

Executive Session – 11/10/08

Present: Eppinger, Hutchison, Krenzel, Razzano, Trenga, Trzeciak
AJS, Gary Schwartz, Esq. Chief Bomba

Personnel

Chief Bomba briefed the Councilmembers on the hiring of a Police Dispatcher, Donna Thrasher, and requested that she be placed on the agenda of 11/24/08 Council meeting.

In addition, Chief Bomba requested that Andrew King be hired as a Patrolman. Mr. King is already certified and could start immediately. The Police Department needs help. There are only three policemen out at night. Mr. King would be replacing Mr. Cassidy.

Chief Bomba stated that there would also be two hires, Wesley Sanchez and John Kenny, for the second meeting in December.

Chief Bomba advised that Deputy Chief Bouthillette has been chosen to attend a course on Leadership offered by the FBI Academy in January. It is a three-month program attended by 250 people from all over the world.

Mr. Salerno updated the Councilmembers on the Fire Prevention Official.

Anticipated Litigation

Mr. Salerno advised that he discussed the matter of Michael Ayers with Art Thibault, Labor Attorney. Mr. Ayers was notified of the matter being discussed in executive session and was given the opportunity to attend this meeting.

Mr. Ayers and Rescue Squad Capt. Bill Synek were present at this time.

Mr. Ayers advised that he did not come prepared. He requested that the Borough Council grant him a hearing to discuss any allegations or violations against him. He felt that he is entitled to a hearing. He noted that he is a life member for eighteen years on the Rescue Squad. He would like to have ten to fourteen days notice a hearing.

Mr. Ayers and Capt. Synek left the meeting at this time.

Executive session was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Motion made by Councilman Trzeciak to reconvene closed session at 9:45 p.m.
Councilman Krenzel seconded the motion.

Councilmembers reviewed Capt. Synek's notice of suspension and supporting documentation on Michael Ayes.

Consensus of Councilmembers was to return to the Regular Meeting and adopt resolution terminating Michael Ayes from the Rescue Squad effective immediately.

Executive Session ended at 9:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia O'Connor, RMC
Borough Clerk

Approved for release at the regular meeting
held on October 9, 2012