BOROUGH OF HASBROUCK HEIGHTS

MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING

September 4, 2007

A Special Meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Hasbrouck Heights was held on September 4, 2007 at 8:02 p.m. at Borough Hall, 320 Boulevard, Hasbrouck Heights, NJ.

Borough Clerk Rose Marie Sees stated that the meeting complied with the Sunshine law, adequate notice of this meeting having been made to all members of the Council by personal service on August 28, 2007 and transmitted to The Observer, The Record and The Herald News on August 28, 2007.

ROLL CALL: Present: Mayor Ronald R. Jones, Councilman Justin A. DiPisa, Councilman Leonard Introna, Councilwoman Carol J. Skiba, Councilwoman Maryetta Saccomano, Councilman Anthony J. DiNanno, Councilman Stephen Altobelli

Absent: None

SALUTE TO THE FLAG AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mayor Jones led in the Salute to the Flag and Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC HEARING ON MUNICIPAL BUDGET:

Mayor Jones opened the public hearing for anyone wishing to speak on the Municipal Budget.

Councilwoman Skiba questioned Mr. Kronyak, on Resolution No. 128 which indicated that salaries were cut \$90,000, and why the budget summary said \$216,000. He explained that the resolution compared the budget introduced in March to what was being adopted now, that the total figure was \$216,000.

Councilman DiPisa questioned the total figure with the extraordinary aid of \$150,000 and the cuts made. He was advised it was a combination of decreased revenues and increased appropriations.

Councilwoman Skiba questioned other expenses increasing almost \$70,000, and if there was anyway to cut them further. She asked what the County rate was going to be, and was told it was not released officially, but Mr. Kronyak unofficially surmised 16.3 cents from 15.6 cents last year going up about 3/4 point.

There being no one else wishing to speak, the public hearing was closed.

RESOLUTIONS: 135. Adoption of 2007 Municipal Budget

On a motion by Councilwoman Saccomano, seconded by Councilman Introna, and unanimously carried, the foregoing Resolution was approved (Copy attached.)

ADJOURN:

There being no further business to be conducted by the Mayor and Council, the meeting was adjourned at 8:11 p.m.

I, ROSE MARIE SEES, Borough Clerk of the Borough of Hasbrouck Heights, do hereby certify that the foregoing Minutes are to the best of my knowledge a true account of the Special Mayor and Council Meeting held on September 4, 2007.

Rose Marie Sees, RMC Borough Clerk