

REGULAR meeting of the Board of Public Safety was held on Thursday, April 16, 2015, at 9:00 a.m. at the City Building, 82 Main Street, Hornell, NY.

PRESENT: Mayor Shawn Hogan, Commissioner Dave Sengstock, Police Chief Ted Murray, Fire Chief Dan Smith, Code Office Bud Burdett and City Clerk Barbara Perrott.

ALSO PRESENT: Jason Jordan, Evening Tribune, Pastor Cedric Cooper & Pat Hanchett of the First Baptist Church

ABSENT: None

By Sengstock/Hogan

RESOVLED, that the minutes of the last meeting held 3/12/2015, be approved as read.

Carried - Ayes all (X)

By Sengstock/Hogan

RESOVLED, that the Reports of Fire, Ambulance, Codes and Police be approved and ordered filed.

Carried - Ayes all (X)

Chief Smith gave updates on the properties that have recently had fires; 55 John St. has been cleared for demo, Bud Burdett will be meeting today with the owner of Canisteo St., Church St. – there is an issue with the insurance payment.

Mayor Hogan asked for approval of a resolution that will allow the City Chamberlain to add the costs of the demolition of Rainbow Heaven to the county taxes.

By Hogan/Sengstock

RESOLVED that the City of Hornell Board of Public Safety verifies that the property known as Rainbow Heaven, located at 76 Seneca St., Hornell, NY, has been demolished as a result of a fire. The Board hereby authorizes the City Chamberlain to attach all costs incurred by the City for the demolition to be attached to the county tax bill for said property.

Carried – Ayes all (X)

By Hogan/Sengstock

RESOLVED, that the City of Hornell Board of Public Safety hereby approves an increase of the fee for Rescue Truck Response from \$265 to \$500.

Carried - Ayes all (X)

By Sengstock/Hogan

RESOLVED, that the City of Hornell Board of Public Safety hereby accepts the resignation of Policeman Robert Margeson, for the purpose of retirement, effective April 20, 2015.

Carried - Ayes all (X)

Mayor Hogan congratulated Officer Margeson on his 34+ years of service and wished him well in his retirement.

By Sengstock/Hogan

RESOLVED, that claims in the amount of \$265,922.78 be approved and paid as audited.

Carried - Ayes all (X)

Miscellaneous:

Pastor Cooper and Pat Hanchett addressed the board about a “Community Party” they would like to hold. They are requesting that Church St. be closed for the event. Mayor Hogan said that the City would help in any way and that they should come back as the date of the event nears.

Mayor Hogan has had a few people show interest

By Sengstock/Hogan

RESOLVED, that there being no further business, the Board adjourn at 9:25 am.

Carried – Ayes all (X)

Shawn D. Hogan
Mayor

Barbara M. Perrott
City Clerk