

UPLAND BOROUGH COUNCIL

MEETING MINUTES

May 14, 2013

The meeting of the Upland Borough Council was called to order at 7:06 p.m. by President Edward Mitchell. The meeting was held in the Upland Municipal Building.

Present were President Edward Mitchell and Vice President Christine Peterson. Council members present were Ms. Moira Crawford, Mr. Leland Hunter, Mrs. Sandra Miazza, Mr. Harold Peden, Mr. Daniel Smith, Mayor Michael Ciach, Mr. Robert O'Connor, Esq., and Mrs. Shirley Purcival, Borough Manager / Treasurer/Secretary. Mr. Charles Catania, Sr., P.E. was present for a short time, left for a meeting and then did return.

Chief Easton, Deputy Chief Ocasio, Mr. Ken Stark, Reporter, and approximately twenty-four residents/guests were also in attendance.

President Mitchell led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and a moment of silence followed by roll call.

Out of Normal Order of Business - Mayor Ciach

Mr. Mitchell suspended the normal order of business and turned the meeting over to Mr. Peden. Mr. Peden stated that several weeks ago, Ms. Karen Dauber called him to let him know that she had something nice to do for the Borough. Mr. Peden introduced Ms. Karen Dauber and asked her to introduce her family members and what is going to happen.

Ms. Dauber thanked everyone for allowing her to approach Council this evening. Her sister Emily Hall and Emily's son John Hall, and Emily's husbands' family have a long linkage in Upland. They lived on the top of Eighth Street and they gave music lessons to everyone. When they went through their belongings, they found eighth grade graduation diplomas, beautifully printed from 1921 and 1922; one was from John Caldwell, the grandfather and the other is from his great-uncle. So they wanted to give these nice treasures to share with Council. Ms. Dauber thanked everyone for their time.

Mr. Peden and Council thanked Ms. Dauber, Ms. Hall and her son John. He stated that in the future, he hopes to provide a nice place to display them. Mr. Peden placed on the table for anyone to look at, if interested.

Swearing in of Two (2) Part-Time Police Officers
John Bogan and Diana Pullman

Mr. Mitchell turned the meeting over to Mayor Ciach. The Mayor asked about the PAL Presentation. Mr. Mitchell stated that the PAL Presentation was stricken from the agenda due to pending legislation.

Honorable Mayor Ciach asked Mr. John Bogan to join him. Mayor Ciach performed the swearing in of John Bogan to fill the role of a part-time police officer in the Borough of Upland. A round of applause was provided by Council and guests.

Honorable Mayor Ciach asked Ms. Diana Pullman to join him. Mayor Ciach performed the swearing in of Diana Pullman to fill the role of a part-time police officer in the Borough of Upland. A round of applause was provided by Council and guests.

Mayor Ciach turned the meeting over to Chief John Easton. Chief Easton briefly described an incident from last year, on June 29, 2012. Upland Police Department had run a suspicious tag, which came back stolen. Subsequently, this incurred a chase through several towns and boroughs, involving approximately eleven police departments. The pursuit eventually ended in Philadelphia; Cobb's Creek - Lindbergh Avenue area. The car crashed into a guardrail, and the suspect jumped out of the car and dove into Cobb Creek, trying to get away from the police.

Chief Easton wanted to offer Upland Borough's appreciation to a few officers that had helped in the capture of the suspect. Chief Easton presented Upland's Gallantry Star to Deputy Chief Nelson Ocasio of Upland Borough, Officer Leonardo Ibarra of Chester Township and Officer Joshua Powley of Ridley Park Borough. Mr. Mitchell, on behalf of all Council, thanked the Chief and all of the men for their help. Council and guests offered a round of applause.

Back to the Regular Order of Business - 7:19 p.m.

5. Public Comments on Agenda Items Only

Mr. Mitchell asked if anyone wanted to address Council regarding agenda items only. There was no audience participation.

6. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

A-1 Council Meeting Minutes - April 9, 2013

Mrs. Peterson made a motion to pass the April 9, 2013 meeting minutes as presented and Mrs. Miazza seconded the motion. Council unanimously voted Aye on the motion.

7. Treasurer's Report

A-1 Treasurer's Report

Ms. Crawford made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report and Mr. Peden seconded the motion. Council unanimously voted Aye on the motion.

A-2 Income Statement

Mrs. Peterson made a motion to accept the Income Statement as presented and Ms. Crawford seconded the motion. Council unanimously voted Aye on the motion.

8. Auburn Village Report - Christine Peterson

Mrs. Peterson reported that they still have one maintenance employee out, so we are down to one maintenance worker. Although he is a little bit stressed now, he is hanging in there. Mr. Ferguson has been helping him a lot. Mrs. Peterson stated they are down to two empty units that have to be finished and about twenty work slips. "So, we are moving along," she stated.

9. Public Safety Report - Harold R. Peden

A -1 Fire Marshall's Report

Mr. Peden read the Fire Marshall's April 2013 Report into record.

A-2 Fire Chief's Report

Mr. Peden requested that Dan Smith present the Fire Chief's Report. Mr. Smith presented the report for the month of April 2013. There were 1 fire incidents, 6 non-fire incidents, 22 mutual aids; for total incidents of 29 and 5 drills for a total activity of 34. We had \$4,000.00 worth of structural loss and \$1,000 content loss for a total loss of \$5,000. We had 16 assists for fire, 6 cover assignments, 3 motor vehicle accidents, 1 fire alarm, 1 C.O. detector activation, 1 good intent call, and 1 single-family dwelling; which was a kitchen. There were 38.8 hours in service for the month; 15 daytime, 19 night time, assist to Chester was 3 with the average runners of 9.

Mr. Mitchell had a couple questions on the housing of the old fire truck, the one going into the museum. Mr. Smith stated "Hopefully, the new truck should go into service the first week of June, which then we will have to switch the engines around to bring the antique back down to the museum and then put the engine up

at the Reese Center.” Mr. Mitchell asked why are we doing that? Mr. Smith replied “Because we have no spot to put the new engine.” Mr. Mitchell stated that he was not following him. It is a truck made to handle water, “it cannot sit outside?” Mr. Smith replied “No, it has no locks on the compartments or anything.” Mr. Mitchell further explained the intention is to start to empty out the buildings down there; it is not intended to be the Fire Company up there. Mr. Smith stated he understood completely, that they are more than willing to bring the antique back. “But what he is saying is that when the new apparatus comes back from all the tools being mounted, where are we gonna put the new piece of apparatus?” Mr. Mitchell stated “That was never an issue when we were talking about purchasing it.” Mr. Smith stated “No, because we were going to sell 7-5-2.” Mr. Mitchell stated he wanted to do this delicately, “We have an eight hundred and fifty thousand dollar fire truck, is that the one you plan on taking into Chester when you are on stand-by?” Mr. Smith replied “We haven’t discussed any of that yet.” Mr. Mitchell stated he wanted to do that right now as this is a public meeting. Mr. Smith stated “That’s the one that Commissioner Johnson would like to see---.” Mr. Mitchell interjected and stated “No, no, no. Commissioner Johnson is Chester. Good taxpayers of Upland are paying for that truck, not the Commissioner of Chester.” Mr. Smith replied that is correct. Mr. Mitchell explained “that truck was not purchased for Chester; that truck was purchased for this town. And it is not leaving this town to fight a fire in Chester when you got another perfectly good truck to do it!” Mr. Smith replied “Okay, that’s fine. But that is also that happens with our mutual aide agreements; that other---.” Mr. Mitchell stated “What are you talking about, we’re giving you a truck to take down there. That is why we kept it, to take to Chester. And if there is someone on this Council that wants to contradict me, please do it because when we bought that, we were not going to trade it in. We bought a completely outfitted, eight hundred and fifty thousand dollar truck, so that would remain ours, in our town. If you had to assist anybody, you would use the old truck.” Mr. Smith asked “Does that include Parkside, Brookhaven, Chester Township and everyone else we mutually aide assist.” Mr. Mitchell replied “Sure, what’s wrong with it. If you’re going to assist somebody with a truck; is there something wrong with that truck?” Mr. Smith stated “Because Mr. President, that is the reason other municipalities do the mutual aide assists agreements. Because we do not need to buy a ladder truck because we utilize a mutual aide agreement. We don’t ---” Mr. Mitchell interjected “The truck is identical, when you looked at it, I wouldn’t know the difference between the old one and the new one. They both look the same, they both pump water, there is nothing wrong with the old one versus the new one, other than the age.” Mr. Smith stated “There are mutual aide agreements in effect---.” Mr. Mitchell asked “Does your mutual aide agreement state that you got to bring the new vehicle that the taxpayers haven’t even made the first payment on?” Mr. Smith replied “No, it doesn’t. No, no.” Mr. Mitchell replied “Then what’s wrong with taking the one ---.” Mr. Smith interjected “Because I am not understanding you saying that the brand new truck is not leaving the Borough when we rely on other Boroughs to supply this Borough with their brand new apparatus?” Mr. Mitchell stated “How many fire companies have

a museum, for a fire truck? I mean, is there a long line that goes over there and watches that and you are gonna house an old truck? And I'm sorry I am not a fireman, so I can't get into it. If I had an old car, I get rid of it. I mean...you want to keep an old truck for no reason, 'cause it is in a museum....Dan, you remember we've had a hundred conversations about this, membership is not all that to substantiate everything you got there." Mr. Smith replied "I agree and that is why we wanted to sell the older truck." Mr. Mitchell asked "And do what with it?" Mr. Smith replied, "The truck that we were replacing was the 1992 Seagrave, we wanted to sell that truck." Mr. Mitchell stated "You were going to sell that truck, and what are they going to do with it? Are they going to use that someplace or are they just going to make that into a museum, too?" Mr. Smith replied "It could be done either way." Mr. Mitchell asked "Are they going to use it to fight fires?" Mr. Smith stated "somebody could use it to fight fires in their locality, yes." Mr. Mitchell replied "If you could tell me how you could take an eight hundred and fifty thousand fire truck to Chester, and make everyone happy in Chester and piss everyone off in this town, when they haven't even made the first payment yet..." Mr. Smith intervened and stated "The taxpayers in Chester bought a 1.3 million dollar tower truck that we bring into this Borough that there is a fire, so it's like saying how do you expect the City of Chester residents to be okay with them bringing their paid firefighters into the City of Upland. It's a mutual aide agreement..." Mr. Mitchell stated "We have a truck to take there, Dan." Mr. Smith stated "It's a mutual aide agreement that they've agreed upon." Mr. Mitchell replied "But not by age of vehicle. It says you will send a stand-by vehicle and that is what that is." Mr. Smith replied "Okay." Mr. Mitchell stated "The old truck is a stand-by vehicle." Mr. Smith replied "Okay. I don't know where it will be housed, that is all I'm saying." Mr. Mitchell stated "That is not our issue." Mr. Smith replied "Okay---." Mr. Mitchell stated "We are putting a facade and we are putting another garage on there, another bay..." Mr. Smith stated "That's correct. And if that was done at this point, then we would not be having this issue." Mr. Mitchell stated that he could not rush it any quicker and the money has been appropriated. Mr. Smith stated " that is why the original agreement, verbally with you, was that it was going to go to the Reese Center until that project was complete. Now you are saying..." Mr. Mitchell stated "I have no problems with it going to the Reese Center. I'm asking how long is it going to stay there?" Mr. Smith replied "Till as long as the bay gets put on." Mr. Mitchell replied "Okay. There may come a time when I got to put it outside. Because once the guys start moving, Shirley has our own equipment that shouldn't be sitting in the rain. Our bucket truck and stuff shouldn't be sitting out in the rain, it has the same issues." Mr. Smith stated "I agree Mr. President. But all this was talked to you before about it. This was all agreed upon before, now why, tonight, in front of the public forum, you want to bring it up like this, I don't know." Mr. Mitchell stated "Well, Dan, I'm not getting anywhere and you are never thoroughly and convincingly telling anybody what you are going to do. Did you tell our guys that you have the exclusive right to the third bay up there?" Mr. Smith replied between Mr. Mitchell's comments "We have had meetings." And regarding the third bay, his response was "I don't know what you are talking

about?” Mr. Mitchell replied “I don’t know. Patrick reported that---.” Mr. Smith stated “They asked what bay would it fit in? So I said that if you are using these two, it could go into the third bay. When I was asked which bay it would fit in, yes I did tell them which bay it would fit in.” Mr. Mitchell asked “And that is yours exclusively?” Mr. Smith replied “No, I never said that.” Mr. Mitchell stated “That is not what had got back to me.” Mr. Smith stated “I even talked to those guys and told them I would even teach them how to drive it, so it could be moved out if needed.” Mr. Mitchell replied “Very Good.” Mr. Smith stated “And I told them they could water the flowers with it if they wanted to.” Mr. Mitchell asked “Is the keys in it?” Mr. Smith replied “There are no keys to a fire truck.” Mr. Mitchell replied “Ok. Then you don’t need them. Okay. I don’t know. I told you I am not a fireman.” Mr. Mitchell asked if anyone had anything to say about what gets housed. Mr. Smith stated “Of course not.”

Mrs. Miazza asked “About what?” Mr. Mitchell replied “About what gets housed, what gets used, and what doesn’t get used.” Ms. Crawford stated “Well, it was my understanding that the old fire truck was going to be housed at the Reese Center, for use to go to the City of Chester---.” Mrs. Miazza stated “Yes, that is what I heard.” Mr. Mitchell stated “For the City of Chester fighting, but they said no if you take it out of there because it’s a dedicated vehicle to the Johnson family, that means it comes out of there ---.” Mr. Smith interjected “Mr. President, that’s your words, Mr. President.” Mr. Mitchell asked “Huh?” Mr. Smith stated again “That’s your words.” Mr. Mitchell stated “Okay, do you want to leave it up there? Then we will move it outside when we need it outside, that’s all. I don’t have a problem with that, that’s all. I’m asking how long it’s going to be there. If it’s going to be something forever and permanent and you guys when there is a fire in Chester, then you guys will come up there and get it?” Mr. Smith stated “Mr. President, originally, in the beginning conversations with the Council and yourself, you’ve involved Commissioner Johnson in the building of the brand new apparatus---Mr. Mitchell interjected “Because you guys couldn’t get together to do it, that’s why.” Mr. Smith continued “And wanted him involved in building this brand new apparatus and what can be utilized in the City of Chester to assist them.” Mr. Mitchell stated “Yes”. Mr. Smith replied “Now, you’re stating that even though Commissioner Johnson assisted the building of this brand new truck to assist them in the City of Chester, you no longer want it down there.” Mr. Mitchell replied “No, no. This isn’t a brand new idea. This was from day one. This is from day one, Dan.” Mr. Smith interjected “Mr. President---.” Mr. Mitchell continued “don’t twist, don’t even think you’re going to twist that around.” Mr. Smith asked “Mr. President, did you involve Commissioner Johnson in the building of this apparatus to assist the City of Chester?” Mr. Mitchell stated “We got Commissioner Johnson in there to get you guys to talk, to sit down to the table to do what had to be done because you acted like a bunch of children and you could not get it done. It’s just that simple.” Mr. Smith replied “Way to act, Mr. President.” Ms. Crawford stated “It’s my understanding though, Dan, that we always were going to house that older fire truck up at the Reese Center for use in the City of Chester---.” Mr. Smith interjected “That is correct.

Now I am being asked why it is going to go there. So---.” Mr. Mitchell stated “Dan, if it’s going to stay there, then we don’t need to spend the half of million dollars for the new facade on the front of the building.” Mrs. Miazza stated “It wasn’t intended to stay there. Once you put the other bay in---.” Mr. Peden and Ms. Crawford both agreed “until the new bay” was modified and/or built. Mr. Mitchell stated “Yes, as that was what I had said. It can stay there. I just want to know how long because he has the intention that it’s going to stay there. And no, when we were in Hershey, I got the understanding that it’s going to stay there forever, no.” Mrs. Miazza stated “No, he said until the new bay is put on.” Mr. Mitchell asked “Is that your understanding Dan?” Mr. Smith replied “Mr. President, I said that to you ten minutes ago. I said when the new bay gets put on, and you said that it’s not going to stay there, we are going to move it out because our guys need the space.” Mr. Mitchell replied “Okay.” Mr. Smith retorted “Continue your wording then.” Mr. Mitchell replied “Okay, we will bring back your water truck. Are you alright now Dan?” Mr. Smith replied “Mr. President, I’ve been fine.” Mr. Mitchell replied “Okay. Are you done with your report Dan?” Mr. Smith replied “Yes.” Mr. Peden indicated he was finished. Mr. Mitchell stated “that was easy enough. Let move on to more business.”

10. Code Official Report - Leland Hunter

A-1 Code Officer’s Report

Mr. Hunter read his April 2013 report into record.

11. Building & Grounds Report - Sandra Miazza

Mrs. Miazza stated the carpets for the Hall are complete. She informed all that we are receiving a lot of requests for Hall rentals. The only thing that requires attention is touch up paint on the area of the sconces and the doors outside. She also mentioned new lights are requested for up in the Hall; then it will be complete.

Mrs. Miazza informed everyone they moved the old ice machine, the guys used to have in the Garage into at the Pavilion and it was not working. Mr. Kennedy was able to fix the problem. Mrs. Miazza informed everyone that we are all set down at the Pavilion; we have everything we need.

12. Finance & Insurance Report - Moira Crawford

A-1 Approval of General Fund Bills

Ms. Crawford made a motion to accept the General Fund bills for approval for the month of April 2013 in the amount of \$ 257,005.01. Mr. Peden seconded the motion. Mr. Hunter abstained from check number 29463 and Aye on the rest, Mr. Smith abstained from check number 29521 and Aye on the rest, Mrs. Peterson abstained from check numbers 29593 and 29594 and Aye on the rest, Mr. Mitchell abstained from check number 29493 and Aye on the rest. All other Council voted Aye on the motion.

A-2 Approval of Auburn Village Bills

Ms. Crawford made a motion to approve the Auburn Village bills for the month of April 2013 in the amount of \$ 46,288.62. Mrs. Miazza seconded the motion. Council unanimously voted Aye on the motion.

13. Ordinances and Resolutions Report - Harold Peden

Mr. Peden wanted everyone to recognize the fact that they were getting off easy tonight. The only thing he needed to report on is the progress on the development of legislature of abandoned antennas and also we are going to address the issue of trash pickers and scrappers in the Borough.

14. Research & Development - Moira Crawford

Ms. Crawford reported for the month of April 2013 had 3,025 page views with 1,205 visitors. We had approximately 40 visitors to the website per day. Since November 2011, when we started this version of the website, we had 59,369 reads with 22,302 visitors.

15. Street & Equipment - Christine Peterson

Mrs. Peterson wanted to make everyone aware that the trash truck is being serviced for the airbrakes, as they went out and there is a leak. The new trailer to carry around the lawn mowers is three weeks out; the John Deere is not operational. The cost of the repairs is very expensive so maybe we can place the replacement onto the budget for next year. Ms. Crawford asked if that was one of the older models. It was confirmed by Mrs. Peterson, it was an old mower.

16. Community Affairs - Sandra Miazza

The upcoming events include the Carnival that begins May 21st until May 25th, the Memorial Day Parade is on Monday, May 27th at 9:00am with a picnic in Bristol Lord Field to follow, and June 8th is the Seniors Flea Market upstairs.

Mrs. Miazza stated she planned to have the sign up for the wrist bands for the 4th of July event at the Senior's Flea Market. On August 9th is the Blue Rocks trip. And July 4th we will offer a picnic at the Ballpark.

17. Use & Occupancy Report - Shirley Purcival

Mrs. Purcival read into record the Use and Occupancy Report for the month of April 2013.

Mr. Mitchell asked where the failed sewer lateral was located. Mrs. Purcival stated the property was located at the 1100 block of Mulberry Street. Mrs. Purcival offered additional information regarding other lateral inspections that have had problems.

18. Mayor's Report - Mayor Ciach

Mayor Ciach read his report for the month of April 2013. A total of 156 citations were issued; 136 traffic citations and 20 non-traffic citations. Total amount of fines equal \$ 23,061.00 with \$ 5,433.17 received from the District Justice Court. Year to date citations totals 545. We had 11 parking tickets issued, amount of tickets/reports paid restitution was \$ 605.88, 3 motor vehicle accidents, 1 accident report copied, and total of 182 answered calls for the month with 21 assists.

Mayor Ciach mentioned that the weather was warming, for which we will have increased activity. The Bike Patrol will begin after Memorial Day.

19. Solicitor's Report - Robert O'Connor

Mr. O'Connor read into record his April 2013 report.

20. Engineer's Report - Charles Catania, Sr., P.E.

Mr. Catania addressed his report at the beginning of the meeting as he had an appointment. He returned by the end of the meeting.

21. Old Business

There was no old business addressed from Council.

22. New Business

A-1 Motion to Cancel April 23, 2013 Meeting

Mrs. Peterson made a motion to cancel the second meeting of the month. Ms. Crawford seconded the motion. All Council voted Aye on the motion.

A-2 Karen Dauber / John & Emily Hall - Presentation of Historical Documents

This was addressed at the beginning of the meeting.

A-3 Removal of Planning Commission Member

Mrs. Peterson made a motion to remove a member of the Planning Commission. Ms. Crawford seconded the motion. All Council voted aye on the motion. Mr. O'Connor asked if there had been any communication from past member. Mr. Mitchell stated there was not.

A-4 Donation to Marine Corps League for New Roof

Mrs. Peterson made a motion to donate \$ 1,000.00 to the Marine Corps League for their new roof. Ms. Crawford seconded the motion. All Council voted Aye on the motion.

23. Floor Open to Public

Mrs. Deldeo addressed Council regarding the property that is situated next to her Mulberry Street property. The Borough cut the grass last year. Mr. Mitchell, Mr. O'Connor and Mrs. Purcival provided a clear explanation of the lien process. Mrs. Purcival stated she will request for the property to be mowed again.

Mr. Criswell, of Eighth Street, stated that he purchased his property last June. As he stated, unfortunately he cannot live in it. He purchased it as a foreclosed property; it was abandoned by the previous owners. He explained he had a concern regarding the summarization of sewer lateral inspections that was printed in the newsletter for the month of March. He stated that the numbers that were reported were not the actual number of passed sewer laterals inspections. Ms. Crawford and Mrs. Peterson asked Mr. Criswell where he obtained his figures. He stated he received from the plumber, Anton.

Ms. Crawford asked Mrs. Purcival for the proper figures. Mrs. Purcival stated that there were nineteen (19) sewer laterals from March 2012 until May 6, 2013. She stated that Mr. Criswell was correct that Anton was the plumber for the four

(4) properties that failed and she further explained that we only had one in 2012. Mr. Kennedy, Borough Plumbing Inspector, advised Mr. Criswell that he can work on his house. However, he cannot schedule the Use and Occupancy inspection until such time the lateral is repaired. He stated that he also explained to Mr. Criswell that to schedule his U & O, it would be a good idea to come in and meet with our building inspector, Mr. Ferguson, to discuss what is to be expected for the U & O inspection. Mr. Kennedy furthered explained that he was told that Mr. Criswell intended to use the property as a rental property. Mr. Peden stated that this situation would change the rules a lot. Mr. Mitchell asked Mr. Criswell if he understood what the Plumbing Inspector said. Mr. Criswell stated that he did. Mr. Mitchell asked Mr. Criswell what is the problem. Mr. Criswell stated his problem was that he intended to live on the first floor and rent the second floor and with the failure of the sewer lateral, he will not be able to take up residency in Upland until it is repaired. Also, he believes that the statement provided in the newsletter, offers false information for those individuals that may purchase homes in Upland. Mrs. Purcival, referring to a report, offered explanation of the numbers of passed, repaired and failed inspections. Mr. Mitchell stated that Mr. Criswell can talk with the Borough Manager to obtain the copies of the reports and to set up a meeting with our Building Code Official, Mr. Ferguson.

Mr. Bob Kosinik of Mulberry Street approached Council regarding the safety concern of the 11th Street Project for the residents in that area. He asked if council would have the roads used for emergency vehicles only, for it not to be used as a thoroughfare. Mr. Mitchell stated that Council hears what he is saying however it is kind of a two-fold thing. "If you get liquid fuel money for blacktop for Mulberry Street, when they resurface that, everybody in this town pays for it. It is proportionally given out for us to do your street, in front of your house. The same way that street (11th), was done with a grant." That is from everyone in the State of Pennsylvania, saying it is okay to do that. So to single it out just for a private road, then we would have to pay for it ourselves, for which we do not have that kind of money to do that to build a street. You can't, in the State of Pennsylvania, determine what is just for you and good for you. Nobody wants, as you seen, nobody wanted a school up the street; nobody wants a church over there; nobody wants a half-way house over here. If we lived the way everybody wants it, there would be no progress; we'd be stymied. Mr. Mitchell stated that there are many problems within the Borough, regarding little alleys and the speed limits, the one-way streets are hard to maneuver with fire trucks, people on 6th Street do not like the heavy traffic. Mr. Kosinik stated that there are some things necessary and some that are not. Mr. Mitchell stated that this road will be used for those people that needed emergency route to get to the other side of town and that was the best solution we could come up with; this will be considered an alternative. Mrs. Peterson asked if we placed a "Local Traffic Only" sign, would that deter a lot of people traveling the road. After some discussion, Mr. Mitchell and other Council agreed that placing a sign would not work.

24. Adjournment

Ms. Crawford made a motion to adjourn. Mrs. Miazza seconded the motion. Council unanimously voted Aye on the motion.

The meeting adjourned at 8:19 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Shirley Purcival
Borough Manager/Treasurer/Secretary

Shannon Strigle
Recording Secretary