

**Minutes
Throop Borough Council
Special Monthly Meeting
Thursday, March 22nd, 2012
following the 7:00 p.m. Work Session**

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

“God Bless Our Troops and the Coalition”

Roll Call:

Members of Council:

James Barnick, **Vice President - P**

Charlene Tomasovitch - A

Thomas Lukasewicz, **President - P**

Tony Gangemi - P

David Repchick - P

John Musewicz - P

Neil Furiosi - P

Solicitor - Louis A. Cimini - A

Mayor - Stanley Lukowski - P

Assistant Treasurer - Lenore Dolan - A

Secretary - Renee O’Malley - P

Chief Clerk/Treasurer -Robin Galli - P

Announcements:

* An executive session was held this evening at 7:00 pm to discuss legal and personnel matters.

Work Session/Meeting Schedule:

* The March monthly work session/meeting will be held Monday, March 26th at 6:30 p.m.

* The April mid-month work session/meeting will be held Tuesday, April 10th at 6:30 p.m.

* The April monthly work session/meeting will be held Monday, April 30th at 6:30 p.m.

There were no audience comments.

1. Motion by Repchick Seconded by Furiosi

To accept the Teamsters Local 229 DPW Contract counter-proposal dated March 19, 2012.

On the question:

Barnick: Against borough secretary being at the meetings and being paid time and a half. Will be voting each and every month from this point on. It's not right when we complain about overtime.

**All in favor, Barnick is Motion carried
against issue previously stated**

Lukasewicz: Thanked the DPW and Union employees for working with the Borough and agreeing to a fair contract.

2. Motion by Barnick Seconded by

To not require the Borough Secretary to attend the Borough Council Meetings.

Audience Comments:

Mr. Yurkanin, Martarano Dr.: I think she should be here. I like her.

Barnick: I do too. Trying to cost save.

Motion failed

A discussion took place regarding ATV complaints in Schoolside.

Lukasewicz: Mayor Lukowski can you get a plan together we can see, on paper.

Furiosi: If the resident can ID any of them and will testify then we can write them.

Lukasewicz: The Bellman street park is all done except the black top.

Discussion took place regarding the County Severance Tax Fee. Lukasewicz wants Attorney Cimini to research this.

Lukasewicz: Wants to revisit transfer stations, holding stations so it doesn't end up all over town. Barnick added transfer stations are illegal unless designated by the state, unless they changed it.

Discussion took place regarding the maximum amount to bid on the Haverly Street Judicial Sale.

3. Motion by Barnick

Seconded by Repchick

To authorize Attorney Cimini to bid a maximum of \$6,000.00 on the Haverly Street property at the Judicial Sale.

All in favor

Motion carried

The meeting was adjourned.

Minutes by Renee O'Malley
Borough Secretary