 15, 2012 Public minutes of the Township of Washington
Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek
Nays: None

GENERAL PUBLIC DISCUSSION

A motion was made by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz to open the public discussion.
Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek
Nays: none

Mr. Bernroth, 838 Crest Place – He asked where the Township was in reference to the cell tower and was told that they would be at the last meeting in January before the Planning Board. He was told that once the Planning Board is finished with the application, then the tower can be constructed.

Mr. David Snyder, 91 Windsor Circle – Asked if there was any knowledge about when Washington Avenue would be paved and said that he wished they would pave both sides. Mayor Sobkowicz said that she did not know the timing of when the paving would happen. He asked if the cell tower could be up in the spring and was told yes that was possible. He also said that he was happy about dunkin donuts coming back to the shopping center. He said he heard that Diane Grimaldi was leaving the Township and that he thought she was a very knowledgeable person and was upset that she is going to another municipality.

Michael Ullman, 2 Clark Avenue – Asked about the status on the replacement for the CFO and Mr. Hrbek said that it would be discussed later in the evening. Janet said that we have an acting CFO. Mr. Goetz stated about the town charter and that only a director of finance can appoint a CFO. Mr. Ullman asked if Mr. Poller's status had been resolved and was told no. He would talk about backed on the comments at the last meeting that council is concerned about Westwood as our backup dispatcher. He said that the fire chief said that he had to shut Westwood out because they had so many calls. He said that he thought that Westwood was going to be the backup and wondered if there will be an issue with them supporting us. Mr. Hrbek stated that he was confident that they could be our backup.

There being no further questions or comments, a motion was made by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz to close the general public discussion.

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek

Nays: None

ORDINANCES

The Clerk read Ordinance #12-18 entitled: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE AMUSEMENT ORDINANCE.

A motion was made by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz to introduce and pass Ordinance 12-19 at second reading by title.

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek

Nays: None

The following resolution was presented and adopted on a motion by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz.

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek

Nays: None

BE AND IT IS RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington that Ordinance No. 12-19 entitled: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE AMUSEMENT ORDINANCE be read on second reading and the public hearing be held thereon pursuant to law.

A motion was made by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz to open the public hearing and there being no comments or questions was closed on a motion by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz.

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek

Nays: Nays

At this point, Mr. Hrbek stated that since Mr. Beckmeyer had said that he would be at the meeting at 8:30 p.m. that the motion to pass the ordinance would be held until he arrived. Mr. Goetz said that he objected to Mr. Hrbek suspending the rules without a vote.

The Clerk read Ordinance #12-20 entitled: AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF LOTS SUBDIVIDED FROM LOT 27 IN BLOCK 4417 ON THE TAX MAP OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON TO THE OWNERS OF CONTIGUOUS REAL PROPERTY.

A motion was made by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz to introduce and pass Ordinance 12-20 at second reading by title.

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek

Nays: None

The following resolution was presented and adopted on a motion by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz.

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek

Nays: None

BE AND IT IS RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington that Ordinance No. 12-20 entitled: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF LOTS SUBDIVIDED FROM LOT 27 IN BLOCK 4417 ON THE TAX MAP OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON TO THE OWNERS OF CONTIGUOUS REAL PROPERTY be read on second reading and the public hearing be held thereon pursuant to law.

A motion was made by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz to open the public hearing and there being no comments or questions was closed on a motion by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz.

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek

Nays: Nays

At this point, Mr. Hrbek stated that since Mr. Beckmeyer had said that he would be at the meeting at 8:30 p.m. that the motion to pass the ordinance would be held until he arrived. Mr. Goetz said that he objected to Mr. Hrbek suspending the rules without a vote.

The Clerk read Ordinance #12-21 entitled: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING FEES FOR RECREATION DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES.

A motion was made by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz to introduce and pass Ordinance #12-21 at first reading by title.

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek

Nays: None

The following resolution was presented and adopted on a motion by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz.

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek

Nays: None

WHEREAS, Ordinance 12-21 entitled: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING FEES FOR RECREATION DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES was introduced and passed at first reading by title at a meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Washington on the 3rd day of December, 2012.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that further consideration for final passage and public hearing of said ordinance shall be held on the 17th day of December, 2012 at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, prevailing time, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be reached in the Municipal Building, Pascack Road, Township of Washington, NJ at which time and place all persons who may be interested will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning said ordinance;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Township Clerk is authorized to advertise in the Ridgewood News a newspaper circulated in this Township, the introduction and notice of further consideration for final passage and public hearing of this ordinance as required by law.

CONSENT AGENDA

Item #2, 4 were pulled from the Consent Agenda and will be discussed and voted on separately.

The following resolutions were part of the Consent Agenda and were made available to the Governing Body and the Public prior to the meeting.

The Consent Agenda was presented and adopted on a motion by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz.

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek.

Nays: None.

WHEREAS, Maltese Pools posted soil movement and engineering escrow on premises known as Block 4428, Lot 1, 451 Ridgewood Road; and

WHEREAS, the Construction Code Official has issued approval dated November 28, 2012, C.A. No.12-334,

WHEREAS, there are no outstanding invoices due the Township Engineer as per his letter dated November 6, 2012,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township Treasurer of the Township of Washington is authorized to refund the balance of the escrow money in the amount of \$27.00 to the above.

BE AND IT IS RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington that the Township Treasurer is hereby authorized to refund the following recreation fee:

Tom Zotollo
647 Kennedy Drive
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Wrestling 2012 - \$115.00

BE AND IT IS RESOLVED by the Township Council that the Township Clerk is hereby authorized to issue 75 permits for the Firehouse Parking Lot for the year 2013.

There was a discussion that the two transfers could not be voted on because there needs to be 4 votes and only three councilmen were present.

A short discussion followed in reference to all the refunds of tax appeals and a motion was then made by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz to approve the following resolutions:

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek

Nays: None

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 4304, Lot 23, homeowner AAG General Contracting, Inc., for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

AAG General Contracting, Inc.
136 Columbus Avenue
Palisades Park, NJ 07650

Original bill paid:	\$ 2,384.00
Reduced amount due:	\$- 808.07
Amount to be refunded: \$	1,575.93

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on homeowner Scott Alberg. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Scott Alberg
617 Monroe Avenue
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Amount to be refunded: \$ 744.14

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on homeowners Brian and Lori Asserson. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Brian Asserson and Lori Asserson
121 Windsor Cr
Township of Washington, NJ 0767

Amount to be refunded: \$ 912.17

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on homeowners Peter Athens and Marie Panariello. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Peter Athens and Marie Panariello
25 Berkeley Court
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Amount to be refunded: \$ 912.17

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 2507, Lot 7, 24 Gabriel Way, homeowner, Douglas Auriemma for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Douglas Auriemma
24 Gabriel Way
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid: \$ 3,612.00
Reduced amount due: \$- 1,806.68

Amount to be refunded: \$ 1,805.32

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on nine homeowners serviced by BAC Tax Services Corporation. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

BAC Tax Services Corporation
1757 Tapo Canyon Road
Simi Valley, CA 93063

Sirois:	\$	2,862.78
Dogali:	\$	1,961.98
Mustakas:	\$	570.69
Kislak:	\$	919.45
McPherson:	\$	2,111.18
Logatto:	\$	1,512.52
Seltzer:	\$	503.55
Hughes:	\$	1,243.96
Gugger:	\$	<u>934.37</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$	12,620.48

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on homeowners Edward and Christine Blicharz. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Edward and Christine Blicharz
123 Windsor Cr
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Amount to be refunded: \$ 870.58

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 3103, Lot 56, 676 McKinley Ave, homeowner, Ruth Cattania the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Ruth Cattania
676 McKinley Avenue
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid:	\$	2,083.00
Reduced amount due:	\$-	<u>868.88</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$	1,214.12

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 1301, Lot 2.01, 36 Horizon Ct., homeowners Philip and Toni Chianetta, for the 4th^d quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

	Philip and Toni Chianetta
	36 Horizon Court
	Township of Washington, NJ 07676
Original bill paid:	\$ 7,295.00
Reduced amount due:	<u>\$- 3,399.01</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$ 3,895.99

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on 51 homeowners serviced by Corelogic Tax Service. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

	Corelogic RTS
	One Corelogic Drive
	Attention: Tax Refunds (DFW 1-3)
	Westlake, TX 76262
Ullman:	\$ 1,230.90
Marmora	\$ 1,575.93
Cumming	\$ 1,109.68
Marin	\$ 1,644.93
Kemp	\$ 3,075.39
Simon	\$ 1,616.96
Cook	\$ 1,279.39
Horn	\$ 934.37
Gennaro	\$ 809.41
Dickey	\$ 1,471.49
Opalka	\$ 1,223.44
Riehle	\$ 1,202.93
Kuizema	\$ 1,363.32
Shtern	\$ 1,174.95
Denhollander	\$ 1,130.19
Lee	\$ 1,130.19
Suriani	\$ 919.45
DeSteno	\$ 1,329.75
Philips	\$ 796.36
DeLaura	\$ 824.33
Zakhary	\$ 746.00
Perotta	\$ 1,538.63
McDonough	\$ 1,311.10
Feldman	\$ 1,139.52
Vlasak	\$ 1,139.52
Shapiro	\$ 223.80
Myszko	\$ 912.17

Lopez	\$ 1,139.52
Szabo	\$ 1,139.52
DelGreco	\$ 1,087.30
Riedel	\$ 1,652.39
McNeil	\$ 856.04
Scrivinich	\$ 2,495.37
Cowlishaw	\$ 1,139.52
DeOliveira	\$ 5,971.73
Anz	\$ 1,219.71
Kolax	\$ 783.30
Mucci	\$ 783.30
Chan	\$ 2,663.22
Doherty	\$ 2,236.14
Noone	\$ 1,561.01
Leone	\$ 1,266.34
Albanese	\$ 1,685.96
Wager	\$ 874.69
Fradkov	\$ 2,068.29
Yankov	\$ 1,389.43
Jenkins	\$ 574.42
Lancin	\$ 988.45
Cangelosi	\$ 1,432.32
Hazarian	\$ 1,945.20
Amount to be refunded:	\$ 69,807.14

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 4216, Lot 5, former homeowner Judith Corker and current owner, Giovanni/Natalie Nese and Josephine/Maurizio Marmo, for the 4th^d quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal. It is necessary to pro rate the credit due the former owners, Robert and Judith Corker.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Judith Corker
522 No. Maple Avenue, Apt. C6
Ridgewood, NJ 0745

Total Refund: \$ 1,134.54

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 3101.01, Lot 19, 660 Mariann Pl, homeowners, Giacinto and May Corra the 4th^d quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Giacinto and Mary Corra
660 Mariann Place
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid: \$ 2,329.00
Reduced amount due: \$- 1,189.48

Amount to be refunded: \$ 1,139.52

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 2410, Lot 13, 287 Coolidge Ave, homeowners Melkon and Kivohi, for the 4th^d quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Melkon and Kovohi Derkevorkian
287 Coolidge Avenue
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid: \$ 2,132.00
Reduced amount due: \$- 2,810.56
Amount to be refunded: \$ 678.58

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 4419, Lot 27, homeowner Amy Curry, for the 4th^d quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Amy Curry
c/o Charles A. Gruen, PC
381 Broadway Suite 300
Westwood, NJ 07675

Original bill paid: \$ 2,223.00
Reduced amount due: \$- 2,426.37
Amount to be refunded: \$ 2,426.37

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 2102, Lot 1, 715 Beechwood Drive, homeowners Richard & Maatje Epperlein, for the 4th^d quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Richard and Maatje Epperlein
715 Beechwood Drive
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid: \$ 2,663.00
Reduced amount due: \$- 1,654.03
Amount to be refunded: \$ 1,008.97

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on homeowners Martin and Helen Feintuch. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Martin Feintuch and Helen Feintuch
45 Lexington Ct
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Amount to be refunded: \$ 912.17

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 4210, Lot 51, homeowners Eddie and Elba Gonzalez, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Eddie and Elba Gonzalez
465 Washington Avenue
Twp. of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid: \$ 2,071.00
Reduced amount due: \$- 746.85
Amount to be refunded: \$ 1,324.15

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on one homeowner paid by Green Planet. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Green Planet Servicing
Attention: Carolyn Grillo
21 Research Parkway Suite 303
Meriden, CT 06450

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 4510, Lot 15, homeowners, Feliks and Helen Groysman, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Feliks and Helen Groysman
c/o Robert Spiotti, Esq.
219 Changebridge Road
Montville, NJ 07045

Original bill paid: \$ 2,278.00
Reduced amount due: \$- 938.93

Amount to be refunded: \$ 1,339.07

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 4425, Lot 9, homeowners Jeffrey and Marie Gugger, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Jeffrey and Marie Gugger
263 Howard Street
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid:	\$	1,871.00
Reduced amount due:	\$-	<u>475.98</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$	1,395.02

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on one homeowner paid by Heritage Abstract. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Heritage Abstract Company
465 South Street, Suite 230
Morristown, New Jersey 07960

Aurichio:	\$	911.99
Amount to be refunded:	\$	911.99

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on homeowner Lois Holland. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Lois Holland
164 Winchester Ct
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Amount to be refunded:	\$	870.58
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WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 4407, Lot 40, homeowners Stephen and Robin Ingram, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Stephen Ingram
c/o Nowell Amoroso Klein Bierman, P.A.
155 Polify Road
Hackensack, NJ 07601

Original bill paid:	\$ 2,435.00
Reduced amount due:	<u>\$- 888.91</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$ 1,546.09

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 2205, Lot 5, 804 Robinwood Ct., homeowners Michael and Mary Jezior, for the 4th^d quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Michael and Mary Jezior
804 Robinwood Road
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid:	\$ 2,489.00
Reduced amount due:	<u>\$- 1,647.88</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$ 841.12

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 4501.01, Lot 12, homeowner, Barbara Jugan, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Barbara Jugan
145 President Road
Twp. of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid:	\$ 2,639.00
Reduced amount due:	<u>\$- 1,352.25</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$ 1,286.75

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 3201, Lot 8, 623 Washington Avenue, homeowners John and Veronica Kandra, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

John and Veronica Kandra
623 Washington Avenue
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid:	\$ 2,230.00
Reduced amount due:	<u>\$- 1,083.02</u>

Amount to be refunded: \$ 1,146.98

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 2507.01, Lot 9, 29 Gabriel Way, homeowners, John and Joan Kenney the 4th^d quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

John and Joan Kenney
29 Gabriel Way
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid: \$ 3,354.00
Reduced amount due: \$- 1,084.29
Amount to be refunded: \$ 2,269.71

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 3601, Lot 2, Qualifier C014C, homeowner Michael Kohn, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Michael Kohn
c/o Martin Sharit, Esq.
141 Main Street
Hackensack, NJ 07601

Original bill paid: \$ 1,966.00
Reduced amount due: \$- 1,182.70
Amount to be refunded: \$ 783.30

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 2307, Lot 25, 982 Garibaldi Pl, homeowners Robert Kuhn and Mary Kuhn, for the 4th^d quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Robert and Mary Kuhn
982 Garibaldi
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid: \$ 2,055.00
Reduced amount due: \$- 1,228.80
Amount to be refunded: \$ 826.20

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 2402, Lot 3, 10 Garden Ct, homeowners Duane and Margaret Kuizema, for the 4th^d quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Duane and Margaret Kuizema
10 Garden Ct.
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid:	\$	2,403.00
Reduced amount due:	<u>\$-</u>	<u>1,498.47</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$	904.53

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 3404, Lot 4, 34 Chimney Ridge Ct, homeowner Alice Y. C Liu, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Alice Y.C. Liu
4 Silverthorn Lane
Belle Mead, NJ 08502

Original bill paid:	\$	2,600.00
Reduced amount due:	<u>\$-</u>	<u>4,086.22</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$	1,486.22

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on one homeowners serviced by Lynx Asset Servicing. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Lynx Asset Servicing
30 Freneau Avenue
Matawan, New Jersey 07747

McAuliffe:	\$	1,139.52
Amount to be refunded:	\$	1,139.52

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 2322, Lot 23, 892 Lincoln Pl, homeowners James and Donna Mahalish, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

James and Donna Mahalish
892 Lincoln Pl

	Township of Washington, NJ 07676
Original bill paid:	\$ 2,157.00
Reduced amount due:	<u>\$- 737.73</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$ 1,419.27

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on sixteen homeowners. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals. The law firm of McCarter & English LLP represented the sixteen homeowners.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

McCarter & English, LLP
ATTN: Frank Ferruggia, Esq.
P.O. Box 652
Newark, NJ 07102

Smith:	\$ 1,243.96
Postiglione:	\$ 1,243.96
LiGregni:	\$ 1,139.52
Press:	\$ 1,139.52
Gaufman:	\$ 766.52
Hoffman:	\$ 1,232.77
Cardillo:	\$ 1,139.52
Mazer:	\$ 1,139.52
DelGreco:	\$ 1,139.52
Silver	\$ 1,087.30
Gligor:	\$ 1,139.52
Freed:	\$ 1,139.52
Spilewski:	\$ 1,139.52
Fisher:	\$ 1,139.52
Grossman:	\$ 1,087.30
Leicht:	<u>\$ 1,139.52</u>
Total Amount	\$ 18,057.01

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 4504, Lot 1, homeowners, Frank and June Mele, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Frank and June Mele
545 Bergen Avenue
Twp. of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid:	\$ 2,506.00
Reduced amount due:	<u>\$- 1,191.17</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$ 1,314.83

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 1101, Lot 1.01, 879 Wearimus Road, homeowners Meyer, C.G. QPR Trust, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Meyer, C.G. QPR Trust
879 Wearimus Road
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid:	\$	3,861.00
Reduced amount due:	\$-	<u>2,462.25</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$	1,398.75

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on homeowners Robert Morris and Judy Preston. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Robert Morris and Judi Preston
22 Berkeley Court
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Amount to be refunded:	\$	912.17
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WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on homeowners Thomas and Jeannette Orlando. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Thomas Orlando and Jeannette Orlando
311 Beech Street
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Amount to be refunded:	\$	1,575.93
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WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 1207, Lot 2, 588 Hoover Avenue, homeowners Parowski (Trustee) George, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

George Parowski Trustee
588 Hoover Avenue
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid:	\$	3,061.00
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Reduced amount due:	\$- <u>1,399.28</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$ 1,661.72

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on one homeowner paid by Penn Federal. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Penn Federal Credit Union
Attention: Carolyn Willingham
2930 Eisenhower Avenue
Alexandria, VA 22314

Kuperman:	\$ 647.16
Amount to be refunded:	\$ 647.16

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 4312, Lot 43, homeowners Santiago and Diana Reboiro, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Santiago and Diana Reboiro
388 Calvin Street
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid:	\$ 1,872.00
Reduced amount due:	\$- <u>753.00</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$ 1,119.00

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 2101, Lot 8, Qualifier C024E, 24 Braeburn Drive, homeowners Denise Sayers, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal. Attorney Douglas Standriff, Esq. filed on behalf of homeowner, and

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Denise Sayers
c/o Douglas Standriff, Esq.
1200 E. Ridgewood Avenue, Suite 106
Ridgewood, NJ 07450

Original bill paid:	\$ 2,251.00
Reduced amount due:	\$- <u>1,353.93</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$ 897.07

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 2109, Lot 5, 687 Burke Street, homeowner Paul Viapiano, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said

property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal. Attorney A. Bret Steig, Esq. filed on behalf of homeowner, and

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Paul Viapiano
c/o A. Bret Steig, Esq.
184 Eagle Rock
Roseland, NJ 07068

Original bill paid:	\$	2,610.00
Reduced amount due:	\$-	<u>1,480.81</u>
Amount to be refunded	\$	1,129.19

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on two homeowners serviced by Visions Federal Credit Union. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Visions Federal Credit Union
Information Technology Center
24 McKinley Avenue
Endicott, New York 13760-5491

Pecora:	\$	1,275.66
Glock:	\$	<u>1,413.67</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$	2,689.33

WHEREAS, an overpayment for the 4th quarter property taxes was received on seventeen homeowners serviced by Wells Fargo Real Estate Tax Service. Said properties were awarded tax reductions due to a successful tax appeals.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Wells Fargo Real Estate Tax Service, LLC
ATTN: Financial Support Unit – Region 1
1 Home Campus
MAC X2302-04D
Des Moines, IA 50328-0001

Perez:	\$	833.66
Lehr:	\$	2,685.60
Communale:	\$	1,405.95
Alam :	\$	3,336.49
Lira:	\$	994.98
Donato:	\$	1,139.52
Scharaga:	\$	911.99
Aurichio:	\$	911.99

Kenny:	\$	1,719.53
Terzi:	\$	2,499.10
Fowler:	\$	708.70
Kourzamov:	\$	783.30
Aiello:	\$	932.50
Stickel:	\$	1,467.76
Hennessy	\$	1,667.31
Ricciardelli:	\$	<u>1,298.04</u>
Total Amount	\$	23,110.12

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 4519, Lot 7, homeowners, Jack and Georgette Youssef, for the 4th quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Jack and Georgette Youseff
56 Palisade Avenue
Westwood, NJ 07675-2513

Original bill paid:	\$	2,655.00
Reduced amount due:	\$-	<u>465.49</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$	2,189.07

WHEREAS, an overpayment was received for Block 2205, Lot 6, 541 Jackson Ave., homeowners Dorothy Zega and Cheryl Zega, for the 4th^d quarter 2012. Said property was awarded a tax reduction due to a successful tax appeal.

WHEREAS, under the N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2, in the event a taxpayer is successful in an appeal from a reduced assessment, the taxing district shall refund any excess taxes paid within 60 days of judgment, and:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Washington, New Jersey that the Tax Collector, Elaine Erlewein, be authorized to issue a refund to:

Dorothy Zega and Cheryl A. Zega
41 Jackson Avenue
Township of Washington, NJ 07676

Original bill paid:	\$	2,562.00
Reduced amount due:	\$-	<u>741.76</u>
Amount to be refunded:	\$	1,820.24

BE AND IT IS RESOLVED by the Township Council that the Township Clerk is hereby authorized to issue 75 permits for the Firehouse Parking Lot for the year 2013.

After the Conference Session, the Council discussed whether they would take a vote on the two ordinances that were not passed on second and final reading since Mr. Beckmeyer had not yet arrived.

A motion was made by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Goetz, to pass Ordinance 12-20 at second and final reading, submit same to the Mayor for her approval and thereafter be published according to law.

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Goetz, Hrbek

Nays: None

There was a further discussion concerning the Amusement Ordinance. A motion was made by Mr. D'Urso, seconded by Mr. Hrbek to defer the passing of Ordinance #12-19 to the next meeting scheduled for December 17, 2012.

Ayes: Councilpersons D'Urso, Hrbek

Nays: Councilperson Goetz. Mr. Goetz objected to the suspension of the rules for this vote. The ordinance will have a vote at the next meeting.

Mary Ann Ozment, Township Clerk

Richard Hrbek, Council President