BOROUGH OF FOLSOM COUNCIL MEETING WORKSHOP MINUTES March 11, 2015

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT 6:30PM

OPENING STATEMENT: Adequate notice of this meeting has been given in accordance with the open public meeting act, pursuant to Public Law 1975, Chapter 231. Said meeting has been advertised in the Hammonton Gazette and has been posted on the Borough Hall bulletin board showing the time and place of said meeting

ROLL CALL: Councilpersons: Smith, Jantz, Pagano, Arena, Veneziani

Absent: Councilman Gummoe

Also Present: Mayor Lou DeStefano, Attorney Fran Ballak, Engineer Gary Auer, CFO Dawn Stollenwerk

CFO Dawn Stollenwerk reviewed the Budget with Mayor and Council.

Mayor DeStefano reported that he received a response from the Country regarding the area next to the Mento property informing the Borough this area is not owned by the County and therefore not responsible for maintaining it. Councilman Smith stated he would look into this with the NJ State Forest Fire.

Mayor DeStefano reported that he discussed the repair of 14th Street with Mayor DiDonato .

Mayor reported that Judge Mendez mandated some security requirements for the Borough Court. Judge Mendez gave the Borough ninety (90) days to comply. Mayor DeStefano stated that he and the Court Committee are exploring several options. Council asked CFO Stollenwerk to prepare an RFP for a debt collection agency to collect all past due money owed to the Court.

Mayor and Council discussed a possible re-valuation. Mayor stated we should start to prepare the tax maps for a possible re-val.

Mayor asked to have a Personnel Committee meeting to discuss a part-time employee that is asking to be paid for holidays.

Councilman Smith requested to let the Collings Lake Civic Assoc. and the CLSA to hold mediation at Borough Hall. All was in favor.

Parks & Recreation Committee asked Engineer Gary Auer to research grants for trails.

Mayor reported that the Leo club from Folsom School will be hosting the Borough Tree Recovery Program this year.

Councilman Arena asked Council if anyone objected to the school waving the field use fee for St. Joe High School baseball team. All in favor.

Meeting Open to Public: No Comments

MEETING IS FOR DISCUSSION ONLY. NO VOTES WILL BE TAKEN

Meeting adjourned at 7:20PM.

Respectfully submitted, Patricia M. Gatto Municipal Clerk