

**Minutes
Throop Borough Council
Budget Work Session/Meeting
Tuesday, November 13th, 2012
5:30 p.m.**

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

“God Bless Our Troops and the Coalition”

Roll Call:

Members of Council:

Mark Mazak - P

Charlene Tomasovitch - P

Thomas Lukasewicz, **President - P**

Tony Gangemi, **Vice President - P**

David Repchick - A

John Musewicz - P

Neil Furiosi - P

Solicitor - Louis A. Cimini - P

Mayor - Stanley Lukowski - P

Assistant Treasurer - Lenore Dolan - P

Secretary - Renee O'Malley - P

Chief Clerk/Treasurer - Robin Galli - P

Announcements:

* An Executive Session was held at 5:00 p.m. to discuss legal and personnel matters.

* The Municipal Building will be closed on Thursday, Nov. 22nd, in observance of Thanksgiving.

Work Session/Meeting Schedule:

* The Nov. Monthly work session/meeting will be held Tuesday, Nov. 27th at 6:30p.m.

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

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

There were no audience comments on tonight's agenda or on the added items.

Audience Comments:

Rich Lombardo, 650 Dunmore St.: Thanked Louie for allowing him to have meeting minutes regarding Maid Right. Spoke of an ugly rumor going around with the second lawsuit at Warsaw. In some minutes there was an executive meeting (1/11/07) regarding maid rite then there was a motion to join the citizens in the maid rite fight. There is talk that there was possibly Council members involved in that lawsuit. Doesn't know if ethical and there is a lot of inside knowledge.

Attorney Cimini: Doesn't think Council ever joined it.

Lombardo: I am getting many calls on it.

Attorney Cimini questioned the second lawsuit.

Lombardo: Lawsuit where citizens were involved in lawsuit with smells. You guys have a lawsuit against them for a problem with the sewer line. Can you verify that you didn't join it.

Attorney Cimini: That Council didn't join.

Lombardo: It says here that they wanted to join. Motion by Barone, Seconded by Barnick. 5 in favor Chrzan abstained.

Attorney Cimini: I don't think Council ever joined the lawsuit. I can verify it for you.

Lombardo: I have a case number. If you could look it up. There was \$105,000.00 awarded and 26 people were involved. It was awarded in August of this year.

Tomasovitch: Monies? Then someone on Council got some of that money?

Lombardo: I am not saying that. We are looking at Civil Action Case # 2010 CIV-583.

Motion to adjourn.

Minutes by Renee O'Malley
Borough Secretary