

**HOPE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE  
AGENDA – BUSINESS MEETING  
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10, 2019**

**CALL TO ORDER - 7:00PM**

**ROLL CALL**

**FLAG SALUTE AND SUNSHINE OPENING**

Under the provisions of the “Open Public Meetings Act”, adequate notice of this meeting has been provided by publishing notice in the New Jersey Herald and the Star Gazette and by posting notices in the Hope Post Office and on the Township bulletin boards.

**Payment of the Bills and Receipts**

**Reports**

**Township Engineer**

**Road Department**

**Tax Collector**

**Fire Department**

**Warren County Health Department**

**Animal Control Officer**

**Agriculture Advisory Committee**

**Board of Adjustment: Resignation of Jan Wargo**

**Community Police Officer**

**Mayor and Committeemen Reports**

**Municipal Clerk: Correspondence on file on Clerk’s Office**

**PROCLAMATION: May is Older Americans Month**

**RESOLUTIONS**

**2019-24** Recognizing April as Warren County Community College Month

**ORDINANCES 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading and Public Hearing**

**2019-02** An Ordinance of the Township of Hope, County of Warren, State of New Jersey, supplementing Chapter IV, Animal Control of the Hope Township Municipal Code and Adopting Section 5-3, Keeping of Chickens and other Fowl on Lots Less Than Six Acres.

**Possible Introduction and First Reading**

**2019-** An Ordinance of the Township of Hope, County of Warren, State of New Jersey Amending and Supplementing Chapter IX, Property Maintenance Code, of the Township Municipal Code to Create Section 9-3 Entitled “Registration and Maintenance of Vacant and Abandoned Properties”.

**2019-** An Ordinance of the Township of Hope, County of Warren, State of New Jersey Amending and Supplementing Chapter IX, Property Maintenance Code, of the Township Municipal Code, to Create Section 9-4 Entitled “Registration and Maintenance of Vacant and Abandoned Residential Properties in Foreclosure by Creditors”

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**Status:** Bob Benbrook & Fred Stevens: Easement at the Distillery No Change in Status

**Status/Update:** Service Electric & Century Link No Change in Status

**Snow Plow/Shoveling Quotes:** All quotes received to be opened at meeting.

**Farmers Market:** Status update.

**Landscaping Proposals** Updates

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Use of Facilities Requests**

**Easter Egg Hunt** – Swayze Mill Saturday April 13 (Rain date April 20) 9 a.m. – noon)

**Garden State Division of National Model Railroad Association**, July 27, 2019, 9 a.m. – noon

**Spaghetti Fundraiser Dinner-** April 27, 2019 – request for special event liquor license permit.

**DISCUSSION:**

**Prospective New Kennel in Hope Township** – discussion, Township Ordinances.

Alan DeCarolis will attend to discuss.

**Public Participation**

**Approval of Minutes: March 13, 2019 and March 27, 2019**

**Executive Session** If Needed

**Adjournment**