

**City of Scranton**  
**Minutes for the Meeting  
of the Governing Body  
Tuesday April 2, 2013**

The meeting was called to order by Mayor David Barnes at 6:04 p.m.

In attendance were Councilmen; Robert Sims, Randy Ming & Larry Hulsopple. Councilman DeShazer and Jackson are absent. Employees; Larry Alexander, Brent Cox, Bobi Morris and Scott Lester. Citizens; Donald Riffey, Tom Carnes, Betsy Crispin, Spicey Henning, Gabe Faimon, and Terry Piper.

A motion was made by Councilman Ming to approve the minutes for the regular scheduled meeting of March 19, 2013 as written. Motion was second by Councilman Hulsopple. Carried 3 – 0.

**Old Business;** Reviewed mowing bids. Tabled

**New Business;** Mayor Barnes recognized Spicey Henning. Henning made a complaint about snow removal.

A presentation by Mobile Alert was heard by council. No action was taken.

Scott Lester gave the maintenance report.

Councilman Sims made a motion at 6:56 p.m., to go in to a ten-minute executive session with Scott Lester present to discuss non-elected personnel issue. Motion was second by Councilman Hulsopple. Carried 3 – 0 Council returned to regular session at 7:06 p.m.

Councilman Ming made a motion to approve \$3540.00 to purchase utility polices. Motion was second by Sims. Carried 3 – 0

Councilman Jackson arrived at 7:09 p.m.

Councilman Ming made a motion to hire Jerry Atchison permanent part-time for the maintenance department with his pay to be \$10.00 an hour. Motion was second by Councilman Sims. Carried 4 – 0

Councilman Ming made a motion to accept a mowing bid of \$220.00 to mow the city properties from Gloss Lawn Service for the 2013 mowing season. Motion was second by Councilman Jackson. Carried 3 – 1 (Hulsopple)

Larry Alexander gave the police report.

Councilman Jackson made a motion to allow Dalton Alexander to ride-along with Alexander while he is here visiting Monday through Friday. Motion was second by Councilman Ming. Carried 4 – 0

Councilman Sims made a motion to increase the Municipal Court cost to \$100.00 effect immediatly. Motion was second by Councilman Ming. Carried 4 – 0

Councilman Ming made a motion at 7:40 p.m. to go in to a ten-minute executive session with Larry Alexander and Bobi Morris present to discuss non-elected personnel issue. Carried 4 – 0 Council returned to regular session at 7:50 p.m.

Councilman Sims made a motion to wave late fees for Melinda Recob due to the unexpected death of her mother and her funeral being on the 15th. Motion was second by Councilman Ming. Carried 4 - 0

Councilman Hulsopple made a motion to approve ordinances 11 & 12 allowing payment of the city debts and payroll. Motion was second by Councilman Sims. Carried 4 – 0

Councilman Jackson made a motion to adjourn the regular scheduled meeting at 8:02 p.m. Motion was second by Councilman Hulsopple. Carried 3 – 0

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

**Approved April 16, 2013**