

**MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD
PLAINFIELD, NEW JERSEY
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA**

DATE: MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2008
TIME: 8:00 P.M.
PLACE: MUNICIPAL COURT-COUNCIL CHAMBERS
325 WATCHUNG AVENUE

AT THE REGULAR MEETING, A SEGMENT WILL BE PROVIDED FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS, LIMITED TO RESOLUTIONS, MOTIONS AND ORDINANCES TO BE INTRODUCED ON FIRST READING, WHICH APPEARS ON THIS EVENING'S AGENDA PRIOR TO CITY COUNCIL ACTION ON ANY ITEM THAT MAY BE APPROPRIATE FOR PRESENTATION TO THE GOVERNING BODY.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL MEMBERS

PRESIDENT
AND
COUNCILMAN-AT-LARGE
Honorable Harold Gibson

COUNCILMAN-AT-LARGE, SECOND AND THIRD WARDS
Honorable Rashid Burney

CHAIR, COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
AND
COUNCILWOMAN-AT-LARGE, FIRST AND FOURTH WARDS
Honorable Linda Carter

COUNCILMAN, THIRD WARD
Honorable Don Davis

COUNCILMAN FIRST WARD
Honorable William Reid

COUNCILMAN, FOURTH WARD
Honorable Elliott Simmons

COUNCILMAN, SECOND WARD
Honorable Cory Storch

MUNICIPAL CLERK
Honorable Laddie Wyatt, RMC/CMC/MMCA
Clerk of the Council

MAYOR
Honorable Sharon M. Robinson-Briggs

CITY ADMINISTRATOR
Marc D. Dashield



CORPORATION COUNSEL
Daniel A. Williamson, Esq.

FOR SPECIAL ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CALL (908) 753-3223.

ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR THE PLAINFIELD CITY COUNCIL

THE HONORABLE HAROLD GIBSON, PRESIDING

1. **ROLL CALL:**

PRESIDENT TO ANNOUNCE:

THE NOTICE REQUIREMENT PROVIDED FOR THE "OPEN PUBLIC MEETING LAW" HAS BEEN SATISFIED. NOTICE WAS PROPERLY GIVEN, SAID NOTICE HAVING BEEN PUBLISHED IN THE COURIER-NEWS AND THE STAR-LEDGER ON *MONDAY, MARCH 31, 2008* AS WELL AS POSTING ON THE BULLETIN BOARD IN THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

2. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

3. **INVOCATION:**

4. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

Regular Meeting of September 15, 2008
Regular Meeting of October 20, 2008

4A. CEREMONIAL MATTERS:

LEGISLATIVE CITATIONS, COMMENDATIONS AND OTHER SPECIAL AWARDS:

NONE.

5. **COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR:**

❖ FOR THE PURPOSE OF MEMORIALIZATION HER HONOR, THE MAYOR, SHARON ROBINSON-BRIGGS HAS SUBMITTED THE FOLLOWING PROCLAMATIONS ENTITLED:

- A CELEBRATION OF SISTERS ANCHORED IN CHRIST.
- A RESPECTFUL TRIBUTE IN HONOR OF SGT. KENNETH "KENNY REID" OF THE PLAINFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT.
- A RESPECTFUL TRIBUTE IN HONOR OF FIREFIGHTER RUDOLPHUS "RUDI" DAVIS OF THE PLAINFIELD FIRE DIVISION.

6. **OTHER COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS:**

NONE

7. **REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES:**

NONE

8. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

NONE

9. **CONSIDERATION OF PUBLIC HEARING, SECOND READING & FINAL PASSAGE:**

MC 2008 - 14 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF VARIOUS CITY OWNED PROPERTIES LESS THAN THE MINIMUM LOT SIZE TO THE CONTIGUOUS PROPERTY OWNERS WHO SUBMITS THE HIGHEST BID, PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:12-13 et. seq. - **TAX ASSESSOR.**

9(A). **PUBLIC COMMENTS, LIMITED TO RESOLUTIONS, MOTIONS, AND ORDINANCES TO BE INTRODUCED ON FIRST READING:**

NEW BUSINESS

10. **CONSENT AGENDA:**

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ALL MATTERS LISTED WITH AN (*) ARE CONSIDERED TO BE ROUTINE AND NON-CONTROVERSIAL BY THE CITY COUNCIL AND WILL BE ENACTED BY ONE MOTION. THERE WILL BE NO SEPARATE DISCUSSION ON THESE ITEMS UNLESS A COUNCILMEMBER OR CITIZEN SO REQUESTS, IN WHICH EVENT, THE ITEM WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA AND CONSIDERED SEPARATELY UNDER NEW BUSINESS IN ITS NORMAL SEQUENCE LATER ON THE AGENDA.

APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA:

RESOLUTION NUMBERS **R 462-08** THRU **R 465-08**; **R 476-08** THRU **R 482-08**; **R 484-08**; **R 485-08** AND **R 487-08** THRU **R 494-08** ARE LISTED ON THE CONSENT AGENDA SEGMENT WITH AN ASTERISK* TO BE APPROVED AND THAT EACH SPECIFIC ACTION ON THE CONSENT AGENDA BE APPROVED AS INDICATED.

11. **RESOLUTIONS AND MOTIONS:**
NEW BUSINESS:

LEGISLATIVE BODY

***R 462-08** COUNCILMANIC RESOLUTION APPOINTING **PAMELA DUNN-HALE** SUCCEEDING **VERONICA TAYLOR-HILL** AS COMMISSIONER TO THE PLAINFIELD HOUSING AUTHORITY FOR A FIVE YEAR TERM ENDING 7/1/2013 - **CITY CLERK.**

***R 463-08** COUNCILMANIC RESOLUTION RE-APPOINTING **HATTIE WILLIAMS** SUCCEEDING SELF AS COMMISSIONER TO THE PLAINFIELD HOUSING AUTHORITY FOR A FIVE YEAR TERM ENDING 7/1/2013 - **CITY CLERK.**

- *R 464-08** COUNCILMANIC RESOLUTION GRANTING PERMISSION FOR THE INSTALLATION OF A BANNER TO BE HUNG ACROSS THE CITY'S SIDEWALKS AND ROADWAYS ADVERTISING "OPERATION SAFE STREETS" TO BE HELD ON DECEMBER 13, 2008 AT THE PLAINFIELD FIRE DIVISION - CITY CLERK (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).
- *R 465-08** COUNCILMANIC RESOLUTION GRANTING PERMISSION FOR STREET AND SIDEWALK ENCROACHMENTS TO THE PLAINFIELD SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT FOR USE OF MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES AS STAGING AREAS TO HOLD ITS FOURTH ANNUAL HOLIDAY HORSE-AND-WAGON RIDES SCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2008 FROM 12 NOON - 3:00 P.M. - CITY CLERK (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).

ADMINISTRATION/EXECUTIVE BRANCH

NONE

CORPORATION COUNSEL

- R 466-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING INSERVCO INSURANCE SERVICES TO ISSUE A CHECK IN SETTLEMENT OF ALL CLAIMS IN THE MATTER OF P.O. JERRY PLUM V. CITY OF PLAINFIELD WORKER'S COMPENSATION NO. C. P. 2008-9573, INSERVCO CLAIM NO. 1940002069 - **\$14,962.50** (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).
NON-CONSENT
- R 467-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING INSERVCO INSURANCE SERVICES TO ISSUE A CHECK IN SETTLEMENT OF ALL CLAIMS IN THE MATTER OF P.O. MICHAEL AURICCHIO V. CITY OF PLAINFIELD WORKER'S COMPENSATION NO. C. P. 2007-19465, INSERVCO CLAIM NO. 1940001918 - **\$20,382.00** (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).
NON-CONSENT
- R 468-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:11-2(6) AND THE FAIR AND OPEN PROCESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A 19:44A-20.4 TO JOHN G. HUDAK ESQ. AS BOND COUNSEL IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED **\$7,500.00** (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).
NON-CONSENT
- R 469-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:11-2(6) AND THE FAIR AND OPEN PROCESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A 19:44A-20.4 TO ROGUT MCCARTHY, LLC. AS REDEVELOPMENT COUNSEL IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED **\$25,000.00** (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).
NON-CONSENT
- R 470-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:11-2(6) AND THE FAIR AND OPEN PROCESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A 19:44A-20.4 TO WISNIEWSKI AND ASSOCIATES, LLC. AS SPECIAL COUNSEL FOR TAX APPEALS, IN REM, IN PERSONAL TAX FORECLOSURES, PROPERTY ABANDONMENT ACTIONS AND RELATED MATTER AS ASSIGNED BY THE CORPORATION COUNSEL IN AN AMOUNT NO TO EXCEED **\$35,000.00** (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).
NON-CONSENT
- R 471-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:11-2(6) AND THE FAIR AND OPEN PROCESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A 19:44A-20.4 TO JAMES J. PLAIA, ESQ. AS DEFENSE COUNSEL FOR THE CITY'S WORKER'S COMPENSATION PROGRAM IN AN AMOUNT NO TO EXCEED **\$25,000.00**.
NON-CONSENT
- R 472-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:11-2(6) AND THE FAIR AND OPEN PROCESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A 19:44A-20.4 TO TRACEY S. COSBY, ESQ. AS LITIGATION/DEFENSE COUNSEL IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED **\$25,000.00** (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).
NON-CONSENT

- R 473-08**
NON-CONSENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:11-2(6) AND THE FAIR AND OPEN PROCESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A 19:44A-20.4 TO EDWARD KOLOGI, ESQ. AS LITIGATION/DEFENSE COUNSEL IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED **\$25,000.00 (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- R 474-08**
NON-CONSENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:11-2(6) AND THE FAIR AND OPEN PROCESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A 19:44A-20.4 TO MIRIAM R. RUBIN ESQ. AS LITIGATION/DEFENSE COUNSEL IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED **\$25,000.00 (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- R 475-08**
NON-CONSENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:11-2(6) AND THE FAIR AND OPEN PROCESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A 19:44A-20.4 TO LINDAL SCOTT-FOSTER ESQ. AS LITIGATION/DEFENSE COUNSEL IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED **\$25,000.00 (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION & FINANCE

- *R 476-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPROVAL FOR THE CANCELLATION OF VARIOUS GRANTS IDENTIFIED UNDER THE COLUMNS ENTITLED GRANTS RECEIVABLE AND GRANTS APPROPRIATIONS AS CITED HEREIN THIS RESOLUTION – **DIRECTOR’S OFFICE. (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- *R 477-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPROVAL FOR THE ISSUANCE OF TWO (2) REFUNDS DUE TO DUPLICATE PAYMENTS APPLIED TO BLOCK 624 LOT 4 COMMONLY KNOWN AS 610 EAST SIXTH STREET AND BLOCK 924 LOT 2.02 COMMONLY KNOWN AS 1222-124 OXFORD AVENUE – **\$3,357.14 – TAX COLLECTOR (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- *R 478-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPROVAL FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A REFUND DUE TO OVERPAID TAXES APPLIED TO BLOCK 458 LOT 53.03 COMMONLY KNOWN AS 1459-61 COLUMBIA AVE -- **\$1,578.98 – TAX COLLECTOR (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS & SAFETY

- *R 479-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPROVAL FOR THE PLAINFIELD POLICE DIVISION TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR PARTICIPATION WITH THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO APPLY FOR THE JUVENILE JUSTICE DELINQUENCY PREVENTION ACT FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF **\$50,000.00** IN CONNECTION WITH THE PROJECT CALLED “MAKING STREETS BETTER” – **DIRECTOR’S OFFICE (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS & URBAN DEVELOPMENT

- *R 480-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE US ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY BROWNFIELD ASSESSMENT GRANTS IN THE AMOUNT OF **\$400,000.00** AND A BROWNFIELD CLEAN UP GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF **\$200,000.00 – DIRECTOR’S OFFICE (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- *R 481-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A NON-FAIR AND OPEN CONTRACT TO BROWNFIELDS REDEVELOPMENT SOLUTIONS INC. PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A 19:44A-20.8 FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION OF THE US ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY BROWNFIELDS **HAZARDOUS ASSESSMENT GRANT – DIRECTOR’S OFFICE (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**

- *R 482-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A NON-FAIR AND OPEN CONTRACT TO BROWNFIELDS REDEVELOPMENT SOLUTIONS INC. PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A 19:44A-20.8 FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION OF THE US ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY BROWNFIELDS **PETROLEUM ASSESSMENT – DIRECTOR'S OFFICE (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- R 483-08** RESOLUTION GRANTING FREE PARKING WITHIN THE CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT FROM MONDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2008 THROUGH FRIDAY JANUARY 2, 2009 TO PROMOTE SHOPPING IN THE BUSINESS DISTRICT DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON. – **DIRECTOR'S OFFICE (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- *R 484-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE RELEASE OF A PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE AND CASH DEPOSITS ASSOCIATED WITH DEVELOPMENT AT THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS 510 EAST FRONT STREET, SHOWN ON THE TAX MAP AS BLOCK 326, LOT 1 – **PLANNING DIVISION (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- *R 485-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE RELEASE OF A PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE AND CASH DEPOSIT ASSOCIATED WITH DEVELOPMENT AT THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS 733 SOUTH SECOND STREET SHOWN ON THE TAX MAP BLOCK 113 LOT 4 – **PLANNING DIVISION (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- R 486-08** RESOLUTION APPROVING THE FISCAL YEAR 2009 OPERATING BUDGET; AND TO SCHEDULE A PUBLIC HEARING DATE FOR THE PLAINFIELD SID MANAGEMENT CORPORATION – **\$234,054 – ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- R 461-08D** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CREATION OF THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD MUNICIPAL ALLIANCE COMMITTEE FOR THE PERIOD COMMENCING OCTOBER 1, 2008 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2009 – **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**

PUBLIC OFFICER

- *R 487-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPROVAL FOR A LIEN PLACEMENT FOR CLEAN UP OF BLOCK 114, LOT 03 COMMONLY KNOWN AS 737-39 W. THIRD STREET – **\$688.51 – INSPECTIONS DIVISION (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- *R 488-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPROVAL FOR A LIEN PLACEMENT FOR CLEAN UP OF BLOCK 012, LOT 014 COMMONLY KNOWN AS 1408-12 MARLBOROUGH AVENUE –**\$471.84 – INSPECTIONS DIVISION (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- *R 489-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPROVAL FOR A LIEN PLACEMENT FOR CLEAN UP BLOCK 110, LOT 05 COMMONLY KNOWN AS 218-20 MUHLENBERG PLACE –**\$1,172.21– INSPECTIONS DIVISION (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- *R 490-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPROVAL FOR A LIEN PLACEMENT FOR CLEAN UP OF BLOCK 118, LOT 18 COMMONLY KNOWN AS 952-54 W. THIRD STREET – **\$723.00 – INSPECTIONS DIVISION (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**
- *R 491-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPROVAL FOR A LIEN PLACEMENT FOR THE CLEAN UP BLOCK 119, LOT 10 COMMONLY KNOWN AS 926 W. THIRD STREET – **\$554.75 – INSPECTIONS DIVISION (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).**

- *R 492-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING FOR A LIEN PLACEMENT FOR THE CLEAN UP BLOCK 635, LOT 07 COMMONLY KNOWN AS 822 WEBSTER PLACE - **\$435.86** – INSPECTIONS DIVISION (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).
- *R 493-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPROVAL FOR A LIEN PLACEMENT FOR CLEAN UP OF BLOCK 022, LOT 04 COMMONLY KNOWN AS 1456-58 VIVIAN STREET - **\$2,043.27** – INSPECTIONS DIVISION (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).
- *R 494-08** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPROVAL APPROVE AUTHORIZATION FOR A LIEN PLACEMENT FOR CLEAN UP OF BLOCK 758, LOT 12 COMMONLY KNOWN AS 942-44 KENYON AVENUE - **\$778.43** – INSPECTIONS DIVISION (CORRESPONDENCE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED).

12. NEW ITEM(S):

NONE

13. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES ON FIRST READING:

MC 2008 - 15 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE SCHEDULE OF SALARIES AND WAGES ADOPTED PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 14, CHAPTER 11 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD NEW JERSEY 1971 (SALARY AMENDMENT NO. 2009) – **PLAINFIELD MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION (P.M.E.A.)**.

MC 2008 - 16 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE SCHEDULE OF SALARIES AND WAGES ADOPTED PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 14, CHAPTER 11 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD NEW JERSEY 1971 (SALARY AMENDMENT NO. 2009) – **UNITED SERVICE WORKER UNION LOCAL 255 PLAINFIELD PUBLIC WORKS EMPLOYEES**.

14. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS:

ANY RESIDENT OR TAXPAYER OF PLAINFIELD IS WELCOME TO COMMENT ON ANY GOVERNMENTAL ITEM OF CONCERN TO THEM DURING THE GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS SEGMENT OF THE COUNCIL'S MEETING. CITIZENS MUST CLEARLY STATE THEIR NAME AND ADDRESS TO THE CLERK ONCE THE SPEAKER IS RECOGNIZED BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER TO SPEAK. A TOTAL OF THIRTY (30) MINUTES HAS BEEN ALLOCATED FOR ALL PUBLIC COMMENTS TO BE PRESENTED. LARGE GROUPS ARE URGED TO SELECT A SPOKESPERSON TO REPRESENT THEM. EACH PERSON IS ALLOCATED THREE (3) MINUTES TO SPEAK. THE PRESIDING OFFICER OR A MAJORITY ON THE COUNCIL MAY EXTEND THE LENGTH OF TIME ALLOCATED CUMULATIVELY OR INDIVIDUALLY.

NO SPEAKER SHALL ENGAGE IN ANY PERSONALLY OFFENSIVE, DEROGATORY OR ABUSIVE REMARKS. THE PRESIDENT SHALL IMMEDIATELY CALL TO ORDER ANY SPEAKER WHO VIOLATES THIS PROVISION. AN OFFICER FROM THE PLAINFIELD POLICE DIVISION MAY REMOVE ANY DISRUPTIVE PERSON AT THE DISCRETION OF THE PRESIDING OFFICER. PUBLIC COMMENT IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR THE PUBLIC TO PRESENT THEIR VIEWS – BOTH POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE.

IT IS NOT A QUESTION AND ANSWER PERIOD. NEITHER THE PRESIDING OFFICER NOR COUNCIL MEMBERS WILL ENGAGE IN A BACK AND FORTH EXCHANGE SO SPEAKERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO PRESENT ALL THEIR VIEWS. THE PRESIDING OFFICER AS WELL AS ANY COUNCIL MEMBER MAY RESPOND TO ANY COMMENT AFTER SUCH SPEAKER IS FINISHED. THE PRESIDING OFFICER MAY REFER THE SPEAKER TO THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR OR AN APPROPRIATE DEPARTMENT HEAD AND ANY COUNCIL MEMBER MAY CHOOSE TO RESPOND IN WRITING TO INDIVIDUAL CITIZENS.

15. ADJOURNMENT:

TOTAL RESOLUTIONS = 34

TOTAL ORDINANCES = 3

THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING IS AN AGENDA FIXING SESSION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY HALL LIBRARY ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2008.