

February 27, 2012
Beachwood Municipal Complex
1600 Pinewald Rd

7:00 0 PM

Call to Order

Flag Salute:

While we pray for the safe return of our serving men and women, we must remember that 144 servicemen and women from New Jersey have been killed in Iraq and Afghanistan, most recently



Lance Cpl. Osbrany Montes De Oca 20-year-old
February 20, 2012
North Arlington NJ

Lance Cpl. Osbrany Montes De Oca was killed Feb. 10 in the Helmand province, just 10 days after having been promoted. Both Osbrany and his identical twin brother Osmany, immigrated from the Dominican Republic and chose to join their older brother Marine Sandro Moreta when they enlisted together.

Lance Cpl. Osbrany Montes De Oca was assigned to 2nd Battalion, 6th Marine Regiment, 2nd Marine Division, II Marine Expeditionary Force that was based at Camp Lejeune in North Carolina.

Our war dead must always be remembered. Their Heroism deserves its glory, so too does the bravery of each who entered the unknown of conflict and gave their lives to the cause of Freedom.

The greatest tribute we can give is remembering our Honored Dead. In their memory, a moment of silence and a prayer for all our disabled vets and those missing in action and the swift return of all our serving men and women.

OPENING STATEMENT: Ladies and Gentlemen, pursuant to the applicable portions of the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act, adequate notice of this meeting has been given. The schedule for this Budget Workshop meeting of Mayor and Council of the Borough of Beachwood is listed in the notice of meetings posted on the Bulletin Board, located in the Municipal Complex and delivered to the Asbury Park Press and Municipal Web Site on February 18, 2012.

ROLL CALL MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mayor Ronald R. Roma, Jr.

COUNCILMEMBERS:	Beverly Clayton	Gerald LaCrosse
	Gregory Feeney	Thomas Miserendino
	Steven Komsa	Edward Zakar (5:12 p.m.)

Absent:

BUDGET WORKSHOP – CMFO John Mauder

Mayor Roma	Started with CMFO John Mauder who explained Looking to introduce second meeting in March.
Fire Chief – D. Allen	Requested same in regular budget . Capital request is for turnout gear replacement. Life expectancy of turnout gear is 10 years. Starting to replace 42 (SCBA) bottles between now and 2021. \$30,000 expected to be spent over the next 9 years. Looking to replace "pumper" at cost of \$695,000.00 The replacement would include an Aerial (75') ladder.
Councilman LaCrosse	Any way the old pumper can be sold, traded in....
Chief Allan	Oldest is a 1966 vehicle. 22 Year old vehicle would like to trade in...
First Aid - Capt. J. Horn	Request - new ambulance and upgrade of communication system (most important is communication system) Two squads left on low band. Quote is for 9 radios - 50 pagers 4 mobile. Membership is now 35.
Mayor Roma	Is there any money left from the building project that can be used for the radio purchase.
CMFO J. Mauder	Yes - Ordinance would have to be amended. May be able to use that money.
Mayor Roma	How about the ambulance.
Capt. J. Horn	Don't want to replace want to get another transport vehicle and use older vehicle for
Councilman Miserendino	Have you checked w County about new band they will be using. They are looking to purchase a new system. Suggesting so you can look ahead and make sure you get the right band.
Mayor Roma	May know something Wednesday. Attending meeting with Chief.

CMFO Mauder	Regular budget contributions same no changes.
Councilman LaCrosse	If heard from Pine Beach
Capt. Horn	Not yet.
Chief Cairns	Looking for 2 Chevy Tahoe's to replace Durango's with 96,000 and 99,000. Others are fast approaching 50,000 miles each. Roughly \$38,000 apiece. Can be moved to other departments or sold at auction. 4 Wheel Drive vehicles importance. Need to keep them up to snuff.
Councilman LaCrosse	How are they performing in comparison to other vehicles.
Chief Cairns	"Take a licking and keep on ticking" the ideal thing is to have 4 wheel drives in your fleet. Don't take the beating of regular patrol cars.
Public Works - J. Behrens	Some of items are self-explanatory.
Mayor Roma	Deferred to Mr. Feeney.
Councilman Feeney	Bucket truck (can't stand in back anymore) Looking on list there is nothing over and above what they need.
Councilman LaCrosse	Roof at DPW -
Supv. Behrens	Metal Room - did preventive maintenance. Bucket truck was 10 years old when we got it. Everyone uses. Spending a lot of money on it. May be able to get one for close to \$100,000.
Councilman LaCrosse	Can bucket come off and be put on another truck...(JB - no longer made - meets standards as loon as it stays on the truck)
Supv. Behrens	Water Utility - need a fork lift to lift up our line.
Mayor Roma	Didn't we buy a bob/cat.
Supv. Behrens	Don't have the room in the area (Electric is fine)
Mayor Roma	Is this price electric or propane.
Supv. Behrens	About same cost. - Water also looking for a vehicle. (4 Wheel drive) to assist in snow storms.
Mayor Roma	Attended schedule "c" meeting
Municipal Clerk	Phone System... Heating/Air system.
Robyn Griffith Shade Tree	Request for \$400. Cost of \$65 advertising. Have 2 projects going to elementary school in April Boy/Girl Scout projects May/June - Another Shade Tree sign and conference \$400 (2 days in Cherry Hill)

OPEN TO PUBLIC DISCUSSION:

Motion: Clayton Second: Komsa
 Approved: Clayton – Feeney – Komsa – LaCrosse – Miserendino – Zakar

CLOSE TO PUBLIC DISCUSSION

Motion: Komsa Second: Miserendino
Approved: Clayton – Feeney – Komsa – LaCrosse – Miserendino – Zakar

Prepared by: E.A. Mastropasqua

Ronald F. Roma, Jr.
Mayor

Attested to by: _____
Elizabeth A. Mastropasqua RMC/CMC
Municipal Clerk