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## Barnegat Light Taxpayers' Association September 2020 Newsletter

September is always a great month on LBI. We hope you're well and staying safe.

Your Board met virtually on September 12th. We elected the slate of officers for another two-year term. Please join me in congratulating them:

Barbara Truncellito, President
Dr. Richard Brodman, Vice President
William Chrnelich, Treasurer
Tom Zesk, Secretary

We made two donations in keeping with previous years. Each year, we donate \$400-\$600 to the First Aid Squad for the use of their building for our general meetings; however, that didn't happen this year due to the pandemic. We decided to donate \$500.00 to them in gratitude for their willingness to volunteer to the residents and guests on the northern part of the Island.

The second donation is to the Fire Department. Every year we hold our *Wine and Cheese event* in their lovely hall. We were not able to gather for this event. Moreover, we sleep well at night knowing these volunteers are willing to take risks for the good of the community. The BLTA donation is \$500.00 in gratitude for their fortitude and bravery.

We received an additional \$700.00 for the Joint Council of Taxpayers' Associations of Long Beach Island (JCTA) fundraising effort to support the *Food Pantry at the St. Francis Community Center* The JCTA raised \$16,000, \$7,800.00 came from Barnegat Light residents. We are so proud of this community and the ability to come together and do outreach efforts in these most difficult times.

Our financial statement for the quarter will be finalized September 30, 2020 and posted on the website in October.

The BLTA board meets monthly. The minutes of the meetings are posted on our <u>website</u> to insure transparency. We are attending Borough Council, Planning Board and School Board meetings both in person and virtually to keep up with current events. Please visit our <u>website</u> for all the latest news. Our <u>Facebook Group page</u> has grown substantially and is updated regularly. You must be a BLTA member to join. I promise it'll be well worth

your while.

Remember that you can pay your dues and make donations through the **website**. You can also **contact us** with any questions or concerns.

Take good care and stay in touch.

Best,

Barbara Truncellito, President



Remember to visit the <u>BLTA Website</u> weekly to read all the latest news and be informed of upcoming events in and around Barnegat Light. If you're not a member of the BLTA, we hope you will join us. Share this link with another Barnegat Light resident and encourage them to <u>become a member</u> of the BLTA! They can join by accessing our website!

If you are a Facebook user (and a paid member of the BLTA) we encourage you to join our <u>Facebook group</u>!

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