

**Scranton City Council Minutes
May 13th, 2008**

Present: Walker, Jacobsen, Wright, Reck

Absent: Zellweger

Other: Attorney David Morain, Bill Esdohr, Diane Kneifl, Kevin Stocker, Ethel Subbert, Sally Hopkins, Betty Gregory, Joan St. Clair, DJ Byerly, Roger Herridge

Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at Scranton City Hall at 7:00 PM. Motion by Reck, second by Walker to approve the consent agenda which included the agenda, paying monthly bills, the minutes from April 8th & April 22nd and the April treasurer's report. APVA/MC

Joan St. Clair was present to discuss insurance on the school property that the City will take possession of on June 1st.

Officer Roger Herridge gave the monthly police report. The Scranton Police Department is participating in a sTEP wave and have been working on some investigations.

DJ Byerly presented the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included seal coating streets, street cleaning, and tree removal and mowing options. Motion by Wright, second by Jacobsen to open bids for mowing of the school property east of Eagle Street. APVA/MC.

Motion by Walker, second by Jacobsen to approve Land Care Plus to spray weeds at the city park and the property around city hall. APVA/MC

Motion by Wright, second by Reck to approve Mosquito Control of Iowa to spray in town for the 2008 spraying season. APVA/MC

Sally Hopkins presented to the council the library board's recommendations for appointing trustees. No action was taken.

Motion by Jacobsen, second by Reck to approve the employee policy handbook through the Iowa Association of Municipal Utilities. APVA/MC

Other items discussed included abatements, new utility bills, RAGBRAI and an update on firefighter physicals.

Motion by Reck, second by Walker to adjourn at 9:06 PM.

Approved Bills

Michaels Engineering	engineering fees	5600.00	K-Mart	lb videos	40.98
Pemble Digging	jetting/se main	1358.90	Alliant	electricity	2882.91
Aquila	nat'l gas	857.08	Arcadia Limestone	Road Gravel	241.31
IA Treasurer	sales tax	2722.00	Brigg's, Inc.	pk repairs	421.41
IA Treasurer	w/holdings	302.59	Culligan	water	25.09
IPERS	retirement	925.52	Dust-Tex	rugs/mop	82.58
People's Bank	fica/med/fed	1814.91	Engineering America	se plant filters	187.00
U S Cellular	cell phones	98.89	Greene Co. Sheriff	28E	150.00
Midwest Motor Express	freight	96.28	Hawkins	chemicals	1004.39
Quill	lb supplies	121.18	Iowa Finance Author	wa/se loans	91173.75
Scr Library	lb postage	100.00	Jefferson-Scranton	deed	32.00
Scr Telephone	lb phone/internet	85.40	Keystone	lab testing	13.80
Stephens, Sarah	lb books/dvd	51.63	MET	lab testing	222.00
Upstart	lb supplies	146.34	Mills Trash Service	gb collection	4590.87
Alliant	lb electricity	108.12	Postmaster	postage	350.00

Aquila	lb natl gas	70.28	Scr Journal	publications	262.80
Baker & Taylor	lb books	225.30	Scr Telephone	phone/dsl	165.15
Bee & Herald	lb subscription	26.00	Select Office Systems	copier rental	125.35
Ben Franklin	lb supplies	55.96	Shadran Industrial	supplies	67.88
Burris, Sandy	lb cleaning	40.00	Star Energy	fuel	690.91
Centurion Technology	lb equip fees	15.33	Stone	supplies	61.44
Computer Doctor	lb computers	50.81	True North Companies	life ins	4.00
Dbl Day Large	lb books	230.19	Wal-Mart	supplies	22.51
Good Housekeeping	lb magazine	17.09	Watertower Paint &	tower maintenance	1200.00

TOTAL APRIL REVENUES

General.....	47,927.73	Road Use Tax.....	3,717.46
Special Revenue	8,020.43	Debt Service	6,452.03
Deposits	0.00	Water	11,635.12
Sewer	10,062.87	Garbage.....	4,472.28
Landfill	307.26	Library T&A.....	4,350.00
Recycling	539.73	Total Revenues.....	97,484.91

TOTAL APRIL EXPENDITURES

General.....	18,291.01	Road Use Tax.....	1,211.01
Deposits	100.00	Library	4,797.01
Water	6,738.63	Sewer.....	6,181.35
Recycling	325.00	Total Expenditures	42,106.19
Garbage	4,462.18		

Melinda Hinners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor