

The Special meeting of the Lansford Borough Council for General purposes was held at the above date and place at 6:00pm. The meeting was called to order by President Martin Ditsky and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

ROLL CALL

President Martin Ditsky took roll call. Those present were Tommy Vadyak, Mayor James Romankow, Joe Butrie, Collin Jones, and Rose Mary Cannon. Those absent were: Mary Soberick, Samantha Yasson and Mike Greek. Secretary Treasurer Mary Fittos came in at 6:02pm.

PUBLIC COURTESY

No public courtesy.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Part- Time Police Applications

Council reviewed the two applications we have on file.

Rose Mary Cannon makes the motion to hire both applicants contingent upon successfully passing the physiological and any other pertinent exams necessary for the Lansford Police Department. Seconded: Colin Jones vote. Opposed: Tommy Vadyak & Joe Butrie. Motion passes.

Discussion: Tommy Vadyak asked who was doing the background check. Mr. Romankow said Sergeant Soberick. Mr. Vadyak said he is against us doing the background checks in house. He said we have found out about PFA's and officers not having Jnet authority in the past. Mr. Romankow asked he had proof and Mr. Vadyak said yes, but it was not provided at this meeting. Mr. Vadyak said one of the candidates had his License suspended and was fired from his job. Ms. Cannon said he did not complete his probation.

Mr. Vadyak said he wants to challenge Ms. Cannons vote because her son is affiliated with the Police Department.

Secretary Treasurer, Mary Fittos said she spoke to Mr. Greek about this situation and unless a vote is cast which benefits the individual personally that they have a relationship with, they can vote for that department. This vote does not personally benefit her son. Mr. Vadyak said he does not take Mr. Greeks word.

Secretary Treasurer, Mary Fittos said Sergeant Soberick gave her a Quote from KME to present to council for Vehicle #104 that needs to be approved for some work to be done. The amount is \$1,393.75. Some of the work that must be done is: New Light bar, rear window LED lights, remove halogen, remove siren/ switch pack and replace with a new one and install a 12V battery Guard. Ms. Cannon mentioned the LST account.

Mr. Ditsky said the quote does not match the Purchase order. Mrs. Fittos explained that the battery was not entered on the quote, but is needed which is why it's on the purchase order. She also suggested to use the LST account. Mr. Ditsky mentioned the remodeling of the Police Station. Mr. Romankow said the price is a lot cheaper.

Colin Jones makes the motion to approve the repairs from the Invoice for \$1,393.75 out of the LST account. Seconded: Rose Mary Cannon vote. Opposed: Tommy Vadyak & Joe Butrie. Motion passed.

Mr. Vadyak asked if there were more quotes. Mr. Ditsky said where else would we take it. Mr. Jones asked what happens with the old Light bar. Mr. Romankow said it can be used for scrap metal. Mr. Jones also said the date of the Quote was in May and the Purchase order was dated July. Mr. Romankow said he is sure they will honor it. Mr. Vadyak said it's from May why are we getting it now.

ADJOURNMENT

Rose Mary Cannon makes the motion to adjourn at 6:17pm. Seconded: Martin Ditsky vote. All in favor, motion passes.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Fittos

Secretary/Treasurer