

**City of Scranton**  
**Minutes for the Meeting**  
**of the Governing Body**  
**Tuesday January 18, 2011**

The meeting was called to order by Mayor David Barnes at 7:00 p.m.

In attendance were Councilmen; Eddie Lester, Gary DeShazer, Randy Jackson and Jack Mayfield. Larry Hulsopple is absent. Employees; Christi Miles, Bobi Morris, Larry Alexander and Scott Lester. City Attorney Todd Luckman. Citizens; Karen Gallagher, Tom Carnes, Ronald Hicks, Keith & Betsy Crispin, Gabe Faimon, Amanda Alexander, Kurt Claycomb, Ken Croucher, and Dana Edwards.

A motion was made by Councilman Mayfield to approve the minutes for the regular scheduled meeting on December 21, 2010 as written. Motion was second by Councilman DeShazer. Motion carried 4 – 0

A motion was made by Councilman Mayfield to approve the minutes for the regular scheduled meeting on January 4, 2011 as written. Motion was second by Councilman Lester. Motion carried 4 – 0

**New Business;** Councilman Lester made a motion to adopt Ordinance number 623 making the speed limit within the corporate city limits 20 miles per hour unless otherwise posted. Motion was second by Councilman DeShazer. Carried 4 – 0

Council reviewed a nepotism ordinance and tabled any action until the next regular scheduled meeting to allow the city attorney to modify it.

Councilman Jackson made a motion to enter a twenty year agreement with Westar contingent upon the final contract. Motion was second by Councilman DeShazer. Carried 3 – 1 (Mayfield)

Councilman DeShazer made a motion to advertise in the local paper for a Building Inspector. Motion was second by Randy Jackson. Carried 4 – 0

**Old Business;** Christi Miles gave the treasurer's report. There were no concerns.

Councilman Mayfield made a motion to approve the Drinking Establishment License for CP's Branding Iron Saloon and Restaurant. Motion was second by Councilman DeShazer. Carried 3 – 1 (Lester)

Councilman DeShazer made a motion to continue participation in the Osage County Revitalization Plan. Motion was second by Councilman Lester. Carried 4 – 0

Mayor Barnes recognized Karen Gallagher. Ms. Gallagher expressed concerns about finding out that customers are not supposed to tamper with the city's utility meters. She was given the information on who to contact after hours.

Councilman Mayfield made a motion to approve Chief Croucher's recommendation to allow Ted McDaniel and Bill Bottom to join the volunteer fire department. Motion was second by Councilman DeShazer. Carried 4 – 0

Councilman DeShazer made a motion to authorize the purchase of a Carbon Monoxide Detector for \$788.00. Motion was second by Councilman Mayfield. Carried 4 – 0

Councilman Jackson made a motion to authorize the purchase of a corded mike for \$65.00. Motion was second by Councilman Mayfield. Carried 4 – 0

Councilman Mayfield made a motion to authorize \$440.00 (1/2) towards the purchase of four jackets. Motion was second by Councilman Lester. Carried 4 – 0

Scott Lester informed the council that he was applying for an extension on completing the list of items presented by the State inspection.

Councilman Lester made a motion to authorize the purchase of three (3) coats for part-time officers, four (4) beanies, 1 flash light, and 1 evidence kit not to exceed \$1000.00. Motion was second by Councilman Mayfield. Carried 4 – 0

Councilman Jackson made a motion to have United Graphics apply the graphics with reflective materials for the 2011 Impala to match the 2008 Impala at the price quoted. Motion second by Councilman Mayfield. Carried 3 – 1(Lester)

Councilman Lester made a motion to remove and replace the graphics on the 2008 Impala with reflective material for the price quoted. Motion second by Councilman Mayfield. Carried 2 Ayes (Lester, Mayfield) – 2 Nays (DeShazer, Jackson) Mayor Barnes votes in favor to break the tie.

Councilman Lester made a motion to replace the current server with a new server not to exceed \$10,000.00. Motion was second by Councilman DeShazer. Carried 4 – 0

Councilman DeShazer made a motion at 8:54 p.m. to go in to a ten-minute executive session with Todd Luckman to discuss non-elected personnel issue. Motion second by Councilman Jackson. Carried 4 – 0 Council returned to regular session at 9:05 p.m.

Councilman Mayfield made a motion to approve over time for the city clerk to attend the Rabies Clinic on February 26, 2011 for 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Motion was second by Councilman DeShazer. Carried 4 – 0

Councilman DeShazer made a motion to approve ordinances 3 & 4 allowing payment of the city debts and payroll. Motion was second by Councilman Mayfield. Carried

4 – 0

Councilman Lester made a motion to adjourn the regular scheduled meeting at 9:27 p.m. Motion was second by Councilman Mayfield. Carried 4 – 0

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**Bobi Morris**  
**City Clerk**

**Approved February 15, 2011**