

**REGULAR** meeting of the Board of Public Safety was held on Thursday, September 10, 2015, at 9:00 a.m. at the City Building, 82 Main Street, Hornell, NY.

**PRESENT:** Mayor Shawn Hogan, Commissioners Dave Sengstock and David Parmley, Police Chief Ted Murray, Fire Chief Dan Smith, Code Officer Bud Burdett and City Clerk Barbara Perrott.

**ALSO PRESENT:** Jason Jordan from the Evening Tribune and Billy Murphy from WLEA, Patrolman JR Emo

**ABSENT:** None

By Sengstock/Parmley

**RESOLVED**, that the minutes of the meeting held 8/13/15 be approved as read.

Carried – Ayes all (X)

By Parmley/Sengstock

**RESOLVED**, that the Reports of Fire, Ambulance, Codes and Police be approved as read.

Carried – Ayes all (X)

By Parmley/Sengstock

**RESOLVED**, that the City of Hornell Board of Public Safety hereby re-appoints Michael F. Hoyt to the temporary, provisional appointment of Police Sergeant for the City of Hornell effective July 17, 2015.

Carried – Ayes all (X)

By Sengstock/Parmley

**RESOLVED**, that claims in the amount of \$246,924.30 be approved and paid as audited.

Carried – Ayes all (X)

### **MISCELLANEOUS:**

At the July meeting, the Board approved Officer Emo's proposal for a Canine Unit. The circumstances of getting the dog have changed and there will be a minor cost to the City for Officer Emo to travel to Arkansas to pick up the dog and receive two weeks training. A motion was made by Sengstock and seconded by Parmley to approve the costs.

Carried – Ayes all (X)

Mayor Hogan updated the Board on the status of the houses that sustained fire damage this year. The houses on John St. and Bennett St. have both been demolished. The house on Church St. has gone to court and a hearing is scheduled.

The property at 4 Sheldon Court has been deemed a Nuisance Property according to § of the City Codes. The landlord has waived his right to a hearing and one of the tenants appeared at the meeting to ask if he could stay in the house until October 1, at which time he will move into a Hornell Housing unit. The Board agreed that if there were no further incidents, the resident could have until October 1 to vacate the property.

Commissioner Parmley has expressed his concern to Mayor Hogan about a new business that will be leasing a building on Main St. The business will be a "Vape Store". Mayor Hogan and Chief Murray will look into laws that control this type of business.

By Sengstock/Parmley

**RESOLVED**, that there be no further business, the Board adjourn at 9:37a.m.

Carried – Ayes all(x)

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Shawn D. Hogan  
Mayor

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Barbara M. Perrott  
City Clerk