# UPPER MERION MUNICIPAL UTILITY AUTHORITY October 18, 2011

The members of the Upper Merion Municipal Utility Authority assembled for their regularly scheduled meeting on Tuesday, October 18, 2011 at the Upper Merion Township Building, 175 West Valley Forge Road, King of Prussia, PA. The meeting convened at 7:00 p.m. and commenced with the pledge of allegiance.

### <u>ATTENDANCE</u>

Stanley Channick, Chairperson
Edward Veneziale, Vice-Chairman
Charles Smyrk, Secretary
Lynne Gold-Bikin, Treasurer
James Ruddy, Assistant Secretary/Treasurer
Todd Silbergeld, Esquire, Solicitor, Brown & Silbergeld, P.C.
Daniel J. Shoemaker, P.E., Consulting Engineer, S.C. Engineers, Inc.
Greg Waks, Supervisors' Liaison
Ronald G. Wagenmann, Executive Secretary
Nicholas Hiriak, Director of Finance
Edward J. O'Brien, Jr., Director of Public Works

#### **MEETING MINUTES APPROVAL**

On a motion by Mr. Veneziale, seconded by Ms. Gold-Bikin with all voting "aye" the minutes of September 20, 2011 were approved. None opposed.

## **SOLICITOR'S REPORT**

#### LeBus

Upper Merion Township (*Township*), Environmental Protection Agency (*EPA*) and LeBus are still in negotiating discussions. Solicitor has drafted a settlement agreement referencing the Township's notice of violations sent to LeBus. EPA is drafting a consent decree setting forth various operational and maintenance requirements. Solicitor estimates resolution by the end of November.

#### Chapter 94 Report

The PaDEP letter dated September 16, 2011 referencing the Chapter 94 Report was the same letter received by the Township in 2010. Copies of the response on behalf of the Authority were made available to PaDEP.

### Tredyffrin Sewer Agreement

On September 26, 2011Executive Secretary, Engineer and Solicitor met with new staff of Tredyffrin Township (Township Manager, Engineer and Solicitor). Authority members are in the process of negotiating a resolution and executing a new agreement before year end.

# Executive Secretary Bridgeport Boro

Executive Secretary met with Bridgeport Borough regarding the number of EDU's both parties use. Executive Secretary is drafting a letter confirming their agreement of EDU usage for both parties and the basis of guarterly payment.

#### Target

The Township received construction plans for Target Shopping Center. Target will occupy the space vacated in the Valley Forge Shopping Center. Plans are in review.

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#### WAWA and Chick-Fil-A

The Township has received construction plans for WAWA, Chick-Fil-A and Gas Station. Plans are in review.

#### Joe's CrabShack

Grand opening on October 26.

#### Suites Hotel

Suites Hotel construction on Mancill Mill Road is proceeding. A completion date has not been established.

#### **Liquor License**

California Café (*located within the King of Prussia Mall*) is transferring their liquor license to Wegman's at Valley Forge.

#### Park Ridge Hotel

Park Ridge Hotel located on North Gulph Road, will become the Sheraton Hotel. They will be expanding their rooms. A completion date has not been established.

#### Casino

Grand opening is in March 2012.

## Wegman's

Grand opening is in May 2012.

## 176 Henderson Ramp

Grand opening date is the beginning of November 2011.

### **DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORK'S REPORT**

#### Gulph Creek

Hurricane Irene caused major problems within the Township. Staff is in the process of correcting the circumstances created. The work previously completed in Gulph Creek stabilizing the stream bank was damaged and emergency repairs are in progress. Township is applying for help from FEMA.

## FINANCIAL REPORT

Director of Finance reported on the Monthly Financial Report.

#### **REQUISITIONS**

#### **OCTOBER 2011**

| PAYEE                     | AMOUNT     | INVOICE NO  | DESCRIPTION  |
|---------------------------|------------|-------------|--|
| BROWN &<br>SILBERGELD, PC | \$1,224.00 | 310         | Professional Services:<br>09/19/2011 - 09/28/2011  |
| METZ ENGINEERS            | \$889.00   | M7486       | Tredyffrin Interceptor<br>Expansion - Professional<br>Services: 08/01/2011 -<br>09/04/2011 |
| S C ENGINEERS, INC.       | \$509.43   | 2003-01-213 | Professional Services:<br>08/01/2011 - 09/04/2011  |

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Tredyffrin Interceptor S C ENGINEERS, INC. \$71.19 2003-21-30 **Expansion - Professional** Services: 05/31/2011 -09/04/2011 **UPPER MERION** \$32,268.00 9272011 2010 General Obligation **TOWNSHIP** Bond Issue: Matsunk **WWTP** TOTAL: \$34,961.62

On a motion by Mr. Smyrk, seconded by Ms. Gold-Bikin with all voting "aye" the Requisitions for October in the amount of \$34,961.62 were approved as presented. None opposed.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before the Authority, the meeting adjourned.

# RONALD G. WAGENMANN EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Approved: 11/15/2011 Entered: 11/15/2011

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