

Meeting Minutes
State College Borough Council
January 4, 2010

The State College Borough Council met in a regular meeting on Monday, January 4, 2010 in the State College Municipal Building Council Room, 243 South Allen Street, State College, PA.

Oath of Office. Senior Judge Charles Brown, Jr., administered the Oath of Office to the newly elected Mayor and Council members:

Elizabeth A. Goreham, Mayor
Thomas E. Daubert
Ronald L. Filippelli
Donald M. Hahn

Following the swearing-in, Mayor Goreham called the meeting of the 2010-2011 Council to order at 3:08 p.m.

Present: Elizabeth A. Goreham, Mayor
Ronald L. Filippelli
Donald M. Hahn
Theresa D. Lafer
Silvi Lawrence
Peter Morris
James L. Rosenberger
Thomas E. Daubert

Also present: Thomas J. Fountaine, Borough Manager; Thomas S. Kurtz, Assistant Manager; Roger A. Dunlap, Assistant Manager; Carl R. Hess, Planning Director; Amy J. Story, Borough Engineer; Beth A. Johnston, Human Resources Director; Charles DeBow, Parking Manager; Michael S. Groff, Finance Director; Sharon K. Ergler, Recording Secretary; Thomas R. King, Chief of Police; Felicia Lewis; members of the media; and other interested observers.

Ms. Goreham began the meeting with a moment of silence and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Organization of the 2010-2011 Council. Mr. Fountaine reminded Council that it was necessary for Council to elect a President, who will act as Council's agent in the execution of all formal documents and papers.

Ms. Goreham called for nominations for President of Council. Mr. Hahn moved to nominate Ronald Filippelli as President of Council. Mr. Rosenberger seconded the motion. There being no other nominations, Council elected Mr. Filippelli as President of Council with a 7-0-0 vote.

Public Hour. Ms. Goreham asked if there were any members of the public who wished to speak on issues not on the agenda.

Ms. Gloria Horst Rosenberger of 464 East Foster encouraged Council to reconsider their decision to turn off the pedestrian lights on South Garner Street.

Council agreed this subject should be scheduled for an upcoming work session.

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Mayor's Report.

Ms. Goreham thanked Felicia Lewis, Interim Mayor, for her service from October to December.

President's Report. – No Report

Liaison Reports. – No Report

Staff/Committee Reports. – Mr. Fountaine echoed Ms. Goreham's comments about Ms. Lewis's service to the Borough.

There being no further discussion, the meeting adjourned at 3:21 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon K. Ergler
Assistant Borough Secretary