

**State College Borough Council**  
**Monday, March 7, 2005**  
**Continuation of Work Session**

The State College Borough Council met on Monday, March 7, 2005, to continue their discussion from March 4, 2005, of topics to present at Capitol Hill visits while attending the National League of Cities Congressional Cities meeting in Washington, D.C. March 12-15. The meeting was held in Room 321 of the State College Municipal Building, 243 South Allen Street, State College, PA. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Daubert after Ms. Dauler arrived at 10:45 am.

Present:                                Thomas E. Daubert, President of Council  
    Catherine G. Dauler  
    Elizabeth A. Goreham  
    Craig R. Humphrey

Absent :                                 Jeffrey R. Kern  
    Janet K. Knauer  
    James H. Meyer

Also present: Thomas J. Fountaine, II, Borough Manager; Carl R. Hess, Director of Planning; Lu Hoover, Senior Planner; and Amy R. Miller, Recording Secretary.

The meeting was reconvened to discuss the final plans for the National League of Cities meeting. Mr. Fountaine explained that the resolution supporting the continuation of CDBG would be included on the March 21 meeting agenda for adoption by Council. The resolution would later be forwarded to the Congressman and Senators with a letter thanking them for the meetings.

Mr. Fountaine asked Council if they had questions on the information prepared by Lu Hoover. Mr. Hess said State College is the only city in Congressman Peterson's district that is entitled to federal funds; other cities are state CDBG entitlements. Council discussed the CDBG program and the meeting schedule for the National League of Cities. Mr. Fountaine provided a brief explanation of the history of the CDBG program and Mr. Hess briefed Council on the communities in the 5<sup>th</sup> Congressional district that receive CDBG grants through the State program.

Ms. Dauler suggested, when visiting the Senators, concentration should be on CDBG. Mr. Fountaine agreed and said staff will work on developing a one-page handout for the Senators and Congressman in addition to some of the human interest stories. Mr. Fountaine added that Council would follow up with a resolution after the meetings.

Ms. Goreham excused herself at 11:15 am, resulting in loss of quorum. The meeting adjourned at 11:15 am.

Respectfully submitted by:

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