

**Borough of Millbourne
Council Meeting
December 29, 2010**

The Millbourne Borough Council held a special scheduled meeting on Wednesday, December 29, 2010 at the Municipal Building, 9 Park Avenue. The meeting was called to order at 7:30 P.M. by Council Vice President Khiet Luong. Council led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call

Present: Council President Council Vice President Khiet Luong, (chaired the meeting), Councilmen Md. Munsur Ali, Gurbaksh Basra and Alauddin Patwary. Also present were Mayor Thomas Kramer, Borough Engineer Mr. Dennis O'Neill, Borough Solicitor, Mr. John McBlain, Borough Finance Officer Ms. Cindy Leitzell, and Interim Borough Manager, Ms. Christine Mason. Council President Ms. Jeanette MacNeille was absent and excused.

Announcements

Mr. Luong announced this evening's special meeting of council was called with two goals in mind, addressing two matters of Borough business, the passing of the Year 2011 Budget and the adoption of the Year 2011 Tax Levy Ordinance. Mr. Luong then opened the floor to the public.

Public Comments/Questions and Answers

Bishop Laurent, 12 Park Avenue, requested the Borough work towards making progress on the damage caused by trees growing along the roadways and also work towards improving drainage flowing from properties into the roadways by repairing and replacing drains at the curb and in the streets.

George Schiaffino, an independent associate of **VIRIDIAN**, shared information on the company's responsible energy opportunities.

Year 2011 Budget

Motion to approve the Year 2011 Budget as proposed was made by Councilman Patwary and seconded by Councilman Basra. After some discussion on several line items of the presented budget, there was brief discussion on the possibility of adjourning to an Executive Session to discuss personnel matters. Concluding that minor adjustments in the proposed budget could be addressed at future meetings Council voted **unanimously to pass the year 2011 Budget as presented while allowing for money to be moved from one category to another.**

Upon passing the budget, Council Vice President Luong thanked all those who worked long and hard on the budget resulting in a budget without a tax increase.

Tax Levy Year 2011 Ordinance

Motion to adopt the Tax Levy Year 2011 Ordinance was made by Councilman Patwary, seconded by Councilman Ali and carried unanimously.

Year 2010 Bills List

Motion was made by Councilman Patwary and seconded by Councilman Ali to authorize the Borough Finance Officer and Treasurer **to pay any remaining calendar Year 2010 invoices** which are received by the Borough Manager between the dates of December 21st-31st. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Public Comments/Questions and Answers - None

Councilor Patwary made a **Motion to adjourn** the meeting. The motion was seconded by Councilor Basra and passed unanimously. The time was 8:10 P.M.

Respectfully submitted _____

Christine M. T. Mason, Borough Secretary

Approved by Council on the 18th day of January, 2011

Khiet Luong, Council Vice President