REGULAR meeting of the Hornell Common Council was held on Monday, October 28, 2013, at 7 p.m. in Council Chambers at 82 Main St., Hornell, N.Y.

PRESENT: Mayor Shawn D. Hogan; City Attorney Joe Pelych; Aldermen Murray, Brown, Harkenrider, Sciotti, Lehman, Bassage, Buckley and Carbone, City Clerk Barbara Perrott.

ALSO PRESENT: City Chamberlain Michele Smith, Dan McManus, Eileen Lehman, 13 high school students, Jeff Cole from the Evening Tribune and Brian O'Neil and Bill Murphy from WLEA.

ABSENT: Alderman Foreman and Bacon

INVOCATION:

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG: Mayor Shawn Hogan

Roll call was taken and Mayor Hogan introduced County Administrator, Mark Alger. Mr. Alger explained the proposed County Charter which will be on the November ballot. The highlights of the Charter are:

1. Change the current position of County Administrator to County Manager.
2. Change the current elected position of County Treasurer to an appointed Finance Commissioner.
3. Appoint a Director of Community Services to oversee the Community Services Board.

Mayor Hogan offered his support for the Charter and asked the Council, by a show of hands, for their support. The majority support the proposed Charter.

By: Sciotti/Murray

RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Common Council meetings of October 14, 2013 be approved as read.

Carried – 8
Absent – 2 (Foreman, Bacon)

By: Buckley/Murray

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

REPORTS FILED: Summary of Activities-Housing Rehab-9/13; Library Board of Trustees-5/20/13 & 6/17/13; BPW Minutes-9/19/13; DPW-9/13; Petro Tank-10/1/13; Sewer-9/13; WPCP-9/13; WTP-9/13; Project Summary-10/17/13.

Carried – 8
Absent – 2 (Foreman, Bacon)

By: Sciotti/Brown

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

October 24, 2013

To the Honorable Shown D. Hogan, Mayor
And
Members of the Common Council

Ladies and Gentlemen:
Bills were audited and approved by Audit Committee Member Larry Bacon, Jeff Brown, Randy Harkenrider and Audit Committee Chairman John Carbone.

Bills audited and approved:

CC	$372,791.81
CD	$ 18,457.00
PAYROLL	$ 92,437.25
TOTAL	$ 483,686.06

Respectfully submitted,
John Carbone, Chairman
Audit Committee

Carried – 8
Absent – 2 (Foreman, Bacon)

By: Carbone/Lehman
HN-13-59

NOW, THEREFORE, upon recommendation of the City Chamberlain, Holly Snyder shall hereby be appointed Deputy Chamberlain.

RESOLVED, this resolution shall take effect immediately**.**

Carried – 8
Absent – 2 (Foreman, Bacon)

BY: Buckley/Lehman

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that claims in the amount of $483,686.06, as audited by the Audit Committee of the Common Council of the City of Hornell, be approved and authorized paid as audited.

Common Council	$372,791.81
Community Development	$ 18,457.00
Payrolls	$ 92,437.25
TOTAL	**$483,686.06**

Carried – 8
Absent – 2 (Foreman, Bacon)

NEW & UNFINISHED BUSINESS: -

- Mayor Hogan updated the Council on the sewer problem on Elm St. The large hole at Erie and Elm Streets has been filled. Pipeye will be here the first week of November to make the repairs which should take 2 weeks. Mayor Hogan thanked the residents for their patience.
- On the question of the theft at the Police Department, Hogan said the State Police are still investigating.
- Federation Building – The works continues – new windows have been ordered and should be installed in the next 3-4 weeks. The contractors are waiting for the

gas company to remove the gas line in the alley between the building and the arts center so that they can work on the fire tower.

- Peebles – They are making great progress with the renovations throughout the store.
- Do-It-Best – ATM from Canisteo has bought the building and will be moving their operations there.
- Seneca St. Bridge – Should be open soon.

By: Lehman/Buckley

RESOLVED, that the Common Council adjourn at 7:46 p.m.

Carried – 8
Absent – 2 (Foreman, Bacon)

SHAWN D. HOGAN	BARBARA M. PERROTT
MAYOR	CITY CLERK