

**BOROUGH OF WATCHUNG**

**MAYOR AND COUNCIL  
MINUTES  
SPECIAL MEETING  
JUNE 22, 2017  
8 A.M.**

**OPENING STATEMENT:** Acting Mayor Debra Joren called the meeting to order at 8:00 AM and made the following statement: Under the provisions of N.J.S.A.10:4-6 et seq., notice of the time and place of this meeting was given by way of annual notice to the Courier News, Echoes Sentinel, and Star Ledger, and posted at Borough Hall.

**SALUTE TO THE FLAG and a MOMENT OF SILENCE FOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN, SERVING HOME AND ABROAD.**

**ROLL CALL:**

Joren [ P ] Black [ P ] Nehls [ P ] Gibbs [ P ] Mobus [ A ] Sopko [ P ]

Also present were Administrator Tom Atkins, Clerk Michelle DeRocco, and Deputy Clerk MaryAnn Hance.

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**PUBLIC PORTION / AGENDA ITEMS ONLY**

No one from the public was in attendance

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**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

A public hearing on Ordinance: OR:17/08 entitled: **“BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE 2017 ROAD RESURFACING PROGRAM IN, BY AND FOR THE BOROUGH OF WATCHUNG, IN THE COUNTY OF SOMERSET, NEW JERSEY, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$240,000 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, 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.”** was held.

Councilman Gibbs moved a public hearing be held with a second by Councilman Nehls and upon roll call the vote was as follows: Joren, Black, Nehls, Gibbs, Sopko, “aye.”

With no one from the public wishing to be heard Councilman Gibbs closed the public hearing and moved the following resolution:

R1:6/22/17SP Adoption of OR:17/08 – Bond Ordinance / 2017 Road Resurfacing Program

Councilman Nehls seconded the motion and upon roll call the vote was as follows: Joren, Black, Nehls, Gibbs, Sopko, “aye.”

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**ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 8:03 AM to the Call of the Chair and to a Special meeting to be held on Wednesday, June 28, 2017 at 5:00 P.M. and then the regular scheduled meeting to be held on Thursday, July 20, 2017 at 7:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

MaryAnn Hance  
Deputy Clerk