

**BOROUGH OF MIDLAND PARK**  
**45 Witte Drive**  
**Midland Park NJ 07432**  
**May 13, 2021**  
**7:00 P.M. –Work Session Minutes**

**On May 13, 2021 at 7:00 p.m., the Mayor and Council of Midland Park conducted an in person meeting as previously advertised, location changed to 45 Witte Drive, there is also an option for the public to access the meeting electronically by dialing this Toll-Free Dial in number 1 866 899 4679 Access Code: 335-352-949**

**Agenda items for the meeting were listed on the Borough website. The foregoing electronic option was recommended due to the current situation involving the COVID-19 Virus and directives of State and County governments.**

**Mayor Shortway called the Meeting to Order at 7:00 P.M.**

**The Mayor read the Sunshine Law Statement:** This meeting is being held in accordance with the Sunshine Law, notice having been published according to law with a copy on file in the Borough Clerk's Office and a copy posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building.

<b>Roll Call:</b>	<b>Mayor Shortway</b>	<b>Present</b>
	<b>Councilman Damiano</b>	<b>Present</b>
	<b>Councilman Kruis</b>	<b>Present</b>
	<b>Councilman Sansone</b>	<b>Present</b>
	<b>Councilwoman DeLuca</b>	<b>Present</b>
	<b>Councilwoman Peet</b>	<b>Present</b>
	<b>Council President Iannone</b>	<b>Absent</b>

**Also Present: Borough Attorney Regan, Acting Borough Administrator/Clerk Martin**

Acting Borough Administrator/Clerk Martin took a roll call of the public on the line  
Caller 1 – no comment

There was no public present in person at this time

**DISCUSSION ITEMS:**

- Hoplite Communications-** Peter Lupo Esq. & Paul Roe of Hoplite Communications presented to the Governing Body relative to Consultation and guidance to municipalities on 5G Deployment and Maintenance.  
Mr. Paul Roe spoke on behalf of Hoplite Communications regarding the benefits and the challenges 5G communications will bring to the community. He gave an overview of the advancement of 5G around the United States and some of the limited options the Council has with regards to quantity of antennas, placement throughout the community and answered the Council's questions.

**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC:**

Members of the Public were asked to speak individually

**Christine Rutz Penna – 94 Cottage Street – no comment**

There being no response from the public, and because of the extent of the presentation by Hoplite Communications, the Council decided to forego the Closed Session for the moment and go directly into the 8:00 P.M. Open Public Meeting.

**At this time, the public was invited to attend the 8:00 pm Open Public Meeting in person or by dialing this Toll-Free number United States: [1 866 899 4679](tel:18668994679) Access Code: 766-030-917**

Respectfully submitted,

Wendy Martin, R.M.C.  
Borough Clerk