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, William R, Strausser and Mayor George S. Rozinskie Jr. were all present.

ABSENT: Michael A Snyder,

VISITORS: None.

MOTION BY MILBRAND to approve the minutes of the previous council meeting.

Rhoades,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

DIRECTORS' REPORTS:

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

PARKS AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS: The Director indicated his department was working on general maintenance throughout the city and that work was progressing with the installation of additional security cameras at City Hall.

STREETS AND PUBLIC IMPROVMENTS: Absent

PUBLIC SAFETY: The Director reported that there would be two trainings taking place in the coming month, one pertaining to rope high angle rescue and one hosted by the fire bureau pertaining to clandestine drug labs and issues involved with public safety.

PETITIONS: NONE

COMMUNICATIONS:

The City Clerk read a letter from Jeanne Shaffer requesting permission to have various parking lots blocked off for the annual Downtown Christmas being held Saturday December 4th, 2010.

MOTION BY MILBRAND to approve the request for the Council for the Arts Downtown Christmas requests as read by the City Clerk

Rozinskie.

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

The City Clerk read a letter from the Shamokin Business Associates requesting permission to hold their annual Christmas parade in conjunction with the Downtown Christmas being held Saturday December 4th, 2010.

MOTION BY STRAUSSER to approve the request from the Shamokin Business Associates for the downtown Christmas parade as read by the City Clerk.

Milbrand,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

BIDS:

MOTION BY STRAUSSER to accept the bid of \$1400.00 (One Thousand Four Hundred Dollars) for the 1990 Dodge Power Ram Truck received from Tom Herb's Garage and Towing.

Rozinskie,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

MOTION BY RHOADES to accept the bid of \$3,101.00 (Three Thousand One Hundred One Dollars) for the 1972 John Deere 4 x 4 Loader received from Mike Veneziano of Bellefonte, PA.

Milbrand,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

MOTION BY MILBRAND to accept the bid of \$401.00 (Four Hundred One Dollars) for the 1992 Dodge 4 x 4 Van received from Mike Veneziano of Bellefonte, PA.

Rozinskie,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

MOTION BY MILBRAND to accept the bid of \$401.00 (Four Hundred One Dollars) for the 2001 Ford Sedan received from Mike Veneziano of Bellefonte, PA.

Rozinskie,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

MOTION BY MILBRAND to proceed with pursuing a matching grant with the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) for the acquisition of a portable wood chipper for our city street department.

Strausser,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

NEW BUSINESS:

MOTION BY ROZINSKIE to accept the resignation of Brian Jeremiah as a representative of the City of Shamokin on the Shamokin Coal Township Joint Sewer Authority for the term ending January 2014.

Milbrand.

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None MOTION BY ROZINSKIE to appoint David Kopitsy Jr. to the Shamokin Coal Township Joint Sewer Authority to replace Brian Jeremiah for the term ending January 2014.

Rhoades,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

SOLICITOR'S REPORT:

MOTION BY STRAUSSER to approve ORDINANCE 10-05(Year 2011 Budget) on first reading by H. Robert Mattis, Solicitor.

Rozinskie,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

MOTION BY STRAUSSER to approve ORDINANCE 10-06(an Ordinance to Levy Taxes for 2011) on first reading by H. Robert Mattis, Solicitor.

Milbrand,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

MOTION BY STRAUSSER to approve ORDINANCE 10-07(The 2010 Parking Fee Ordinance) on first reading by H. Robert Mattis, Solicitor.

Milbrand,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

MOTION BY MILBRAND to approve ORDINANCE 10-08(The City of Shamokin Reserved and Restricted Parking Ordinance) on first reading by H. Robert Mattis, Solicitor.

Strausser,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None MOTION BY RHOADES to approve ORDINANCE 10-09(The Municipal snow plowing and removal license Ordinance) on first reading by H. Robert Mattis, Solicitor.

Milbrand,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

MOTION BY MILBRAND to approve ORDINANCE 10-10(The Garbage Storage Containers Ordinance) on first reading by H. Robert Mattis, Solicitor. Rozinskie.

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

MOTION BY STRAUSSER to approve ORDINANCE 10-11(The 2010 Public Eating and Drinking Place License Fee Ordinance) on first reading by H. Robert Mattis, Solicitor.

Rozinskie,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

MOTION BY RHOADES to approve RESOLUTION 10-12(Authorizing the city solicitor to petition the Court of Common Pleas to Levy additional millage(5 mills) for general purposes) as read by H. Robert Mattis, Solicitor.

Rozinskie,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Abstain: None

MOTION BY RHOADES to approve the itemized bills for the City, Redevelopment, and Community Development Programs.

Rozinskie,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Absent: None

MOTION BY ROZINSKIE to adjourn

Rhoades,

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: Milbrand, Rhoades, Strausser, Rozinskie.

Nays: None Absent: None

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

Attest:

Dave Kinder City Clerk