

The special meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of Sinking Spring was called to order on Tuesday, December 17, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. at the Sinking Spring Borough Hall by President James Pachulo. After the Pledge to the Flag, Elizabeth White called the roll reflecting the following Council Members present:

James Pachulo
Edward Oswald (absent)
George Butkus
Christiana Stallone (absent)
Gary Cirulli
Denise Stine
Steven Suruskie

Other officials present were: Mayor Francis Butkus, and Elizabeth White who recorded the minutes of the proceeding.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT – JAMES PACHULO:

Mr. Pachulo stated that the purpose of the meeting tonight is to vote on the Ordinances that were advertised for the Ambulance, Fire and General Fund Tax rates.

Mr. Pachulo tried calling Mr. Oswald and Mrs. Stallone to get their votes by phone but they were both unavailable.

Mr. Pachulo asked for a motion to adopt the Ambulance Tax Ordinance at .26 mils which is unchanged from last year. Mrs. Stine made the motion to adopt the Ambulance Tax Ordinance at .26 mils; seconded by Mr. Cirulli. AYES – 5, NAYS – 0, ABSENT – 2; motion carried.

Mr. Pachulo asked for a motion to adopt the Fire Tax Ordinance at .87 mils which is unchanged from last year. Mrs. Stine made the motion to adopt the Fire Tax Ordinance at .87 mils; seconded by Mr. Cirulli. AYES – 5, NAYS – 0, ABSENT – 2; motion carried.

Mr. Pachulo asked for a motion to adopt the General Fund Tax Ordinance at 6.44 mils with .5 mils going into a Capital Improvement Fund. Mrs. Stine made the motion to adopt the General Fund Tax Ordinance at 6.44 mils with .5 mils going into a Capital Improvement Fund; seconded by Mr. Cirulli. AYES – 3, NAYS – 2 (Mr. George Butkus and Mr. Suruskie), ABSENT – 2; motion carried.


MAYOR FRANCIS BUTKUS:

Mayor Butkus asked when the time of the meeting changed. Mr. Pachulo stated that it was discussed and decided at the last meeting. He also stated that it was advertised in the newspaper.

ADJOURNMENT:

Mr. Cirulli made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:09.

Respectfully submitted,



Elizabeth A. White
Borough Secretary