

AGENDA
BOROUGH OF NORWOOD
MAYOR AND COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
JUNE 10, 2015
7:00 PM

MAYOR BARSÀ

COUNCILMAN BRIZZOLARA
COUNCILMAN MARINO
COUNCILWOMAN ORECCHIO

COUNCIL PRESIDENT ASCOLESE
COUNCILMAN RAPAPORT
COUNCILMAN SCOTT

Call to order

Flag Salute

Statement of Compliance: Adequate notice of this meeting has been provided in accordance with the Open Public Meeting Law, P.L. 1975, Ch.231 setting forth the time, date, place and purpose of this Public Meeting through a legal notice published in The Record and Star Ledger.

Roll Call of the Council

Mayor Barsa _____
Councilman Brizzolara _____
Councilman Marino _____
Councilwoman Orecchio _____

Council President Ascolese _____
Councilman Rapaport _____
Councilman Scott _____

Mayor Barsa to issue Oath of Office to newly appointed Police Officer Joseph Palazzola

General Public Comment

Correspondence

1. Letter from Senator Cardinale informing of the Borough's award of \$11,008.90 in 2015 Clean Communities Grant
2. Letter from NJ Dept. of Environmental Protection regarding the BCUA Edgewater SSA Transfer
3. EMS Call Volume Report for May
4. DPW May Monthly Report
5. Resolution from the Borough of Oakland supporting A-4325 Transparent Tax Act
6. Construction Office Permit Fee Log report for May

Consent Agenda

Matters listed below are considered routine and will be enacted by one motion of the Council and one roll call vote. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Council member requests an item be removed.

Approval of the minutes of the April 22, 2015 Work/Executive Meeting, May 13, 2015 Regular/Executive Meeting and May 27, 2015 Work/Executive Meeting

Approval of the following Resolutions:

- 15:109 Authorizing the payment of bills and vouchers in the amount of \$2,482,113.07
- 15:110 Confirming the appointment of Joseph Palazzola
- 15:111 Authorizing the Tax Collector to Prepare and Mail Estimated Tax Bills
- 15:112 Opposing the Municipal "User Friendly" Budget
- 15:113 Award the Bid for the 2015 Riverside Cooperative Road Resurfacing Program on behalf of the Borough of Norwood
- 15:114 Appointment of Nicholas Moltzen as a Permanent Police Officer with the Norwood Police Department
- 15:115 Authorizing a Refund for Additional Tax Overpayment for Block 98, lot 8
- 15:116 Authorizing a Refund for Tax Overpayment for Block 136, lot 1
- 15:117 Authorizing a Refund for Tax Overpayment for Block 153, lot 8
- 15:118 Approving the Insertion of an Item of Revenue in 2015 Budget - \$11,008.90
2015 Clean Communities Grant
- 15:119 Authorizing the voiding of certain checks drawn on the Current Account
- 15:120 Change Order No. 1 and Project Acceptance for the Kennedy Park Baseball Dugout Installation
- 15:121 Authorizing Tax Sale Redemption for Van Dyke, 74 Sherwood Road

Public Hearing of Bond Ordinance 15:08 entitled:

BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE LIVINGSTON STREET STREETScape PROJECT (PHASE III) AND THE 2015 ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM IN, BY AND FOR THE BOROUGH OF NORWOOD, IN THE COUNTY OF BERGEN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$1,000,000 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, TO MAKE A DOWN PAYMENT, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS TO FINANCE SUCH APPROPRIATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS.

Committee Reports

Open to the Public for Comment

Adjournment

BOROUGH OF NORWOOD

BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION

No. 151109.

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

BILL LIST

NAME OF FUND	SALARY/WAGE	OTHER EXPENSE	TOTAL AMOUNT
CURRENT		\$1,023,790.72	\$ 1,177,469.91
PAYROLL (5/8/15)	\$ 127,911.48		
Social Security	\$ 4,969.51		
PAYROLL (Trust)	\$ 1,128.76		
PAYROLL (5/22/15)	\$ 115,179.45		
Social Security	\$ 4,284.37		
PAYROLL (6/5/15)	\$ 146,843.87		
Social Security	\$ 5,832.51		
PAYROLL (Trust)	\$ 3,191.17		\$ 409,341.42
County Taxes		\$ 706,500.00	\$ 706,500.00
County Open Space Taxes		\$ 7,500.00	\$ 7,500.00
CAPITAL		\$ 10,250.00	\$ 10,250.00
CURRENT (Grant)		\$ 2,550.36	\$ 2,550.36
UNEMPLOYMENT			
TRUST		\$ 153,800.00	\$ 153,800.00
OPEN SPACE		\$ 11,234.16	\$ 11,234.16
ANIMAL TRUST			
DEVELOPERS TRUST		\$ 3,467.22	\$ 3,467.22
TOTAL			\$ 2,482,113.07

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Borough of Norwood at the meeting held on 20

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Range of Checking Accts: 01CURRENT to 19DEVESCROW Range of Check Dates: 06/01/15 to 06/30/15
Report Type: All Checks Report Format: Super Condensed Check Type: Computer: Y Manual: Y Dir Deposit: Y

Check #	Check Date	Vendor	Amount Paid	Reconciled/Void Ref Num
01CURRENT		CURRENT ACCOUNT		
285	06/10/15	AAAEM005 AAA EMERGENCY SUPPLY CO., INC.	268.50	65
286	06/10/15	AGLWE005 AGL WELDING INC	99.80	65
287	06/10/15	ANDR0010 ANDREW T. FEDE, ESQ.	4,433.00	65
288	06/10/15	ANTHO005 ANTHONY BLANDINO	958.77	65
289	06/10/15	APPR0010 APPROVED SURGICAL SUPPLIES, IN	183.00	65
290	06/10/15	ARGEN005 ARGENTO & SONS, INC.	528.95	65
291	06/10/15	ARROW005 ARROW TREE INC	465.00	65
292	06/10/15	ARTIS005 ARTISTIC AWARDS & IMPRINTS	110.69	65
293	06/10/15	AVAY0015 AVAYA FINANCIAL SERVICES	711.11	65
294	06/10/15	BCASS005 BC ASSOC OF ASSESSORS	115.00	65
295	06/10/15	BROAD005 BROADVIEW NETWORKS	746.46	65
296	06/10/15	BUGDO005 BUG DOCTOR	240.00	65
297	06/10/15	BUTTI005 BUTTI, AL	1,547.22	65
298	06/10/15	CABL0010 CABLEVISION	179.75	65
299	06/10/15	CAMIL005 CAMILO DIRESE	1,659.00	65
300	06/10/15	CAN00010 CANON FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.	483.11	65
301	06/10/15	CARQU005 CARQUEST AUTO PARTS - BWP INC	101.93	65
302	06/10/15	CDCOM005 C & D COMPUTER SUPPLIERS INC.	29.24	65
303	06/10/15	CERTI005 CERTIFIED SPEEDOMETER INC	228.00	65
304	06/10/15	CHIE0010 CHIEF JEFFREY KRAPELS	159.85	65
305	06/10/15	CLOST005 CLOSTER EXXON INC	105.00	65
306	06/10/15	CODYC005 CODY COMPUTER SERVICES INC	2,655.64	65
307	06/10/15	COUSI005 COUSIN'S PIZZA INC	477.57	65
308	06/10/15	CREAT005 CREATIVE PRODUCT SOURCING, INC	1,063.84	65
309	06/10/15	CSXTR005 CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC.	249.92	65
310	06/10/15	DARTC005 DART COMPUTER SERVICES, INC.	695.00	65
311	06/10/15	DECOT005 DECOTIS, FITZPATRICK, COLE	78.00	65
312	06/10/15	DEERP005 DEER PARK SPRING WATER CO. INC	140.50	65
313	06/10/15	DELU0010 DELUXE INTERNATIONAL TRUCKS IN	3,171.58	65
314	06/10/15	DEUNI005 D & E UNIFORMS	109.95	65
315	06/10/15	DURIE005 DURIE LAWN MOWER & EQUIPMENT	191.45	65
316	06/10/15	EAST0040 EAST COAST EMERG/LGT INC	1,607.28	65
317	06/10/15	ENGL0010 ENGLEWOOD HOSP & MED CENTER	68.69	65
318	06/10/15	ESIEQ005 ESI EQUIPMENT, INC.	528.00	65
319	06/10/15	EZPAS005 E-Z PASS CUSTOMER SERVICE CENT	25.00	65
320	06/10/15	FINAN005 FINANCIAL FORMS SUPPLIES INC.	131.21	65
321	06/10/15	FIRS0065 FIRST ENVIRONMENT INC.	1,071.00	65
322	06/10/15	FORCE005 FORCELLATI BROTHERS INC	189.00	65
323	06/10/15	GALLA005 GALLAGHER, JANET	100.00	65
324	06/10/15	GENER005 GENERAL CODE PUBLISHERS	1,580.92	65
325	06/10/15	GRASS005 GRASS ROOTS INC	2,302.10	65
326	06/10/15	GROVE005 GROVE, LINDA	1,158.03	65
327	06/10/15	GUARD005 GUARDIAN	4,198.97	65
328	06/10/15	HIGHW005 HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SUPPLY INC.	1,069.47	65
329	06/10/15	HITOU005 HI TOUCH INC	2,004.37	65
330	06/10/15	HOME0010 HOMETOWN HARDWARE INC.	855.71	65
331	06/10/15	HOMED005 HOME DEPOT / GEFC INC	174.60	65
332	06/10/15	HUNTE005 HUNTER TECHNOLOGIES	298.92	65
333	06/10/15	IMMAC005 IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH	2,000.00	65

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01CURRENT		CURRENT ACCOUNT	Continued	
334	06/10/15	INTE0040 INTERBORO RADIO	17,583.50	65
335	06/10/15	JHREI005 J H REID INC	480.00	65
336	06/10/15	JOHAN005 JOHANNA KEATING	46.98	65
337	06/10/15	JOHN0040 JOHN A. CONTE JR. ESQ	1,000.00	65
338	06/10/15	JUDI0010 Judith Curran	100.00	65
339	06/10/15	KEVI0030 KEVIN CORRISTON	600.00	65
340	06/10/15	KMELE005 K & M ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS L	1,550.00	65
341	06/10/15	LEAD0005 L.E.A.D. inc.	590.00	65
342	06/10/15	LOREN005 LORENZEN, JOAN	1,547.22	65
343	06/10/15	MANGODTU U MANGODT	712.01	65
344	06/10/15	MCIEA005 MCI EASTERN SECURITY SYSTEMS	1,599.90	65
345	06/10/15	MCMAC005 McMACKIN, LORRAINE	70.00	65
346	06/10/15	MCVEY005 MCVEY, JAMES J.	1,553.37	65
347	06/10/15	MDPAR005 MD PARTNERS OF EHMC	271.31	65
348	06/10/15	MGLPR005 MGL PRINTING SOLUTIONS	430.00	65
349	06/10/15	MIELE005 MIELE SANITATION INC	93,852.32	65
350	06/10/15	MOMAR005 MOMAR, INC	275.59	65
351	06/10/15	MORPH005 MORPHOTRAK, LLC	2,633.69	65
352	06/10/15	NJLEA005 NJ LEAGUE OF MUNICIPALITIES	180.00	65
353	06/10/15	NJPLA005 NJ PLANNING OFFICIALS	46.00	65
354	06/10/15	NORT0035 NORTH EAST FIRE & SAFETY INC	45.25	65
355	06/10/15	NORT0070 NORTH JERSEY MEDIA GROUP INC	513.16	65
356	06/10/15	NORW0010 NORWOOD FIRE DEPT.	2,199.50	65
357	06/10/15	NORW0030 NORWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY	34,350.67	65
358	06/10/15	NORW0005 NORWOOD CAR CARE	5,609.05	65
359	06/10/15	ONEC0010 ONE CALL CONCEPTS INC	38.44	65
360	06/10/15	PAPE0010 PAPER CLIPS INC	670.57	65
361	06/10/15	PITN0025 PITNEY BOWES (POSTAGE BY PHONE	2,000.00	65
362	06/10/15	PSEGC005 PSE&G CO.	544.55	65
363	06/10/15	RACHL005 RACHLES/MICHELES OIL CO INC	3,299.01	65
364	06/10/15	REINER1 REINER PLUMBING	180.80	65
365	06/10/15	RITAP005 RITA PATON	100.00	65
366	06/10/15	RIVERABS RIVERSIDE ABSTRACT	35.38	65
367	06/10/15	ROBE0055 ROBERT T. REGAN, ESQ.	1,750.00	65
368	06/10/15	ROCKL005 ROCKLAND ELECTRIC CO.	5,128.02	65
369	06/10/15	ROYAL005 ROYAL PRINTING SERVICE INC	279.50	65
370	06/10/15	RUGGE005 RUGGED OUTFITTERS	1,356.50	65
371	06/10/15	SCHWA005 SCHWAAB INC	87.22	65
372	06/10/15	SHALH005 SHALHOUB KATHLEEN	150.00	65
373	06/10/15	SHERW005 SHERWIN WILLIAMS INC	866.19	65
374	06/10/15	SNAP0005 SNAP ON TOOLS- BOB SZAPKA	199.95	65
375	06/10/15	SPACC005 SPACCAVENTO AUTO SERVICE	271.26	65
376	06/10/15	SPORT005 SPORT'S TIME INC	1,560.00	65
377	06/10/15	SQUILL01 JERRY SQUILLANTE	1,050.00	65
378	06/10/15	SUBU0015 SUBURAN GLASS & MIRROR	35.00	65
379	06/10/15	SWIFT005 SWIFTREACH NETWORKS, INC.	655.40	65
380	06/10/15	THEES005 THE ESTATE AT	1,335.00	65
381	06/10/15	THOMS005 THOMSON REUTERS - WEST	320.00	65
382	06/10/15	TILCO005 TILCON NEW YORK, INC.	2,693.72	65
383	06/10/15	TREA0040 TREAS. STATE OF NJ	2,000.00	65
384	06/10/15	TREA0045 TREASURER, STATE OF NEW JERSEY	25.00	65
385	06/10/15	UNITE005 UNITED WATER OF NEW JERSEY	111.59	65

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01	CURRENT	CURRENT ACCOUNT	Continued		
386	06/10/15	USBA0015 US BANK CUST/BV001Trust	96,808.61		65
387	06/10/15	USMUN005 U.S. MUNICIPAL	697.24		65
388	06/10/15	VERI0010 VERIZON WIRELESS	708.60		65
389	06/10/15	VERI0015 VERIZON	70.32		65
390	06/10/15	VERI0020 VERIZON COMMUNICATINS (FIOS)	9.98		65
391	06/10/15	VERIZ005 VERIZON	40.73		65
392	06/10/15	VERIZ010 VERIZON	490.84		65
393	06/10/15	VOGLE005 VOGLER, RICHARD	3,409.14		65
394	06/10/15	VOLPITTA LINDSAY VOLPITTA	25.00		65
395	06/10/15	WAGNE005 WAGNER TOURS INC	875.00		65
396	06/10/15	WBMAS005 W.B. MASON CO., INC.	45.88		65
397	06/10/15	WHALE005 WHALEN & IVES INC	400.00		65
398	06/10/15	WILL0020 WILLIAM TINER	925.26		65

Checking Account Totals	Paid	Void	Amount Paid	Amount Void
Checks:	114	0	340,639.32	0.00
Direct Deposit:	0	0	0.00	0.00
Total:	114	0	340,639.32	0.00

01	CURRENT MANU	CURRENT MANUAL CHECKING			
150632	06/13/15	NORW0025 NORWOOD BOARD OF EDUCATION	787,970.83		64
150643	06/13/15	SNJHE005 SNJ HEALTH BENEFITS PROGRAM	51,410.12		64

Checking Account Totals	Paid	Void	Amount Paid	Amount Void
Checks:	2	0	839,380.95	0.00
Direct Deposit:	0	0	0.00	0.00
Total:	2	0	839,380.95	0.00

04	CAPITAL	CAPITAL			
13	06/10/15	FORCE005 FORCELLATI BROTHERS INC	1,746.00		66
14	06/10/15	MTCKE005 MTC KENWORTH INC	8,504.00		66

Checking Account Totals	Paid	Void	Amount Paid	Amount Void
Checks:	2	0	10,250.00	0.00
Direct Deposit:	0	0	0.00	0.00
Total:	2	0	10,250.00	0.00

12	TRUST	TRUST			
6	06/02/15	KEVI0030 KEVIN CORRISTON	1,000.00	06/02/15 VOID	50 (Reason: printing error)
7	06/02/15	KEVI0030 KEVIN CORRISTON	1,000.00		63
8	06/10/15	USBA0015 US BANK CUST/BV001Trust	153,800.00		67

Checking Account Totals	Paid	Void	Amount Paid	Amount Void
Checks:	2	1	154,800.00	1,000.00
Direct Deposit:	0	0	0.00	0.00
Total:	2	1	154,800.00	1,000.00

13	OPENSACE	OPEN SPACE TRUST			
3	06/10/15	ADAM0010 ADAMO BROTHERS	11,234.16		68

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13OPENSACE OPEN SPACE TRUST Continued					
Checking Account Totals		<u>Paid</u>	<u>Void</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<u>Amount Void</u>
	Checks:	1	0	11,234.16	0.00
	Direct Deposit:	0	0	0.00	0.00
	Total:	1	0	11,234.16	0.00
19DEVESCROW ESCROW					
15	06/10/15	NEGLI005 NEGLIA ENGINEERING INC	3,455.22		69
16	06/10/15	ROBE0055 ROBERT T. REGAN, ESQ.	12.00		69
Checking Account Totals		<u>Paid</u>	<u>Void</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<u>Amount Void</u>
	Checks:	2	0	3,467.22	0.00
	Direct Deposit:	0	0	0.00	0.00
	Total:	2	0	3,467.22	0.00
Report Totals		<u>Paid</u>	<u>Void</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<u>Amount Void</u>
	Checks:	123	1	1,359,771.65	1,000.00
	Direct Deposit:	0	0	0.00	0.00
	Total:	123	1	1,359,771.65	1,000.00

Totals by Year-Fund					
Fund Description	Fund	Budget Total	Revenue Total	G/L Total	Total
Current Fund Appropriations	4-01	112.97	0.00	0.00	112.97
Current Fund Appropriations	5-01	290,599.31	180.80	886,576.83	1,177,356.94
	5-12	0.00	0.00	153,800.00	153,800.00
Year Total:		290,599.31	180.80	1,040,376.83	1,331,156.94
General Capital	C-04	10,250.00	0.00	0.00	10,250.00
	G-01	2,550.36	0.00	0.00	2,550.36
Trust Other	T-12	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00
	T-13	11,234.16	0.00	0.00	11,234.16
Year Total:		12,234.16	0.00	0.00	12,234.16
Total of All Funds:		315,746.80	180.80	1,040,376.83	1,356,304.43

Project Description	Project No.	Project Total
4 john circle	19-8206-11	150.66
11 COBBLESTONE ROAD	19-8213-02	237.50
438 SUMMIT STREET	19-8213-08	364.56
515 SUMMIT STREET	19-8213-10	145.00
518 TAPPAN ROAD	19-8214-06	12.00
MATHT TUTOR	19-8215-03	542.50
214 TAPPAN ROAD	19-8215-06	2,015.00
Total of All Projects:		<u>3,467.22</u>

BOROUGH OF NORWOOD

BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION

No. 15-110

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

Confirming the Appointment of Joseph Palazzola

WHEREAS, the Borough of Norwood Police Department, because of attrition, has the need to replace a Police Officer; and

WHEREAS, upon the recommendation of Police Chief Krapels, Mayor Barsa has nominated Joseph Palazzola for appointment to the Norwood Police Department; and

WHEREAS, after an interview by the Mayor and Council, the Council finds that Mr. Palazzola is a suitable candidate for the position.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Norwood that the Mayor's appointment of Joseph Palazzola as a Probationary Police Officer of the Norwood Police Department is confirmed, with an effective date of June 15, 2015.

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Mr. Palazzola will receive a starting salary of \$43,110.00.

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
BRIZZOLARA				
MARINO				
ORECCHIO				
ASCOLESE				
RAPAPORT				
SCOTT				
MAYOR (tie)				

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution passed by the Council of the

9818113v1 Borough of Norwood at the meeting held on 20

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BOROUGH OF NORWOOD

BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION

No. 15:111

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE BOROUGH OF NORWOOD
TAX COLLECTOR TO PREPARE AND MAIL ESTIMATED TAX BILLS
IN ACCORDANCE WITH P.L. 1994 C. 72**

WHEREAS, the Borough of Norwood had a public hearing regarding its scheduled budget adoption on April 4, 2015 and the Bergen County Board of Taxation is unable to certify Norwood's tax rate at this time and the Borough of Norwood's Tax Collector will be unable to mail the Borough's 2015 tax bills on a timely basis; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Norwood's Tax Collector and Chief Financial Officer has computed an estimated tax levy in accordance with N.J.S.A. 54:4-66.3, and they have signed a certification showing the tax levies for the previous year, the tax rates and the range of permitted estimated tax levies; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Chapter 72, P.L. 1994, the Governing Body of the Borough of Norwood requests the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to approve the estimated tax levy exceeding the 105% listed below. Approval will enable the Borough to meet its financial obligations, maintain the tax collection rate, provide uniformity for tax payments and save the unnecessary cost of interest on borrowing.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the Borough of Norwood, in the County of Bergen, State of New Jersey on this 10th day of June, 2015, as follows:

1. The Borough of Norwood's Tax Collector is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and issue estimated tax bills for the Borough for the third installment of 2014 taxes. The Tax Collector shall proceed upon approval from the Director and take such actions as are permitted and required by P.L. 1993, c.72 (N.J.S.A. 54:4-66.2 and 54:4-66.3).
2. The entire estimated tax levy for 2015 is hereby set at \$26,939,484.26

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BOROUGH OF NORWOOD

BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION

No. 15:111

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- 3. In accordance with law, the third installment of 2015 taxes shall not be subject to interest until the later of August 10th or the twenty-fifth day after the date the estimated tax bills were mailed. The estimated tax bills shall contain a notice specifying the date on which interest may begin to accrue.

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
BRIZZOLARA				
MARINO				
ORECCHIO				
ASCOLESE				
RAPAPORT				
SCOTT				
MAYOR (tie)				

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CALCULATION OF PROPOSED 2015 ESTIMATED TAX RATE

BASIS OF PROPOSED TAX LEVY AND TAX RATE

2015 MUNICIPAL BUDGET - ADOPTED
 2015 LOCAL SCHOOL BUDGET - ADOPTED
 2015 BERGEN COUNTY BUDGET - INTRODUCED
 2015 BERGEN COUNTY OPEN SPACE BUDGET - INTRODUCED
 2015 REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL BUDGET - ADOPTED

ACTUAL 2014 TAX LEVY AND RATE

2015 ESTIMATED RANGE FOR TAX LEVY
 (PERCENTAGE OF 2014 LEVY)

	<u>LEVY</u>	<u>TAX RATE</u>		<u>95.00%</u>	<u>105.00%</u>
MUNICIPAL	7,687,541.00	0.6520	MUNICIPAL	7,303,163.95	8,071,918.05
MUNICIPAL OPEN SPACE	117,924.00	0.0100	LOCAL SCHOOL	112,027.80	123,820.20
LOCAL SCHOOL	9,363,309.00	0.7940	LOCAL SCHOOL	8,895,143.55	9,831,474.45
REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	6,556,743.00	0.5560	REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	6,228,905.85	6,884,580.15
COUNTY	2,826,318.03	0.2400	COUNTY	2,685,002.13	2,967,633.93
COUNTY OPEN SPACE	<u>30,633.62</u>	<u>0.0030</u>	COUNTY OPEN SPACE	<u>29,101.94</u>	<u>32,165.30</u>
TOTALS	<u>26,582,468.65</u>	<u>2.2550</u>	TOTALS	<u>25,253,345.22</u>	<u>27,911,592.08</u>

2015 ESTIMATED TAX RATE

2015 NET VALUE TAXABLE - 1,180,538,000

AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION:

TAX RATE:

MUNICIPAL	7,802,747.03	0.661	(PROPOSED BUDGET OVER 105% RANGE)
MUNICIPAL OPEN SPACE	118,053.00	0.010	(PROPOSED BUDGET WITHIN 105% RANGE)
LOCAL SCHOOL	9,325,937.00	0.790	(ADOPTED BUDGET OVER 105% RANGE)
REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	6,692,948.00	0.567	(PROPOSED BUDGET WITHIN 105% RANGE)
COUNTY	2,967,633.93	0.251	(APPROVED BUDGET WITHIN 105% RANGE)
COUNTY OPEN SPACE	<u>32,165.30</u>	<u>0.003</u>	(APPROVED BUDGET WITHIN 105% RANGE)
TOTALS	<u>26,939,484.26</u>	<u>2.282</u>	

CERTIFIED BY: _____
 JUDITH CURRAN
 Chief Financial Officer and Tax Collector

BOROUGH OF NORWOOD

BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION

No. 15117

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

RESOLUTION OPPOSING THE MUNICIPAL "USER-FRIENDLY" BUDGET

WHEREAS, the Municipal "User-Friendly" Budget was explained to elected officials of Bergen County towns by one of their auditing firms at the April 14, 2015 Bergen County League of Municipalities (BCLOM) Mayors Breakfast; and

WHEREAS, all those in attendance saw no benefit to themselves or anyone else from the extra work and expense involved in these added requirements; and

WHEREAS, certain aspects of these requirements were in fact perceived to be detrimental to the interests of municipalities and their taxpayers; and

WHEREAS, no funding source was identified to cover the cost of the additional work to comply with these additional requirements; and

WHEREAS, this State's constitution requires the State to pay for State mandated programs and services; and

WHEREAS, the deadlines currently in effect are unrealistic and unattainable partly because the State system itself is not yet 100% operational;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Norwood emphatically opposes the concept and the implementation of the Municipal "User-Friendly" Budget.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be sent to all Bergen County Legislators, the Governor's Office, the Local Finance Board, the Division of Local Government Services, the New Jersey State League of Municipalities and every Bergen County Municipality.

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
BRIZZOLARA				
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MAYOR (tie)				

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RESOLUTION

No. 15113

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

**AWARD BID FOR THE 2015 ROAD RESURFACING PROGRAM ON
BEHALF OF THE BOROUGH OF NORWOOD**

WHEREAS, NJSA 40A:11-10(1) authorizes contracting units to enter into cooperative pricing agreements; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Northvale has volunteered to act as "Lead Agency" for the purchase of work, materials and supplies for the Riverside Cooperative for the year 2015; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Northvale received five (5) bids on April 21, 2015 for the 2015 Riverside Cooperative Road Improvement Program on behalf of the Boroughs of Alpine, Demarest, Englewood Cliffs, Harrington Park, Haworth, New Milford, Northvale, Norwood, River Edge, and Tenafly; and

WHEREAS, the bids have been tabulated and reviewed by Paul Niehoff of Maser Consulting, Borough Engineer for the Borough of Northvale and for the Riverside Cooperative.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that a contract be awarded to JA Alexander, 130-158 John F. Kennedy Boulevard, N. of Bloomfield, NJ 07003 in the amount of \$2,923,392.97.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Northvale Mayor and Borough Clerk be and are hereby authorized and directed to execute a Master Contract with the above named firm for the 2015 road Resurfacing Program acting as the Lead Agency on behalf of the Riverside Cooperative, 35-RC; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Boroughs of Boroughs of Alpine, Demarest, Englewood Cliffs, Harrington Park, Haworth, New Milford, Northvale, Norwood, River Edge, and Tenafly shall be responsible for entering into individual contracts with the above named firm covering the scope of work under the Base Bid for each respective municipality; and

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RESOLUTION

No. 150113

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Borough Clerk be and are hereby authorized and directed to execute a contract with the above named firm for the Borough of Norwood's 2015 Resurfacing Program in the amount of \$199,160.00 included in the base bid; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that funds are available in the 2015 Road Improvement Ordinance for the Borough of Norwood work under the contract for the 2015 Road Resurfacing Program.

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RESOLUTION

No. 15214

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

APPOINTMENT OF PATROLMAN NICHOLAS MOLTZEN AS PERMANENT POLICE OFFICER IN THE NORWOOD POLICE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, Patrolman Nicholas Moltzen was appointed a probationary police officer with the Norwood Police Department on July 1, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Patrolman Moltzen has completed twelve months of probation; and

WHEREAS, Patrolman Moltzen has performed his duties faithfully, impartially, and justly since joining the Norwood Police Department; and

WHEREAS, Patrolman Moltzen gets along with his fellow officers and superiors and is a valuable asset to the Norwood Police Department; and

WHEREAS, Chief Krapels has recommended that the Mayor and Council appoint Patrolman Moltzen for permanent appointment to the Norwood Police Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Norwood, County of Bergen and State of New Jersey that Patrolman Nicholas Moltzen is hereby appointed a permanent member of the Norwood Police Department.

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
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RESOLUTION

No. 15115

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

**AUTHORIZING REFUND FOR ADDITIONAL TAX OVERPAYMENT
BLOCK 98 LOT 8**

WHEREAS, a double payment for the second quarter 2015 taxes was received by the Tax Department for Block 98, Lot 8, also known as 11 Jenni Lane, Norwood, NJ; and

WHEREAS, the title company, Riverside Abstract, had originally requested the return of the overpayment in the amount of \$5,220.62 so that the company may refund this money to its client, Mr. and Mrs. Shapira, the owners of 11 Jenni Lane for which the Chief Financial Officer did draft a check; and

WHEREAS, upon further investigation, the Tax Collector discovered that the refund of the overpayment was short by \$35.38 and Riverside Abstract requested a refund for this additional overpayment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Norwood that the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to refund the balance of the overpayment in the amount of \$35.38 to Riverside Abstract per the above.

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
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RESOLUTION

No. 15-116

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

**AUTHORIZING REFUND OF TAX OVERPAYMENT
BLOCK 136, LOT 1**

WHEREAS, Ms. Mangodt overpaid second quarter 2015 taxes on property known as 9 Carpenter Avenue, Block 136, Lot 1, due to the homestead credit that was applied to this property; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Mangodt has requested a refund of the overpayment; and

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector is permitted to refund this payment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Norwood that the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to refund the overpayment in the amount of \$712.01 to Ms. Mangdot per the above.

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
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RESOLUTION

No. 15:117

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

**AUTHORIZING REFUND OF TAX OVERPAYMENT
BLOCK 153, LOT 8**

WHEREAS, Ms. Barbara Struss overpaid second quarter 2015 taxes on property known as 72 Demarest Street, Block 153, Lot 8, due to the homestead credit that was applied to this property; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Struss has requested a refund of the overpayment; and

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector is permitted to refund this payment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Norwood that the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to refund the overpayment in the amount of \$504.25. to Ms. Barbara Struss per the above.

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
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RESOLUTION

No. 15118

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

**APPROVING INSERTION OF AN ITEM OF REVENUE
IN 2015 BUDGET**

WHEREAS, NJSA 40A:4-87 provides that the Director of the Division of Local Government Services may approve the insertion of any special item of revenue in the budget of any county or municipality when such item shall have been made available by law and the amount was not determined at the time of the adoption of the budget; and

WHEREAS, the Director may also approve the insertion of an item of appropriation for equal amount;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Governing Body of the Borough of Norwood in the County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, hereby requests the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to approve the insertion of an item of revenue in the budget of the year 2015 in the sum \$11,008.90 as a result of a check in this amount having been received by the Borough of Norwood from a Clean Communities Grant.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the like sum of \$11,008.90 be appropriated under the caption:

Revenue: Clean Communities Grant 2015
Appropriations: Clean Communities Grant – 2015

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
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RESOLUTION

No. 15-119

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

VOID CHECK RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, from time to time it becomes necessary for the Chief Financial Officer to void checks or stop payment on checks; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council is desirous of keeping track of these checks by separate resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has listed below checks to be voided and/or stopped payment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Norwood, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey hereby authorizes the Chief Financial Officer to void and/or stop payment on those checks listed below:

<u>Check Number</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Amount</u>
11	Capital	\$ 0.00
282	Current	\$714,000.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to reissue new checks if necessary.

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
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RESOLUTION

No. 15120

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

CHANGE ORDER AND PROJECT ACCEPTANCE

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Norwood, Bergen County, State of New Jersey upon the recommendation of the Borough Engineer that the Change Order for the contract listed below be and is hereby approved.

TITLE OF JOB: Kennedy Park Baseball Dugout Installation

CONTRACTOR: Adamo Brothers, 1033 Alexander Avenue, Ridgefield, NJ

CHANGE ORDER: No. 1

AMOUNT OF CHANGE ORDER: \$5,402.00 (9.01% Decrease)

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this project was constructed by Adamo Brothers in accordance with the Plans and Specifications and the above noted Change Order as directed by the Borough Engineer. The contractor has supplied Maintenance Bond No. 019048300M in the amount of Thirteen Thousand Six Hundred Forty Dollars (\$13,640.00) for a period of two (2) years from May 19, 2015. The said construction is hereby accepted and final payment in the amount of Eleven Thousand Two Hundred Thirty Four Dollars and Sixteen Cents (\$11,234.16) is hereby approved.

This Resolution to take effect upon certification by the Municipal Treasurer that sufficient funds are available.

Dated: June 10, 2015

Judith Curran, CFO/Treasurer

Dated: June 10, 2015

James P. Barsa, Mayor

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RESOLUTION

No. 15-121

OFFERED BY SECONDED BY

AUTHORIZING TAX SALE REDEMPTION

WHEREAS, at the Tax Sale held on November 12, 2014, the Borough of Norwood sold a tax lien on Block 18, Lot 1.01, also known as 74 Sherwood Road, for delinquent 2013 taxes, owned by Van Dyke, Anne; and

WHEREAS, this Tax Lien Certificate #14-00014 was sold to US Bank/Custodian for Blue Virgo I for 0.00% with a premium of \$153,800.00; and

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector has received a check in the amount of \$96,808.61 to redeem this lien on behalf of the owner; and after the Tax Collector received verification from the lien holder as to the total amount due as of June 30, 2015, this date being the date of the next council meeting after such redemption request.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Norwood, State of New Jersey that Judith Curran, Tax Collector, be authorized to refund a total of \$96,808.61 and \$153,800.00 premium payable to US Bank Custodian for Blue Virgo I, lien holder, 50 South 16th Street, Suite 2050, Philadelphia, PA 19102-2513. The premium must be returned as redemption is being made within the 5 year State statute.

Tax Lien	\$ 39,577.91			
Interest on Certificate:				
6% Redemption Penalty	2,374.67	1099:		
Subsequent Taxes	51,410.66	Sub. Interest:	\$ 3,390.37	
Subsequent Interest	3,390.37	6%Penalty	2,374.67	
Recording Fee	43.00			
Search Fee	12.00			
TOTAL	\$ 96,808.61	TOTAL 1099:	\$ 5,765.04	

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