

REGULAR meeting of the Hornell Common Council was held on Monday, September 10, 2012, at 7 p.m. in Council Chambers at 82 Main St., Hornell, N.Y.

PRESENT: Mayor Shawn D. Hogan; Aldermen Brown, Harkenrider, Sciotti, Foreman, Bacon, Lehman, Bassage, and Buckley. Stenographer Karen Schu and City Clerk Barbara Perrott.

AND FROM THE MEDIA: Christine Loman, Evening Tribune and Brian O'Neil, WLEA.

ALSO PRESENT: Eileen Lehman, Fire Chief Dan Smith, Police Sgt. Todd Giglio, Mary Hilfiger, Evan Hilfiger and one High School student.

ABSENT: Aldermen Murray and Carbone and City Attorney Pelych

INVOCATION: Mayor Shawn Hogan

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG: Mayor Shawn Hogan

Mayor Hogan asked everyone to remember that tomorrow is the anniversary of 9/11 – a day that change our lives and the world and also to remember those who died on that day and those who have died defending our country since that date.

By: Lehman/Buckley

RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Common Council meetings of August 27, 2012 be approved as read.

Carried – 8

Absent – 2 (Murray, Carbone)

By: Bacon/Brown

RESOLVED, that the Reports of Officers be accepted and placed on file.

REPORTS FILED: General Fund Exp. – 8/2012; Water Fund Exp. – 8/2012; City Clerk – 8/2012; General Fund Rev. – 8/2012; Water Fund Rev. – 8/2012.

Carried – 8

Absent – 2 (Murray, Carbone)

By: Bacon/Bassage

HN-12-58 ACCEPT THE AUDIT

WHEREAS the City of Hornell has entered into a contract with Drescher & Malecki LLP for accounting services, and

WHEREAS said firm performed an audit of the financial condition of the City of Hornell, and

WHEREAS the City of Hornell received said audit dated July 13, 2012 and

WHEREAS said audit was presented to the Common Council on August 27, 2012

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that said audit be accepted and received as filed by the Common Council for the City of Hornell.

Carried – 8

Absent – 2 (Murray/Carbone)

By: Sciotti/Brown

HN-12-59 BUDGET AMENDMENT – PLAYGROUND TO POOL

WHEREAS, Account #7180.1 (Pool Personnel) has exceeded the budgeted amount (due to an unusually warm, dry summer causing extended pool hours).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of Hornell, N.Y., that \$1,093.87 be hereby transferred from Account #7410.1 (Playground Personnel) to Account #7180.1 (Pool Personnel).

Carried – 8

Absent – 2 (Murray, Carbone)

Alderman Buckley asked if there is usually extra money in the playground account. Mayor Hogan replied that it is not a significant amount.

By: Brown/Harkenrider

HN-12-60 TRAFFIC ORDINANCE 703

RESOLVED, that the Common Council of the City of Hornell hereby approves the following Traffic Ordinance Amendment pertaining to North Church Street:

- That stop signs be installed on the north and south sides of North Church Street, at the intersection with Bennett Street.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that these changes are effective immediately and are to be published in the newspaper of record.

Carried – 8

Absent – 2 (Murray/Carbone)

NEW & UNFINISHED BUSINESS: -

- In response to Alderman's Buckley for codes that deal with curfews, all aldermen were given a copy of the Codes from the 1950's that deal with curfews.
- The Law & Ordinance Committee had asked that street/traffic signs throughout the City be checked. This has been completed and copies will go to all aldermen and the Board of Public Safety will review the report at Thursday's meeting.
- Mayor Hogan reported that he is making progress with bring a Save-A-Lot to the southern end of the City and hopes to get results in the next week or so. The new store will employ 15-20 people.

By: Bacon/Foreman

RESOLVED, that the Common Council adjourn at 7:15 p.m.

Carried – 8

Absent – 2 (Murray/Carbone)

SHAWN D. HOGAN
MAYOR

BARBARA M. PERROTT
CITY CLERK