

**NEW HOPE BOROUGH COUNCIL**  
**182 WEST BRIDGE STREET**  
**NEW HOPE, PA**  
**AUGUST 17, 2010**  
**PUBLIC MEETING**  
**AGENDA**

**7:10 P.M. Executive Session. Re: Smith litigation matter.**

**7:30 P.M. Regular Meeting.**

1. Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance and Roll Call.
2. Mayor's Report.
  - A. Consideration of authorizing the Police Department to participate in the Bucks County Chiefs of Police testing program for police officers.
  - B. Consideration of approving a Memorandum of Understanding with the New Hope Solebury School District.
3. Council President's Report.
  - A. Executive session and other announcements.
  - B. Discussion of the Borough's New Street parking lot.
  - C. Report on New Street Town and Community Center Project.
4. Consent Agenda.
  - A. Consideration of approving payment of accounts payable for August 17, 2010, in the amount of \$234,531.33, of payroll for July 28, 2010, in the amount of \$57,185.02; and of payroll for August 11, 2010, in the amount of \$53,564.40.
  - B. Consideration of approving the minutes of the July 20, 2010 public meeting of New Hope Borough Council.
  - C. Consideration of adopting **Resolution No. 2010-16R**, adopting the Municipal Record Manual published by the Pennsylvania Historical & Museum Commission.
  - D. Consideration of approving the selection of Carter van Dyke Associates, Inc. to prepare a Landmark Towns Bicycle Strategy and Marketing Initiative Plan at a cost not to exceed \$49,765, pursuant to a TCDI grant by the Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission.
  - E. Consideration of approving issuance of a Certificate of Appropriateness, as recommended by HARB, for:
    - (1) 81 Ney Alley, by James Curry, for shielding of utilities and installation of a porch railing;
    - (2) 36 West Bridge Street, by Rafael Novoa, for installation of new window sashes;
    - (3) 93 West Bridge Street, by Paul & Susan Atkinson, for extension of a stone wall and installation of a wood gate and brick gate piers;
    - (4) 102 South Main Street, by Horst Kubon, for installation of a sign; and

(5) 15-19 West Mechanic Street, by Richard Guido, for repair of stucco and exterior painting, to be funded, in part, by a grant from Landmark Towns of Bucks County.

5. Council Vice President's Report
6. Recreation Board and Revitalization Committee Reports (Claire Shaw, Ed Duffy & William Scandone).
  - A. Consideration of authorizing the placement of bike racks.
7. Manager's & Solicitor's Reports.
  - A. Public hearing to consider adoption of **Ordinance No. 2010-04**, authorizing participation in the Delaware Valley Insurance Trust.
  - B. Consideration of adopting **Resolution No. 2010-15R**, establishing a schedule of fees for construction and code-related inspections.
  - C. Presentation of the actuary's Minimum Municipal Obligations for the Police and Non-uniform Pension Plans in 2011.
8. Land Use and Historic Preservation Report (Ed Duffy & Rey Velasco).
9. Public Works Report (Richard Hirschfield & William Scandone)
  - A. Consideration of authorizing the solicitation of bids for the 2010 Road Improvement Program.
10. Community Affairs Report (Geri Delevich & Rey Velasco)
  - A. Visitors' Center Monthly Report.
  - B. Community Activities Report.
  - C. Consideration of a request by the New Hope Solebury Community School to place banners along a section of West Bridge Street.
11. Other Business.
12. Public Comment.
13. Adjournment.