

REGULAR MEETING – JULY 11, 2011 – 7:30 P.M.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Commissioner McGovern, Commissioner Gorman, Mayor Mahon

Borough Clerk reads the following statement:

This is a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the Borough of Avon-By-The-Sea and notice of time, date and place has been transmitted to the area newspapers, Avon Board of Education, Avon Public Library and the Avon Post Office in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Open Public Meetings Law.

Fire Exits are located in the directions I am indicating. In case of fire, you will be notified by an alarm bell. If so notified, please move in a calm, orderly manner to the nearest smoke free exit. Thank you.

RESOLUTION offered by McGovern seconded by Mahon that the Board of Commissioners hereby approve a 50/50 Raffles license for “I Believe in HFA, Inc.” to be held on August 26, 2011 at the Norwood Inn, 2nd and Norwood Aves.

The Vote:

Aye: All

No: None

RESOLUTION offered by Mahon seconded by McGovern that,

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners hereby authorize the extension of the grace period for the Third Quarter 2011 Taxes and,

WHEREAS, the State of New Jersey has not released all information needed for the state aid figures; and

WHEREAS, this information is needed to produce the Final 2011/Preliminary 2012 tax bills; and

WHEREAS, the Tax Collector must allow 25 calendar days for payment from the date of mailing pursuant to NJSA 54:4-66.3.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Borough of Avon-by-the-Sea that the Tax Collector be authorized to extend the grace period for the third quarter 2011 up to and including the 25th day after the actual bills are mailed; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Borough of Avon-by-the-Sea that any payments received after that date, for the third quarter 2011, will be charged interest from the original due date of August 1, 2011 by the guidelines set by NJSA 54:4-67.

The Vote:

Aye: All

No: None

Motion by McGovern seconded by Gorman that the bills in the amount of \$226,600.31 be approved for payment.

The Vote:

Aye: All

No: None

Mayor asks if anyone would like to be heard?

Commissioner McGovern thanked Helen Kilcooley for a great job with craft fair this weekend.

Some discussion took place regarding bicycles on the boardwalk. It was suggested that the sandwich boards be put back and also a police presence at night.

Marie Kenny – suggested that a reverse 911 message go out when there are water problems that may cause discolored water. Also, asked about having a town wide yard sale in the fall as well as the spring. And, thanked Mrs. Murday for a great book sale.

Motion by Gorman seconded by McGovern that being there is no further business, the meeting is adjourned.

The Vote:

Aye: All

No: None

Robert Mahon, Mayor

Robert P. McGovern, Commissioner

Francis E. Gorman, Commissioner

**Timothy M. Gallagher, RMC
Borough Clerk**