



**TOWN OF NORTH REDINGTON BEACH  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS REGULAR MEETING  
MAY 14, 2009 MINUTES**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Queen called the May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2009 meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. The meeting was held at the Town Hall building, 190 - 173<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, North Redington Beach, Florida

Board members present were: Mayor Bill Queen, Vice-Mayor Jerry Knight, Commissioner Richard Bennett, Gary Curtis and Curtis Blocker

Others in attendance were Jeannie Carlson, Tim Burns, George Ard, Dick Laford, Frank Novak, Richie Barbera, Deputy Claudio DiMundo, Maggie Cinella, Town Clerk Mari Campbell and Town Attorney Ed Peck.

**PUBLIC INPUT** - (15 Minutes for items not on agenda)

Mayor Queen introduced Deputy DiMundo as the town's new evening shift officer and welcomed him to the town.

Mayor Queen introduced Maggie Cinella as the new librarian for the Gulf Beaches Library. She said she has been on the job for five weeks and she is happy to return to the library as she had worked there previously. She stated she is available if anyone has questions or needs anything.

**CONSENT AGENDA: CONSENT AGENDA: MINUTES APRIL 2, 2009 WORKSHOP MEETING; MINUTES APRIL 9, 2009 REGULAR MEETING**

Commissioner Bennett made a motion to approve the consent agenda. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Blocker and voted upon with the following results:

Commissioner Curtis	Yes	Vice-Mayor Knight	Yes
Commissioner Bennett	Yes	Mayor Queen	Yes
Commissioner Blocker	Yes		

Motion carried. Consent agenda approved.

**OLD BUSINESS**

There was no old business.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

- ORDINANCE 2009-680** AN ORDINANCE PERTAINING TO TEMPORARY BANNER SIGNS; ADDING SUB-SECTION 86-89(b) TO ALLOW ONE BANNER SIGN FOR 60 DAYS FOR A NEW BUSINESS; RENUMBERING SUB-SECTION (b) TO SUB-SECTION (c); PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. FIRST READING.

Commissioner Bennett made a motion to approve Ordinance no. 2009-680. Commissioner Blocker seconded the motion. Mayor Queen explained the recommendation had been made by the code enforcement officer to allow new businesses to have a temporary banner for a longer period of time to help get established. Commissioner Curtis asked why there is a clause that says a change of ownership is not considered a new business. Commissioner Blocker and Vice Mayor Knight suggested removing the clause.

Commissioner Curtis made a motion to amend the ordinance to remove the restriction regarding change of ownership. Commissioner Blocker seconded the motion.

There was no public input. A roll call vote was taken to amend ordinance 2009-680.

Commissioner Curtis	Yes	Commissioner Bennett	Yes
Commissioner Blocker	Yes	Vice-Mayor Knight	Yes
Mayor Queen	Yes		

Motion carried.

A roll call vote was taken to approve ordinance 2009-680.

Commissioner Curtis	Yes	Commissioner Bennett	Yes
Commissioner Blocker	Yes	Vice-Mayor Knight	Yes
Mayor Queen	Yes		

Motion carried.

## 2. APPROVAL OF GULF BEACHES LIBRARY INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT

The Gulf Beaches Interlocal Agreement was tabled until a future meeting.

### MISCELLANEOUS

Mayor Queen stated he had received a letter from the Pinellas Public Library Cooperative asking for volunteers for the board of directors. He said anyone interested should let him know.

Mayor Queen said had been appointed to the Pinellas County Tourist Development Board and had attended their budget meeting. He explained they have slashed their budget by 19% and they have a \$25 million dollar budget.

Mayor Queen gave information on the Gulf Beaches Rays Day in June.

Commissioner Curtis asked if the palm trees in the cul-de-sacs could be trimmed next time the trimmers were in the town. Mayor Queen stated he had asked about them and they would be trimmed.

Commissioner Curtis asked if the town was contributing to the fireworks in Redington Shores. Mayor Queen explained the town was going to contribute if a barge could be used however; Redington Shores was unable to get a barge and is going forward with firing them from their beach park. Since most of North Redington cannot see them from that location, the town did not contribute.

Commissioner Curtis mentioned the new crosswalk signs that have been installed and stated it was another attempt at making the crosswalks as safe as possible.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:13 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mari Campbell, CMC  
Town Clerk