The Minutes of the **Special Workshop Meeting** of the Township Committee of the Township of Cranford, County of Union, State of New Jersey on **December 28, 2016** at 7:00 p.m. in Room 108.

THIS MEETING IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE "OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT' AS ADEQUATE NOTICE OF THIS MEETING HAS BEEN PROVIDED BY FAXING/EMAILING NOTICE OF THIS MEETING TO THE WESTFIELD LEADER, THE UNION COUNTY LOCAL SOURCE, THE STAR LEDGER, AND TAP INTO CRANFORD, BY POSTING SAID NOTICE OF THIS MEETING ON A BULLETIN BOARD IN TOWN HALL RESERVED FOR SUCH ANNOUNCEMENTS AND THE FILING OF SAID NOTICE WITH THE TOWNSHIP CLERK OF CRANFORD. FORMAL ACTION MAY BE TAKEN AT THIS MEETING.

Present: Mayor Andis Kalnins

Deputy Mayor Mary O'Connor Commissioner John Mallon Commissioner Patrick F. Giblin Commissioner Thomas H. Hannen, Jr.

Absent: None

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Mayor Kalnins opened the public comments portion of the meeting and asked if there were any questions or comments. Hearing no comments, Mayor Kalnins closed the public comment portion of the meeting.

Review of items scheduled for official action

All items approved for action.

Minute Approval – Closed Session Minutes of December 9, 12 and 13, 2016

On motion of Commissioner Hannen, seconded by Deputy Mayor O'Connor and passed, the Closed Session Minutes of December 9, 12 and 13, 2016 were approved by indicated vote of the Township Committee

Recorded vote:

Aye: Mayor Kalnins, Deputy Mayor O'Connor and Commissioners Mallon, Giblin and Hannen

Nay: None Abstained: None Absent: None

On motion of Commissioner Hannen, seconded by Commissioner Mallon and passed, the following resolution was adopted by roll call vote:

Resolution No. 2016-98.33:

BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Committee will go into closed session to discuss the following, the minutes of which will be released at some time in the future at the discretion of the Township Committee:

Contractual

• CDA

Personnel

• Police Department

Recorded vote:

Aye: Mayor Kalnins, Deputy Mayor O'Connor, Commissioners Mallon, Giblin and Hannen

Nay: None Abstained: None Absent: None

On motion of Commissioner Hannen seconded by Deputy Mayor O'Connor and passed, the Township Committee returned to open session at 7:37 PM.

The Township Committee moved to Council Chambers at 7:37 PM to conduct official action.

The Township Committee returned to Room 108 at 9:30 PM to continue with the Special Workshop meeting.

On motion of Commissioner Hannen, seconded by Commissioner Mallon and passed, the following resolution was adopted by roll call vote:

Resolution No. 2016-98.33:

BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Committee will go into closed session to discuss the following, the minutes of which will be released at some time in the future at the discretion of the Township Committee:

12/28/16

Contractual

• 2017 Professional Services

Personnel

• 2017 appointments to committees, boards and commissions

Recorded vote:

Aye: Mayor Kalnins, Deputy Mayor O'Connor, Commissioners Mallon, Giblin and Hannen

Nay: None Abstained: None Absent: None

On motion of Commissioner Hannen, seconded by Commissioner Mallon and passed, the Township Committee returned to open session at 9:40 PM.

On motion of Commissioner Hannen, seconded by Commissioner Mallon and passed, the Township Committee adjourned at 9:40 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Tara Rowley, RMC Municipal Clerk

Dated: December 28, 2016