

COMMISSIONERS MEETING  
RIDGEFIELD PARK  
JANUARY 24, 2006  
8:15 PM

Mayor Fosdick announced that this meeting is being held in accordance with the "Open Public Meeting Act, N.J.S.A. 10 4-6 et seq." notice of which was sent to the Record and the Star Ledger on December 22, 2005 and was posted on the Municipal Bulletin Board.

ROLL CALL\*\*\*\*\*

Those present were Commissioners Anlian, Boyd, Poli, Storer and Mayor Fosdick in the chair.

FLAG SALUTE\*\*\*\*\*

The flag salute was led by Mayor Fosdick.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES\*\*\*\*\*

Motion by Commissioner Poli, seconded by Commissioner Storer that the minutes of January 10, 2006 be approved. On roll call, Commissioners Anlian, Boyd, Poli, Storer and Mayor Fosdick voted "YEA".

SPECIAL REPORTS\*\*\*\*\*

Swearing In Of Police Officers Tress and Triano.

Mayor Fosdick asked the Village Clerk to swear in the newly appointed police officers, Justin Tress and Nicholas Triano.

They were pinned by family members, and then they introduced family and friends in attendance.

Mayor Fosdick announced Chief Ahrlich was retiring after 34 years of service.

Mayor and Commissioners congratulated the new officers and thanked Chief Ahrlich.

Mayor Fosdick explained the hiring procedure for a police officer as follows:

1. Advertise
2. College degree or an Associate in Police Science required.
3. Written exam given by NJ State Police.
4. Physicals given by local High School Athletic Director.
5. Interviews by Police Chiefs Association
6. Final cut down to 10

7. Final interviews with the Chief, Captain, Lieutenants and Mayor. (Mayor did not know who candidates were until interview)