

STRATFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL  
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES  
TUESDAY NOVEMBER 13, 2018  
7:00 P.M.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mayor Keenan led the Pledge and said an opening prayer.

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Keenan called the meeting to order at 7:00

STATEMENT OF ADVERTISEMENT: The Mayor read the following statement:  
Notice of this meeting has been provided to the Courier Post and Central record and is posted on the Borough Hall Bulletin Board stating the time and the place of the meeting.

ROLL CALL:

MAYOR JOSH KEENAN - PRESENT  
COUNCIL PRESIDENT FRANK HARTMAN- ABSENT  
TOM COLLINS, COUNCILMAN - PRESENT  
PATRICK GILLIGAN, COUNCILMAN - ABSENT  
PATRICK GREEN, COUNCILMAN- PRESENT  
LINDA HALL, COUNCILWOMAN- PRESENT  
TINA LOMANNO, COUNCILWOMAN - PRESENT  
ALEN ARNAUTOVIC, SOLICITOR - PRESENT  
RON MORELLO, POLICE CHIEF - PRESENT  
BEN ANGELI, BOROUGH CLERK - PRESENT

PUBLIC PORTION FOR AGENDA ITEMS ONLY:

Collins motioned to open the public portion on agenda items only. Green seconded the motion, which passed with all members present voting in favor in a voice vote.

John Gentless, Union Ave., asked about the salary Ordinance. The Clerk explained that this was due to the shared service arrangement with another town and was not any additional cost to Stratford.

Chris Conroy, Parkview Road, stated that speaking for the people in the office that they are very happy with he current Code enforcement official. He is very organized and is available in the office to handle any problems. He handles his own clerical work and is an asset to the Borough.

Lomanno motioned to close the public portion for agenda items. Collins seconded the motion, which passed with all members present voting in favor in a voice vote.

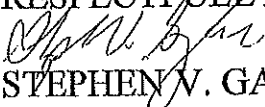
REPORTS:

ORDINANCE & PROPERTY      Councilman Patrick Green read the Code Enforcement report as follows:

STRATFORD  
CODE ENFORCEMENT MONTHLY REPORT

MONTH: OCTOBER 2018

FOLLOW UP'S	20
WARNINGS LETTERS	13
VIOLATIONS RESOLVED	19
COMPLAINTS SIGNED	2

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,  
  
STEPHEN V. GAGLIARDI  
CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

FINANCE & REVENUE

Councilman Tom Collins read his report as follows:

Balance as of 10-1-18 – \$1,401,889.58

Total Receipts - \$3,089,618.13

Total Disbursements - \$1,441,626.72

Balance as of 10-31-18 – \$3,049,880.99

Total in other Funds - \$2,357,583.19

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Councilwoman Hall read portions of the following reports:

Stratford Fire Department

TO: DIRECTOR OF FIRE  
Subject Monthly Report

The Stratford Fire Department responded to 39 Alarms 2 Drills in the month October 2018. The following list is a breakdown of the same.

	MONTH	YR. TO DATE
DWELLING FIRES.....	0	8
BUILDINGS FIRES.....	0	8
INVESTIGATIONS.....	3	22
OUT OF TOWN ASSISTS.....	16	147
ALARMS SYSTEMS.....	4	54
ASSIST AMBULANCE, POLICE, PUBLIC....	6	52
CAR FIRES.....	1	3
WIRES, TREES DOWN.....	4	33
RESCUES & M.V.A.'S.....	8	36
BRUSH FIRES.....	1	7
DRILLS.....	2	21

Total man hours on the above Alarms Drills was 415

Respectfully Submitted, Stephen Gagliardi, Deputy Chief

**STRATFORD AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION**  
**502 W. ATLANTIC AVENUE**  
**STRATFORD, NJ 08084**

Councilman Frank Hartman  
Director of Emergency Services

November 1, 2018

The Stratford Ambulance Association **Paid Crew** responded to 111 **Alarms** in the month of **October 2018**, the following is a breakdown of the same:

	<b>Paid</b>	
	<b>Month</b>	<b>Y.T.D.</b>
1. Assault	2	15
2. Bleeding	4	24
3. Cardiac	12	92
4. CVA	1	17
5. Diabetic	3	14
6. Fall	14	135
7. Fire Call	1	26
8. Haz-Mat	0	0
9. Maternity	0	3
10. Medical Emergency	28	311
11. Medical Alarm	2	15
12. MVA	14	91
13. Overdose	1	29
14. Ped/MVA	0	9
15. Psych. Emergency	10	76
16. Respiratory	8	88
17. Seizures	4	32
18. Sick Person	3	36
19. Special Assignment	0	2
20. Unconscious Person	4	81

**Year to Date Calls**  
**Paid: 1096**

Respectfully Submitted:

Lois Tadley  
Chief-Stratford Ambulance

***STRATFORD AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION***  
***502 W. ATLANTIC AVENUE***  
***STRATFORD, NJ 08084***

Councilman Frank Hartman  
Director of Emergency Services

November 1, 2018

The Stratford Ambulance Association **Volunteer Crew** responded to **18 Alarms** in the month of **October 2018**, the following is a breakdown of the same:

	<b>Volunteer</b>	
	<b><u>Month</u></b>	<b><u>Y.T.D.</u></b>
1. Assault	0	2
2. Bleeding	0	8
3. Cardiac	0	11
4. CVA	0	2
5. Diabetic	0	3
6. Fall	3	12
7. Fire Call	0	2
8. Haz-Mat	0	0
9. Maternity	0	0
10. Medical Emergency	7	47
11. Medical Alarm	0	0
12. MVA	0	11
13. Overdose	0	6
14. Ped/MVA	0	1
15. Psych. Emergency	5	23
16. Respiratory	0	11
17. Seizures	0	2
18. Sick Person	1	5
19. Special Assignment	0	0
20. Unconscious Person	2	9

**Year to Date Calls**  
**Volunteer: 155**

Respectfully Submitted:

Lois Tadley  
Chief-Stratford Ambulance

PUBLIC WORKS & LIGHTING      Councilman Tom Collins

**October 2018 Monthly Report**

- 1) Power washing of Borough Hall
- 2) Power washing of Police Station
- 3) Cutting of Borough Properties, Parks and Ballfields
- 4) Cutting of Schools, Railroad, Quaker Store and Sterling Arms
- 5) Planting of Mum's at Borough Hall and Sterling Arms
- 6) Picked up new 450 Dump truck
- 7) Sent new truck out for plow and salt spreader to be installed
- 8) Installed new fence at Borough Parking lot
- 9) Chipper out two times for the month
- 10) Cleaning of storm drains

**Activity Report for Utility Department**  
**Month of October 2018**

- Call outs for emergency service: 9
- Performed preemptive checks and required maintenance of all manholes and pump stations
- Sewer line maintenance performed: n/a
- Work requests performed:
  - Obtained supplies and performed maintenance to correct state fire inspection violations at the Public Works/Sewer complex
  - Watered the Borough flower gardens
  - Cleaned the Library roof and checked for leaks
  - Cleaned the Senior Center gutters
  - Secured the side door of 116 Berlin Rd.
  - Replaced 7 sections of fence at the Borough parking lot
- Regular maintenance activities performed include:
  - Weekly trash pickup and cleanup at Yellin School, Parkview School and Vassar Ave. ball fields
  - Clearing of debris from storm drains after rain
  - Bi-weekly town wide metal/appliance collection

**PUBLIC EVENTS:**

Councilwoman Linda Hall spoke about the scarecrow contest and that it went well. Due to the weather, the scarecrows were up, down, in the conference room and back up. She thanked her family for all their help. The winners were: First place – Stratford dental, second place – True Line Tattoo and third place – Laurel Manor. Ms. Hall spoke about the success of the Halloween event and how great it was to have some of the kids helping out with the decorations, She mentioned that it was great having the Eagles pep band at the event. She mentioned that the next event would be the tree lighting on December 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 and that volunteers would be doing a craft and that Miss Stratford and Santa would be at the event.

**POLICE**

Councilwoman Tina Lomanno read her report as follows:

**POLICE ACTIVITY FOR THE MONTH OF October 2018**

<u>41</u>	Adult Arrests	
<u>0</u>	Juvenile Arrests	
<u>1</u>	Assaults to Police	
<u>24</u>	Simple Assaults Complaints	
<u>5</u>	Criminal Mischief Complaints	
<u>8</u>	Harassment Complaints	
<u>121</u>	Other Investigations & Complaints	
<u>0</u>	Burglaries	
<u>0</u>	Robberies	
<u>5</u>	Thefts	<u>\$7320.00</u>
<u>\$6200</u>	Stolen Property Recovered	
<u>1</u>	Motor Vehicle Thefts	
<u>12</u>	D. W. I Arrests	
<u>6</u>	Narcotics Arrests	
<u>440</u>	Traffic Summonses issued	<u>Red light Camera Summonses</u>
<u>29</u>	Motor Vehicle Accidents	
<u>8</u>	Injuries from Car Accidents	<u>2, pedestrians</u>
<u>32</u>	Alarm Activations	
		<u>94</u> Total crime reports taken
		<u>734</u> Total Calls for Police Service

**OLD BUSINESS:**

ORDINANCE 2018:12      AMENDING ORDINANCE 2018:05 ESTABLISHING SALARIES

**ORDINANCE 2018:12  
AMENDING ORDINANCE 2018:05 ESTABLISHING SALARIES**

WHEREAS, It has become necessary to amend certain salaries set forth in ordinance 2018:05

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by Mayor and Council of the Borough of Stratford, County of Camden, and State of New Jersey that Ordinance 2018:05 is amended as follows:

**Section 1: Delete:**

Construction Code Official \$4,500.00 - \$5,000.00

**Section 1: Add**

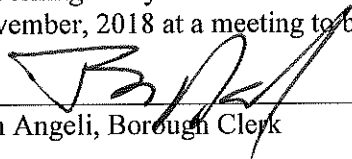
Construction Code Official \$4,500.00 - \$20,000.00

Section 3. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held by any Court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon posting, publication, final passage in the manner prescribed by law.

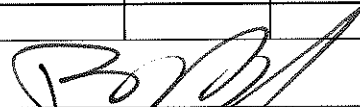
**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the foregoing ordinance was introduced and passed on the first reading at a meeting of the Governing Body held on the 9th day of October, 2018 and will be considered for final passage on the 13th day of November, 2018 at a meeting to be held at the Stratford Justice Facility, 315 Union Avenue, Stratford, NJ.

  
Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing was held for the foregoing ordinance on November 13, 2018. I certify that the foregoing Ordinance 2018:12 was approved for final adoption by the Governing Body of the Borough of Stratford, County of Camden, State of New Jersey at a meeting held on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018.

	MOTION	SECOND	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT	RECUSE
COLLINS		X	X				
GILLIGAN						X	
GREEN			X				
HARTMAN						X	
HALL	X		X				
LOMANNO			X				

  
Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk

Josh Keenan, Mayor

Collins motioned to open the public hearing on ordinance 2018:12. Hall seconded the motion, which passed with all members present voting in favor in a Voice Vote.



Agnes Moore, Laureba Ave., asked what the amendment was for and the Clerk explained that due to a shared service with another town we had to adjust our range for one of our construction officials. This would not cost the taxpayers any addition money since we get reimbursed by the other town.

Green motioned to close the public hearing on ordinance 2018:12. Hall seconded the motion, which passed with all members present voting in favor in a Voice Vote.

Hall motioned to adopt Ordinance 2018:12. Collins seconded the motion, which passed with all members present voting in favor in a Roll Call Vote.

NEW BUSINESS:

ORDINANCE 2018:13      CREATING A KNOX BOX “RAPID ENTRY SYSTEM” IN THE BOROUGH OF STRATFORD

This is the first reading and introduction, the public hearing for this ordinance will be on December 11, 2018 at 7:00.

**ORDINANCE 2018:13**

**CREATING A KNOX BOX “RAPID ENTRY SYSTEM”  
IN THE BOROUGH OF STRATFORD**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Stratford as follows:

**Section 1:      Purpose**

The following subsection requiring the installation of a Knox Box “Rapid Entry System” on new construction structures as noted below, and to establish installation requirements and compliance as determined by the Stratford Fire Chief and Stratford Code Official.

Experience has shown when fires occur in buildings, the Fire Department must make entry into the structure, locate, confine, control and extinguishment the fire. Further, fires within buildings are not always readily evident from the outside when the fire department arrives. Delaying fire department entry into a building can and will allow a fire to grow and make the fire more dangerous. When evidence of a fire is noted from the outside, forcible entry into a building is time consuming and represents a delay in locating and extinguishing the fire. In order to expedite entry into a structure and to aid the Fire Department in the task of extinguishment, the installation of a Knox Box “Rapid Entry System” shall be required on new construction structures and highly recommended on existing businesses as noted below.

**Section 2:      Definitions**

**AUTOMATIC DIALER:** a device that automatically dials and/or relays a prerecorded message to a central station or the Fire Department.

**AUTOMATIC FIRE SUPPRESSION SYSTEM:** a system or assembly of piping, valves, controls and sprinklers which are designed and installed to comply with the NFPA standards, which utilized water, foam, CO2 or other as to automatically react to suppress fire.

**CENTRAL STATION:** an office of a private company which remote alarm and supervisory signaling devices are transmitted and where personnel are in attendance at all times to supervise the circuits and investigate signals.

**FIRE ALARM SYSTEM:** equipment which automatically actuates a fire decrease in temperature or activation or a sprinkler system or manually activated device.

**LOCK BOX:** a high security key vault which is under the UL 1610 and the UL 1037 standards, master keyed with a Medeco Biaxial Level 7 or equivalent lock. Locks shall be keyed to the key configuration provided by the Stratford Fire Department.

### **Section 3. Requirement**

A. The owner or person in control of the following types of buildings shall install and maintain a Rapid Entry Key Box of a type approved by the Stratford Fire Chief and Stratford Code Official prior to the issuance of a certificate of occupancy:

- i. All newly constructed buildings within the Borough of Stratford, having automatic alarm system, dialer, Central Station or equipped with an automatic fire suppression system except one and two family owner-occupied dwellings.
- ii. New constructed Multi-family residential structures, including senior citizen apartment/condo complexes that have restricted access through locked doors and have a common corridor for access to the living units.
- iii. New constructed Commercial and industrial buildings identified by the Stratford Fire Chief as difficult to access during emergencies.
- iv. All new constructed high rise buildings, i.e. structures having floors at or above fifty (50) feet above ground level.

B. The owner or occupant of any existing business or structure who decides to install a Rapid Entry Key Box shall be required to comply with the terms of this Ordinance.

### **Section 4. Exemptions**

The following structures are exempt from the mandate to install the Rapid Entry Knox Box System:

- i. Single family structures and multi-family structures that do not meet the requirements set forth in Section 3 above.
- ii. Structures that are staffed 24 hours a day, 365 days a year (which may include but are not limited to nursing homes, hospitals, police stations, fire stations etc.)

- iii. Structures that have 24 hour, 365 day on site security staff or personnel on site
- iv. Schools whether public or private

**Section 5. Key Box Location:**

A. The Key Box, shall be of a UL type, and approved by the Stratford Fire Chief and Stratford Code Official. The Key Box shall be installed, at or near the recognized public entrance, adjacent to the fire alarm panel, on the exterior of the structure or in a location or locations designated and approved by the Stratford Fire Chief.

B. The box shall be located at a height approved by the Stratford Fire Chief and Stratford Code Official of not less than four (4) feet and not more than ten (10) feet above the final grade. The Key Box is not required to be attached to or monitored by the alarm system, however, this action is recommended. The Knox Box does come equipped with the option to connect to the alarm monitoring system.

**Section 6. Knox Box Contents**

Any Knox Box installed pursuant to this Ordinance shall contain the following:

- i. Keys/fobs to locked points of access/egress, whether interior or exterior of such buildings.
- ii. Keys/fobs to all locked rooms and/or panels, including but not limited to mechanical, electrical, sprinkler and alarms.
- iii. Keys to locked elevator rooms and elevator controls.
- iv. Keys/fobs to any fenced or otherwise physically secured area.
- v. Keys/fobs to any other areas, as determined necessary and appropriate, by the Stratford Fire Chief.
- vi. Emergency information card, containing the name(s) and telephone number(s) of emergency contacts for such buildings.

**Section 7. Compliance:**

The Fire Sub-code Official shall be responsible for compliance with the section requirements, for all buildings currently under plan review for future construction.

The property owner shall immediately notify the Stratford Fire Chief or his designee and provide the new key(s) when a lock is changed or rekeyed. The updated key shall then be secured in the Knox Box.

**Section 8. Penalties:**

Penalties for non-compliance by any building owner, in violation of the provisions of this section, shall be subject to a penalty being assessed after receiving notice by the Stratford Fire Chief and Stratford Code Official.

**Section 9. Inconsistency**

All ordinances and provisions thereof inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be and are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

**Section 10. Invalidity**

If any section, subsection or part, clause or phrase of this Ordinance shall be declared invalid by judgment of any court of competent jurisdiction, all other parts or provisions of this Ordinance shall be considered severable and deemed lawful and enforceable.

**Section 11. Effective Date**

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately after final passage and publication as required by law.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the foregoing ordinance was introduced and passed on the first reading at a meeting of the Governing Body held on the 13th day of November, 2018 and will be considered for final passage on the 11th day of December, 2018 at a meeting to be held at the Stratford Justice Facility, 315 Union Avenue, Stratford, NJ.

  
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Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk

Green motioned to approve the introduction of Ordinance 2018:13. Lomanno seconded the motion and all members present voting in favor in a Roll Call Vote.

**RESOLUTIONS 2018-208 THROUGH 2018-212 WILL BE DONE AS A CONSENT AGENDA**

The Clerk stated that Council can at this time request to remove any of the resolutions from the consent agenda and they can be voted on separately. There were no requests to remove any of the resolutions from the consent agenda and the Clerk read the resolutions by title.

RES. 2018:208      HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

**RESOLUTION 2018:208**

**HOLIDAY SCHEDULE**

WHEREAS, the seasonal Holiday of Christmas falls on Tuesday, December 25<sup>th</sup>; and

WHEREAS, the seasonal Holiday of New Year's Day falls on Tuesday, January 1st; and

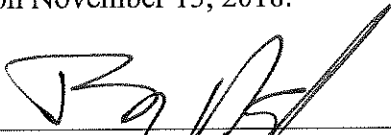
WHEREAS, both of the Mondays before the Holidays were scheduled as half days for certain Borough employees; and

WHEREAS, the Borough finds it more practical to close the offices on a Monday before a Holiday;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by Mayor and Council to have the Administrative Offices, Public Works and Municipal Court closed on Monday, December 24, 2018 and Monday, December 31, 2018,

FURTHERMORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the employees will be paid for the full day.

I, Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk, do hereby certify the foregoing Resolution to be a true and complete copy of a Resolution duly adopted at a public meeting of the Governing Body of the Borough of Stratford at a meeting held on November 13, 2018.



Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk

RES. 2018:209      AUTHORIZE BOROUGH CLERK TO ADVERTISE TO RECEIVE PROPOSALS  
FOR 2019 PROFESSIONALS AND RISK MANAGEMENT CONSULTANT

**RESOLUTION 2018:209**

**AUTHORIZE BOROUGH CLERK TO ADVERTISE TO RECEIVE  
PROPOSALS FOR 2019 PROFESSIONALS AND RISK  
MANAGEMENT CONSULTANT**

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5 et seq. was created to regulate "Pay-To-Play" in the branches of NJ government including counties and municipalities; and

WHEREAS, on or after January 1, 2007, the Law prohibits a municipality from awarding contracts with a value in excess of \$17,500. to a business entity that makes certain reportable contributions one year prior to the contract; and

WHEREAS, the contractor can be awarded a contract even though he may have reportable contributions, if the award is made through a "fair and open" process; and

WHEREAS, to be "fair and open" the contract should be advertised to give notice in advance of the contract, and publicly opened and announced when awarded; and

WHEREAS, the minimum requirements of a "fair and open" process are:

- Publicly advertised with sufficient time of 10 calendar days to give notice, and
- Awarded under a process that provides for public solicitation of proposals, and
- Established on the basis of an award and disclosure process documented in writing prior to any solicitation, and

WHEREAS, the notice should include:

- A description of the requested goods or services;
- The time, date, and place proposals must be submitted;
- Contract information for obtaining the proposal document;
- The name of the agency requesting the proposal; and
- A statement that the proposal is being solicited through fair and open process in accordance with N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5 et seq.

WHEREAS, there are several alternatives in choosing their basis for award under a fair and open process such as:

Choosing the lowest responsible bidder as in traditional bidding  
The standard used by both state government and the competitive contracting model  
"most advantageous price and other factors considered".  
Other fair and open process established by the agency

WHEREAS, the bids do not have to be opened and awarded at the same time, do not have to be opened at a public meeting, and can be awarded at a separate time by resolution by the Governing Body with wording stating to a "fair and open" process or a "non-fair and open process"; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by Mayor and Council to authorize the Borough Clerk to advertise to receive proposals for the 2019 year under the "fair and open process" of the pay-to-play law, and have resolutions to awards ready for the Governing Body's Reorganization Meeting to be held on January 2, 2019 for the following services:

BOROUGH ENGINEER  
BOROUGH SOLICITOR  
BOROUGH AUDITOR  
REDEVELOPMENT SOLICITOR  
REDEVELOPMENT PLANNER  
RISK MANAGEMENT CONSULTANT

FURTHERMORE, the following services for the 2019 year will also be included and forwarded to the appropriate Boards such as the Joint Land Use Board to take action at their Reorganization Meeting to be held on January 24, 2019 for the following service:

BOARD ENGINEER  
BOARD SOLICITOR

I, Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk, hereby certify the above resolution was adopted by the Governing Body on November 13, 2018.

  
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Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk

RES. 2018:210

APPOINT CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICIAL

**RESOLUTION 2018:210**

**APPOINT CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICIAL**

WHEREAS, the Borough of Stratford has determined that they are in need of a code enforcement official; and

WHEREAS, the recommendation has been submitted to the Governing Body of Stephen V. Gagliardi of 13 College Circle, Stratford, NJ to be reappointed the Code Enforcement Official,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Mayor and Council to appoint Steven Gagliardi as the Stratford Borough Code Enforcement Official for a term of one year effective November 14, 2018.

I, Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk, do hereby certify the foregoing Resolution to be a true and complete copy of a Resolution duly adopted at a public meeting of the Governing Body of the Borough of Stratford at a meeting held on November 13, 2018.

  
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Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk

RES. 2018:211

APPOINT KRISDEN M. McCRINK AS MUNICIPAL JUDGE

**RESOLUTION 2018:211**

**APPOINT KRISDEN M. McCRINK AS MUNICIPAL JUDGE**

WHEREAS, the Borough of Stratford has determined that they are in need of a Municipal Judge; and

WHEREAS, the recommendation has been submitted to the Governing Body of Krisden M. McCrink to be appointed the Municipal Judge for the Borough of Stratford; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Mayor and Council to appoint Krisden M. McCrink as the Stratford Borough Municipal Judge for a three-year term effective December 1, 2018.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this appointment is conditional on Krisden M. McCrink signing and returning the offer letter issued to her by the Borough of Stratford.

I, Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk, do hereby certify the foregoing Resolution to be a true and complete copy of a Resolution duly adopted at a public meeting of the Governing Body of the Borough of Stratford at a meeting held on November 13, 2018.



Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk

RES. 2018:212

2018 TRANSFER OF FUNDS

**RESOLUTION 2018:212**

**2018 TRANSFER OF FUNDS**

**NOVEMBER 13, 2018**

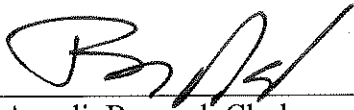
**FROM:**

Assessor OE                      308.16

**TO:**

PERS                                      308.16

I, Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk, do hereby certify the foregoing Resolution to be a true and complete copy of a Resolution duly adopted at a public meeting of the Governing Body of the Borough of Stratford at a meeting held on November 13, 2018.



Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk

Green motioned to approve the consent agenda. Collins seconded the motion and all members present voting in favor in a Roll Call Vote.

APPROVAL OF BILLS:

Animal checks	1782	through	1785	
Manual checks	19861	through	19866	
Payroll checks	49459	through	49463	and
Payroll checks	49548	through	49549	
Automated checks	32405	through	32524	
Various electronic transfers and potential interim payments to Summit Supply (\$5,189.00), ACE, SJE, Constellation Energy				

Collins motioned to approve the payment of the bills. Hall seconded the motion. All members present voted in favor in a Roll Call Vote with Hall abstaining from check #32455.

COUNCIL COMMENTS:

Councilman Green wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

Councilman Collins congratulated Mr. Green and Mr. Hartman on their election victory. He sent out thanks to all that were involved in the tree falling accident on Warwick road including the Hi-Nella Fire Department. He thanked Ms. Hall for all her work with he events. He said he heard great comments about te scarecrow on Warwick. He said the kids had a great time at the Halloween parade. He spoke about the 9<sup>th</sup> annual Stratford Moms Food Drive and that last year they fed 32 families. He announced that December 8<sup>th</sup> was the pick-up date for the food drive. He wanted to thank all veterans for their service and read a quote from John F. Kennedy about Veterans.

Councilwoman Hall thanked Mr. Collins for his words and wished everyone a safe and happy Holiday. She also congratulated Mr. Green and Mr. Hartman for being reelected.

Councilwoman Lomanno read a letter from a Mrs. White thanking the police officers that were at her accident site and wanted to say how professional and considerate they were. She did not get the officers names, but it was Officer Rebecca and Officer Camburn. She wanted to thank the Chief for the success in getting the RSO approved for the schools. She stated that the students and staff will feel more safe and secure with the officer in the buildings. She thanked Ms. Hall for the Halloween parade and stated that she thought that the cornstalks and bows on the poles really seemed to be a great way to kick the season off. She thanked the chief and the code enforcement officer for dealing with a resident's problems with a neighbor. She stated that she wanted to clarify her comments from the agenda meeting concerning the code enforcement official position. She said that she felt that it would be more organized to appoint all the officials at the same time rather that in different months.



GOOD AND WELFARE:

Collins motioned to open the meeting to the public for Good and Welfare. Hall seconded the motion, which passed with all members present voting in favor in a voice vote.

Agnes Moore, Laureba Ave., asked if there was anything new on the lawsuits. The Mayor responded that he still had the beard and there was no other new information.

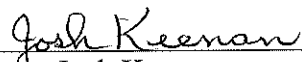
Collins motioned to close the Good and Welfare portion of the meeting. Lomanno seconded the motion and all members present voted in favor in a voice vote

ADJOURN:

Collins motioned to adjourn the meeting. Green seconded the motion and all members present voted in favor in a voice vote.

Minutes respectfully submitted by:

  
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Ben Angeli, Borough Clerk

  
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Mayor Josh Keenan