

REGULAR meeting of the Board of Public Safety was held on Oct. 15, 2004, at 10 a.m. at the City Building, 82 Main St., Hornell, N.Y.

PRESENT: Honorable Shawn D. Hogan, Mayor; Chief of Police Paul Crowe; Fire Chief Vincent Kelly; Commissioners George Huffsmith and David Sengstock; and City Clerk Robert J. Roberts.

AND FROM THE MEDIA: Jonathan Mark, WKPQ-FM radio; and, Kyle Torok of The Evening Tribune.

ABSENT: None.

By Sengstock/Huffsmith:

RESOLVED, that the minutes of the last meeting held Sept. 9, 2004, be approved as read.

Carried – Ayes all (3)

Absent – None

By Huffsmith/Sengstock:

RESOLVED, that the Reports of Fire, Ambulance, Codes and Police be accepted and ordered filed.

Carried – Ayes all (3)

Absent – None

By Sengstock/Huffsmith:

RESOLVED, that claims in the amount of \$390,598.97 be approved and paid as audited.

Carried – Ayes all (3)

Absent – None

MISCELLANEOUS:

1) REQUEST FOR POLICE ASSISTANCE FOR WALK FOR HUNGER

By Huffsmith/Sengstock:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Hornell Board of Public Safety approves the use of police for traffic control at various intersections for the Hornell Ministerium's annual Walk for Hunger on Sunday, Oct. 17, 2004.

Carried – Ayes all (3)

Absent – None

2) REQUEST TO EXTEND HOURS, WAIVE NOISE ORDINANCE AT 143, 145-147 EAST ELM ST.

By Sengstock/Huffsmith:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Hornell Board of Public Safety approves the request from the Misfits of Mayhem to operate a haunted house as a charitable fundraiser until 12 a.m. on Oct. 29-30, 2004, at 143, 145-147 East Elm Street.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Hornell Police Department monitor the event to make sure the event does not create a negative impact on the neighborhood.

Carried – Ayes all (3)

Absent – None

ON THE QUESTION: Mayor Hogan asked the Hornell Police Department to be mindful of problems with traffic and parking in the East Elm Street neighborhood. Both Mayor Hogan and Police Chief Crowe said that if there are problems with his year's haunted house, the event might have to be relocated in the future.

3) APPROVAL OF USE OF PART OF CENTER STREET PARKING LOT BY ST. JAMES MERCH HEALTH

By Huffsmith/Sengstock:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Hornell Board of Public Safety approves the use of a portion of the Center Street parking lot by St. James Mercy Health, for a United Way fundraiser.

Carried – Ayes all (3)

Absent – None

ON THE QUESTION: Mayor Hogan said Police Chief Crowe is to work with St. James Mercy officials on traffic control, while the city Department of Public Works will block off the section to be used for the event.

- Fire Chief Kelly reported the American Legion Halloween Parade will be held at 7 p.m. Oct. 28, 2004. The route will be Genesee to Seneca streets, ending up at the Hornell High School tennis courts.
- The Board noted the receipt of several letters praising the performance of Hornell Police Department officers.

- The Board entered into executive session at 10:22 a.m. to discuss a personnel matter on a Step 2 grievance.

By Huffsmith/Hogan:

RESOLVED, that this meeting end at 10:35 a.m.

Carried – Ayes all (3)

Absent – None

Respectfully submitted,

Robert J. Roberts
City Clerk