

BOROUGH OF SLATINGTON

The **Special Meeting** of Council was held on **Monday, February 22, 2016**, at 7:00 PM. in Council Chambers, 125 S. Walnut Street, Slatington, PA 18080.

Presiding: Gwyneth A. Jones, President

Recording Secretary: Bryon Reed, President Pro Tem

The meeting was called to order by President Jones at 7:10 P.M. with the following in attendance:

ROLL CALL:

<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>	<u>OTHERS</u>	<u>VISITORS</u>
Gwyneth Jones	None	Mayor Niedermeyer	(* Did Not Sign In)
Joseph Wechsler		Duane Dellecker	Carol Gildner
Bryon Reed			Mel Gildner*
Bob Steets			Kris Burek*
David Schnaars			Robert Herzog
Jon Rinker			Michael Meyers
Michael Brogan			Bruce Kern*
			Russell Hallman*
			Kelley Andrade* (Times News)

EXECUTIVE SESSION

President Jones called for an executive session and recessed the Special Meeting at 7:13 pm. At 7:31 pm she reconvened the Special Meeting. In Executive Session, matters of personnel were discussed.

PUBLIC COMMENT (Agenda and Non-Agenda items)

Michael Meyers – a Lehigh Township resident, signed in and was recognized to speak. Mr. Meyers spoke on allotted time to speak under public comment & requested ordinances be posted on-line.

BUSINESS

1. WWTP – Laborer/Operator Trainee Position – Councilor Steets made a motion, duly seconded by Councilor Wechsler, to hire Mr. Richard Simon to the WWTP Laborer/Operator Trainee position in accordance with the SEIU Contract. President Jones declared the motion passed following a Roll Call, voting as follows:

<u>ROLL CALL</u>	<u>AYES</u>	<u>NAYS</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
Gwyneth Jones	Jon Rinker	None	None
Joseph Wechsler	Bob Steets		
David Schnaars	Bryon Reed		
Michael Brogan			

2. Snow Blower Attachment – Councilor Schnaars, as Chairman of the Highway Committee, made a motion, duly seconded by Councilor Rinker, to purchase a snow blower attachment for the skid steer from Plasterer Equipment Company at a cost of \$6,884. Following discussion, President Jones declared the motion passed following a Roll Call, voting as follows:

<u>ROLL CALL</u>	<u>AYES</u>	<u>NAYS</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
Bob Steets	Joseph Wechsler	Gwyneth Jones	None
David Schnaars	Jon Rinker	Bryon Reed	
Michael Brogan			

OTHER BUSINESS

There being no further business to discuss, President Jones declared the meeting adjourned at 7:45 P.M.

Karen Gill
Assistant Secretary Treasurer