

**REORGANIZATION MEETING OF THE BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS  
TO BE HELD FRIDAY, JANUARY 3, 2020 AT 5:00 P.M.  
IN THE FREEHOLDER MEETING ROOM OF THE  
WILLIAM E. STURM, JR. ADMINISTRATION BUILDING  
4 MOORE ROAD  
CAPE MAY COURT HOUSE, NEW JERSEY**

Presentation of the Colors - Sheriff's Honor Guard  
Pledge of Allegiance – David Jones – Disabled Veterans Chapter 10 Atlantic City  
“Star Spangled Banner” – Treasa Hayes – Freshman at Ocean City High School  
Invocation – Erik Simonsen

Oath of Office: Freeholder E. Marie Hayes  
Administered by Judge Michael J. Donohue, J.S.C.

Freeholder Director Gerald M. Thornton  
Administered by Judge Michael J. Donohue, J.S.C.

Comments: Freeholder Director Gerald M. Thornton & Members of the  
Freeholder Board

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Roll Call: LD MH WM JP GT

Open Public Meeting Statement: Freeholder Director Gerald M. Thornton

**RESOLUTIONS:**

**Introduced by Mr. Desiderio, seconded by Mr. Pierson**

1-20 Resolution electing Freeholder Gerald M. Thornton Director of the Board.

| Freeholders   | Ayes | Nays | Abstain | Absent |
|---------------|------|------|---------|--------|
| Mr. Desiderio |      |      |         |        |
| Ms. Hayes     |      |      |         |        |
| Mr. Morey     |      |      |         |        |
| Mr. Pierson   |      |      |         |        |
| Mr. Thornton  |      |      |         |        |

**Introduced by Mr. Pierson, seconded by Mr. Morey**

2-20 Resolution electing Freeholder Leonard C. Desiderio Vice-Director of the Board.

| Freeholders   | Ayes | Nays | Abstain | Absent |
|---------------|------|------|---------|--------|
| Mr. Desiderio |      |      |         |        |
| Ms. Hayes     |      |      |         |        |
| Mr. Morey     |      |      |         |        |
| Mr. Pierson   |      |      |         |        |
| Mr. Thornton  |      |      |         |        |

**Introduced by Mr. Morey, seconded by Ms. Hayes**

3-20 Resolution designating departments for 2020.

4-20 Resolution assigning departments for 2020.

- 5-20 Resolution designating Freeholder member or liaison for various Boards, Commissions and Agencies outside of Cape May County Government for the year 2020.
- 6-20 Resolution regarding the Open Public Meeting Act.
- 7-20 Resolution adopting the Rules of the Board for 2020.
- 8-20 Resolution adopting the 2020 Cash Management Plan and designating the custodian and signatories for the “County of Cape May, Board of Chosen Freeholders Account”.
- 9-20 Resolution appointing Certifying Officers for 2020.
- 10-20 Resolution establishing Certifying Officers for various organizations and commissions for 2020.
- 11-20 Resolution appointing Freeholder Gerald M. Thornton Insurance Fund Commissioner.
- 12-20 Resolution appointing Freeholders Gerald M. Thornton and E. Marie Hayes as members to the Board of School Estimate for Atlantic Cape Community College.
- 13-20 Resolution appointing Freeholders Gerald M. Thornton, E. Marie Hayes and Will Morey as members to the Board of School Estimate for the Cape May County Special Services School District.
- 14-20 Resolution appointing Freeholders Gerald M. Thornton, E. Marie Hayes and Will Morey as members of the Board of School Estimate of The Cape May County Technical School District.
- 15-20 Resolution appointing Freeholders E. Marie Hayes and Jeffrey L. Pierson as a voting members and Elizabeth Bozzelli as alternate member to the New Jersey Association of Counties.
- 16-20 Resolution appointing Freeholders Gerald M. Thornton and Will Morey as members to the Cape May County Planning Board.
- 17-20 Resolution approving Salaries for 2020
- 18-20 Resolution establishing Temporary Budget - 2020

| <b>Freeholders</b>   | <b>Ayes</b> | <b>Nays</b> | <b>Abstain</b> | <b>Absent</b> |
|----------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|---------------|
| <b>Mr. Desiderio</b> |             |             |                |               |
| <b>Ms. Hayes</b>     |             |             |                |               |
| <b>Mr. Morey</b>     |             |             |                |               |
| <b>Mr. Pierson</b>   |             |             |                |               |
| <b>Mr. Thornton</b>  |             |             |                |               |

Benediction – Erik Simonsen

“God Bless America” – Treasa Hayes – Freshman at Ocean City High School

Adjourn

| <b>Freeholders</b>   | <b>Ayes</b> | <b>Nays</b> | <b>Abstain</b> | <b>Absent</b> | <b>Motion</b> | <b>Second</b> |
|----------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Mr. Desiderio</b> |             |             |                |               |               |               |
| <b>Ms. Hayes</b>     |             |             |                |               |               |               |
| <b>Mr. Morey</b>     |             |             |                |               |               |               |
| <b>Mr. Pierson</b>   |             |             |                |               |               |               |
| <b>Mr. Thornton</b>  |             |             |                |               |               |               |

