

**GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP COUNCIL
NOVEMBER WORKSHOP
NOVEMBER 2, 2009**

Mr. Mercado was absent.
Mrs. Lovett and Mrs. Evans were late.

PUBLIC PORTION: Mr. Bianchini opened the public portion. There being no comment the public portion was closed.

1. **DISCUSSION OF 2009 TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE (TCDD) GRANT APPLICATION** - A representative of Remington & Vernick was present at the meeting. He and Mr. Lechner discussed this grant and stated that it goes along with the Greyfields Study that was done on Blackwood Clementon Road. This concerns roadway changes. A straw pole of the Council was taken to allow Remington & Vernick to do this study.
2. **DISCUSSION OF VENDOR CONTRACT FOR RED LIGHT CAMERAS** - This was taken off the agenda
3. **DISCUSSION OF OPERATION MEDICINE CABINET** - This resolution was discussed and will be on the next meeting.
4. **DISCUSSION OF RIDGE AVENUE QUOTES** - Bob Tulino and Gabe Busa discussed this problem. They stated that this is directly behind Franklin Square in the Glendora section of Gloucester Township. Quotes were obtained to clear the site, demo the existing 48" deteriorated pipe, Install 40 LF on 1" stone bedding, place rip rap stone on ends of 48" ADS, pour concrete cradle around sanitary sewer over ADS and topsoil and seed disturbed areas. There was a discussion of the quote prices and when this job should be done. Bob Tulino stated that the MUA pipe could collapse into this at any time. It was decided to award this based on quotes. This will be on the next meeting.
5. **DISCUSSION OF BRUSH GRINDING** - Gabe Busa stated that he has gotten quotes previously for brush grinding from between \$8,000.00 and \$9,000.00. Mr. Cardis questioned if anything has been done since July. Bob Tulino suggested that the township go out for this yearly in the future, which had been discussed by Council previously. Mr. Busa will obtain quotes
6. **DISCUSSION OF GARDENS AT MARKSMEN** - Mr. Carlamere stated that the litigation on this has been withdrawn at no cost to the township. He stated that the matter is still pending with the Zoning Board.
7. **DISCUSSION OF COPY MACHINE FOR FINANCE OFFICE** - This request was discussed. Mr. Cardis spoke of the need for the copy machine in finance. Mr. Cardis needs to find the money for this machine. Council ok'd Mr. Cardis to purchase a copy machine.
8. **LOVELACE PROPERTY** - Mr. Carlamere stated that he spoke with Mr. Mintz concerning this property. Mr. Lechner stated that he thinks an environmental study should be done on this property and he has not objections to this. It was stated that this environmental study could be done using Open Space money. Mr. Lechner stated that the area that is being donated to the township was once farmed. Mr. Cantwell must give Mr. Cardis a job number on this.

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DISCUSSION OF COOL CITIES INITIATIVE - Mr. Cardis explained this program. He stated that the trees that would be planted will not affect the sidewalks in the areas that they are planted. The Council would like to see the area that these trees will be planted.

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- Mr. Garbowski - BLAC is reviewing their by-laws.
Mr. Hutchison - Senior housing at Lakeland is moving right along. Phase I is almost complete.
Mr. Bianchini - MUA - is currently putting in slip lines to prevent the pipes from breaking.
Mr. Schmidt - Rec. Committee worked on Make A Difference Day by shoveling wood chips.
Mrs. Evans - stated that they are working to connect the bike path throughout Camden County.