

The Regular monthly meeting of Shamokin City Council was held this evening with Mayor Rozinskie presiding.

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Rozinskie called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG: Led by Mayor Rozinskie.

PRAYER: Silent

ROLL CALL: William D. Milbrand, R. Craig Rhoades, Michael A Snyder, William R, Strausser and Mayor George S. Rozinskie Jr. were all present.

ABSENT: None

VISITORS: None

MOTION BY RHOADES to approve the minutes of previous council meetings
Snyder,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Abstain: None

DIRECTORS' REPORTS:

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE: The Director read the Treasurer's report

PARKS AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS: The Director reported that bids for work for the main drainage system modifications at the Lawton Shroyer Pool have been advertised and will be accepted until 4pm on Wednesday February 3rd at City Hall. Bids will be opened and reviewed at the Council workshop.

STREETS AND PUBLIC IMPROVMENTS: The Director reported that the city is still prepared with salt and anti-skid for the immediate future and is also working on removing and storing the Christmas decorations.

PUBLIC SAFETY: The Director read the city fire Bureau Report. The Director also commended the Shamokin City Fire Chief and volunteer fireman and their support staff for the timely and professional manner in which they responded to the city fire which occurred on January 10, 2010 at Bear Valley Avenue.

PETITIONS: NONE

COMMUNICATIONS: NONE

BIDS:

Bids were accepted and opened for tabulation for work to be done due to water damage incurred at the American Legion Building in Shamokin. The work being bid was for the Library Mezzanine, and the second floor Conference Room of the Legion.

MOTION BY RHOADES to accept and award the work to the lowest bidder after tabulation of the bid costs proposed and after reviewing the compliance of the specifications of the work to be done by the bidder as advertised.

Snyder,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Abstain: None

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS:

MOTION BY ROZINSKIE to appointed Mr. Joseph S. Wightman of 233 W Pine Street in Shamokin to fill the expired term of Mr. James Gaydon to serve a five(5) year term on the Shamokin Coal-Township Joint Sewer Authority beginning January 4th, 2010 and extending to the first Monday of January 2015 James Gaydon wishes not to be reinstated.

Strausser,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Abstain: None

MOTION BY ROZINSKIE to appointed Patrolman Bryan Primerano to serve as Shamokin City Police Narcotics officer at the recommendation of Police Chief Edward Griffiths

Milbrand,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Abstain: None

SOLICITOR'S REPORT:

MOTION BY RHOADES to approve RESOLUTION 10-01 as read by the solicitor releasing the Treasurer from the 2009 duplicate taxes as of January 15, 2010.

Milbrand,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Abstain: None

MOTION BY MILBRAND to approve RESOLUTION 10-02 as read by the solicitor appointing Brenda L. Scandle as collector of Act 511 taxes for the year 2010.

Snyder,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Abstain: None

MOTION BY RHOADES to approve RESOLUTION 10-03 as read by the solicitor for the City of Shamokin to participate in an inter-municipal cooperative project to develop an economic feasibility plan.

Milbrand,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Abstain: None

MOTION BY MILDBRAND to approve RESOLUTION 10-04 as read by the City Clerk appointing H. Robert Mattis, Jr. City Solicitor to serve a term commencing January 4, 2010 and ending the first Monday of May, 2010. As of the first Monday of May, 2010 he shall serve as City Solicitor for a term of four (4) years or until his successor is qualified.

Snyder,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Abstain: None

MOTION BY STRAUSSER to approve RESOLUTION 10-05 as read by the solicitor appointing David G. Kinder City Clerk to serve a term commencing January 4, 2010 and ending the first Monday of May, 2010. As of the first Monday of May, 2010 he shall serve as City Clerk for a term of four (4) years or until his successor is qualified.

Snyder,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Abstain: None

MOTION BY STRAUSSER to approve RESOLUTION 10-06 as read by the solicitor setting the annual base salary for the Chief of Police of the City of Shamokin at Fifty Eight Thousand (\$58,000.00) dollars.

Milbrand,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Abstain: None

MOTION BY SNYDER to approve BILL 10-01 as read by the solicitor amending Section 3(K) of Ordinance 384) reserved parking annual fee.

Milbrand,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Abstain: None

MOTION BY ROZINSKIE to authorize the agreement between the City of Shamokin and Powell, Rogers and Speaks as its delinquent tax collector to collect delinquent Per Capita and Occupational Assessment Taxes due and owing to it by taxpayers now or formerly in the City.

Strausser,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Abstain: None

MOTION BY ROZINSKIE to approve the itemized bill list for the City,
Redevelopment, and CDBG program for payment
Milbrand,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Absent: None

MOTION BY ROZINSKIE to adjourn

Milbrand,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Snyder, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None

Absent: None

The City Clerk recorded the meeting as ended at 7:25 PM

Attest:

Dave Kinder
City Clerk

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