

**Scranton City Council Minutes
January 13, 2009**

Present: Walker, Zellweger, Jacobsen, Reck, Wright
Absent: None
Other: D. Quigley, B. Engle, D. Duff, D. Byerly, E. Subbert, L. Forkner, C. Gustoff, A. Calderon

Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order 7:01 PM at the Scranton Elementary music room. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Reck to approve the consent agenda which included the following: the agenda, approve December 9th minutes, pay monthly bills, approve 2008 gross wages and approve the December Treasurer's report. APVA/MC

This was the time and place to hold the abatement hearing for the property located at 600 Main Street. Alex Calderon represented the property owner. The deadline to comply with the notice to abate was set for July 1, 2009.

DJ Byerly gave the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included completion of repairs on well # 4 and snow removal.

Doug Duff presented the annual fire report. The fire department responded to 18 calls in 2008. The fire department budget for fiscal year 2010 was reviewed.

Officer Dan Quigley presented the monthly police report, which gave a summary of citations issued and investigations. The police department presented a training request which will be reviewed in further detail at the February meeting. Officer Quigley introduced officer Ben Engle to the council. Ben is a certified officer for the Toledo police department. Motion by Wright, second by Reck to hire officer Engle as a reserve officer. APVA/MC

This was the time to set a public hearing date for an amendment to the current year budget. Motion by Walker, second by Jacobsen to set the public hearing date for February 10th at 7:15 PM. APVA/MC.

The council reviewed salaries for fiscal year 2010. Motion by Walker, second by Wright to set salary increases as follows: Norm Dudley 3%, DJ Byerly 3%, Glenn Goode 4%, Forrest Shady 1%, Daniel Quigley 1%, Melinda Hinners \$.75. APVA/MC

This was the time to renew the library CD that holds the Marchant funds. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Zellweger to renew the cd for a term that reflects the best rate of return. APVA/MC

Other items discussed included the Greene County Community Foundation grant, park signs, naming of parks, abatements and the burn pile. With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Zellweger, seconded by Reck to adjourn at 9:13 PM. APVA/MC

APPROVED BILLS

ACCESS	COPIER RENTAL	125.35	IOWA TREASURER	SALES TAX	2886.00
ALLIANT ENERGY	LB ELEC	113.20	IOWA WORKFORCE	UNEMP TAX	22.68
ALLIANT ENERGY	ELEC	3324.25	IPERS	RETIREMENT	1484.10
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	NATL GAS	293.91	J/S SCHOOL	UTILITIES	2610.30
BOMGAARS	SHOVELS	49.95	KANSAS STATE BANK	PD CAR	2553.76
CASEY'S	FUEL	17.00	KEYSTONE LABS	LAB TESTING	12.50
CLARK HEATING	FURNACE REP	243.62	MESSER SERVICES	ROOF	3000.00
CULLIGAN	FD WATER	11.24	MET	LAB TESTING	368.00
DAWN RUDOLPH	BASKETBALLS	36.21	MILLS TRASH SERVICE	GB COLLECTION	4177.03
DICK BRUS	ELECTRIC	75.50	MUNICIPAL SUPPLY	WA EQUIP	23.17
DON'S HARDWARE	LADDER	249.99	NAPA - DSM COJ	BELT	6.79
DUST-TEX	RUGS/MOP	167.16	PEOPLES BANK	FED/FICA TAXES	2984.13
FORREST SHADY	PD SUPPLIES	6.05	PEOPLES BANK	SAFE DEP BOX	25.00
GOPHER	BALLS	105.24	POSTMASTER	POSTAGE	500.00
GREENE CO SEC ROADS	SAND/SALT	1223.12	RUDY'S SERVICE & DETAIL	PD OIL CHANGE	52.00
GREENE COUNTY SHERIFF	28E	100.00	SCHON LUMBER	PK REPAIRS	22.95
HAWKEYE COMM COLL	FIREARMS	262.50	SCRANTON JOURNAL	PUBLICATIONS	363.21
HAWKINS	CHEMICALS	985.25	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	PHONE/DSL	173.90
HOYT LAW FIRM	LEGAL FEES	511.50	STAR ENERGY	FUEL	695.19
IMFOA	DUES	30.00	STONE PRINTING	SUPPLIES	52.78
IOWA ONE CALL	DIG NOTICES	4.50	SUPERIOR LAMP	LIGHT BULBS	244.02
IOWA RURAL WATER ASSOC	DUES	175.00	TRUE NORTH COMPANIES	INSURANCE	4.00
IOWA TREASURER	W/H TAX	469.00	WAL-MART	SUPPLIES	275.69

TOTAL DECEMBER REVENUES

General	7,075.05	Road Use Tax	4,106.76
Special Revenue.....	4,001.90	Debt Service	797.76
Water	12,583.40	Library T&A.....	55.00
Sewer	9,031.73	Total Revenues	43,123.57
Garbage/ Recycling/ Landfill.....	5,471.97		

TOTAL DECEMBER EXPENDITURES

General	13,450.09	Library	2,522.97
Water	3,979.57	Spec Revenue/Employee Benefits	1,419.42
Sewer	3,461.45	Debt	
Service.....	0.00	Total Expenditures.....	32,126.24
Garbage/Recycling/Landfill	4,382.47		
Road Use Tax	2,910.27		

GROSS WAGES PAID 2008
***INCLUDES MEDICAL REIMBURSEMENT**

Betty, Misty	2,397.79	Hinners, Melinda *	26,873.64	Rudolph, Dawn	300.00
Byerly, Dee J. *	26,791.60	Hoyt, Peggy	1,138.26	Shady, Forrest *	2,242.38
Dudley, Norman *	33,426.42	Hoyt, Sheryl	2,116.00	Stephens, Sarah	9,072.50
Fey, Debra	1,792.57	Jacobsen, Marilyn	260.00	Walker, Rodney	260.00
Goode, Glenn	4,548.16	Quigley, Daniel *	6,186.15	Wright, BJ	220.00
Herridge, Roger	3,092.28	Reck, Robert	130.00	Zellweger, Gale	260.00
				TOTAL WAGES	121,107.75

Melinda Hinners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

**Scranton City Council Minutes
February 10, 2009**

Present: Walker, Zellweger, Jacobsen, Reck, Wright
Absent: None
Other: D. Morain, D. Kneifl, B. Gregory, T. Cathers, C. Esdohr, J. Christian, L. Davis, J. Miller, A. Robson, C. Robson, L. Forkner, C. Gustoff, F. Shady, N. Dudley

Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order 7:00 PM at the Scranton Elementary music room. Motion by Walker, second by Reck to amend the agenda removing the public hearing and adoption of the fiscal year 2009 budget amendment. The amendment contained an error and will be republished. APVA/MC. Motion by Jacobsen second by Walker to approve the consent agenda which included the modified agenda, the Jan. 13th minutes, monthly bills and the January Treasurer's report. APVA/MC

Jason Miller with MSA Professional Services gave the results on the sewer evaluation. Per new regulations from the clean water act, Scranton must upgrade the sewer plant. No action was taken on the matter.

Norm Dudley presented the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included water leaks, burn pile, snow plow blade and high zinc levels at Scranton Manufacturing.

Chief Shady presented the monthly police report. Items discussed included training and a live animal trap for dogs. Motion by Zellweger, second by Walker to allow Chiefs Shady and Quigley to attend training at Camp Dodge February 23-27th. Training and lodging are free, but the City must pay wages and mileage. Officers must provide feedback on the training and staffing will be taken care of with reserve officers. APVA/MC. Due to budget constraints the council was discussing holding off on the purchase of a live dog trap. Tina Cathers generously donated \$130.00 to the City for the purchase of the trap.

Motion by Wright, second by Zellweger to donate \$500.00 to New Opportunities. APVA/MC. Donation requests from the Richmond Center and ACCESS were tabled to obtain further information on services provided to our residents.

Motion by Walker, second by Wright to approve a five year water tower maintenance agreement with Maquire Iron at a cost of \$1,250.00 per year. APVA/MC.

The budget workshop was tabled and a special meeting was set for February 17th. Motion by Walker, second by Jacobsen to set public hearing date March 10th 7:15 PM to adopt the 2010 Budget. APVA/MC

Miscellaneous items discussed included utilities at the school. A meeting will be held with the Mayor and the school to discuss as the school has acknowledged they are responsible for a portion of the utility bills.

With no further business to discuss, a motion was made by Reck, second by Wright to adjourn at 9:17PM. APVA/MC.

APPROVED BILLS

ACCESS	COPIER	125.35	JAYNE BULLOCK	LB BOOK	17.50
ALLIANT ENERGY	LB ELEC	249.08	J/S SCHOOL	UTILITIES	5351.24
ALLIANT ENERGY	ELEC	3044.38	K-MART	LB MOVIES	100.97
ARAMARK	RUGS/MOP	83.58	LADIES HOME JOURNAL	LB MAGAZINE	5.99
AWWA REGION IV	WA TRAINING	36.00	MET	LAB TESTING	240.00
BAKER & TAYLOR	LB BOOKS	411.53	MILLS TRASH SERVICE	GB COLLECTION	4133.43
BEN FRANKLIN	LB SUPPLIES	48.00	MSA PROF SERVICES	SE STUDY	1012.50
BETTER HOMES & GARDENS	LB MAGAZINE	5.99	NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC	LB MAGAZINE	34.00
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	LB NATL GAS	81.68	PEMBLE DIGGING	SE JETTING	205.00
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	PA NATL GAS	942.04	PEOPLES BANK	FED/FICA	2666.25
BRIAN HINNERS	CONCESSIONS	117.17	SANDY BURRIS	LB CLEANING	40.00
BROWN SUPPLY	PLOW BLADES	935.19	SARAH STEPHENS	LB VIDEO	169.35
CASEY'S GEN STORE	SNOW BRUSH	3.73	SARGENT DRILLING	WELL REPAIR	11905.71
CENTER POINT LARGE PRINT	LB BOOKS	35.94	SCRANTON JOURNAL	PUBLICATIONS	239.68
CULLIGAN	WATER	11.24	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	LB PHONE/DSL	86.07
DATA TECHNOLOGIES	SOFTWARE	150.00	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	PHONE/FAX	175.98
DOUBLE DAY LARGE PRINT	LB BOOKS	162.09	SIMPLE & DELICIOUS	LB MAGAZINE	19.98
HOYT LAW FIRM	LEGAL FEES	1521.20	STAR ENERGY	FUEL	775.09
IOWA TREASURER	W/H TAX	444.00	TRUE NORTH COMPANIES	INSURANCE	4.00
IPERS	RETIREMENT	1336.07	US CELLULAR	CELL PHONES	94.29
			WAL-MART	CONCESSIONS	110.38

TOTAL JANUARY REVENUES

General	8,481.83	Road Use Tax	3,476.99
Special Revenue.....	3,152.88	Debt Service	0.00
Water	10,627.89	Library T&A.....	0.00
Sewer	9,110.33	Total Revenues	39,971.74
Garbage/ Recycling/ Landfill.....	5,121.82		

TOTAL JANUARY EXPENDITURES

General	18,540.18	Library	2,634.24
Water	7,891.11	Spec Revenue/Employee Benefits	1,224.74
Sewer	4,177.06	Debt	
Service.....	0.00		
Garbage/Recycling/Landfill	4,599.03	Total Expenditures.....	42,618.84
Road Use Tax	3,552.48		

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

**Scranton City Council Minutes
March 10, 2009**

Present: Walker, Zellweger, Jacobsen, Reck, Wright
Absent: None

Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at 7:03PM in the Scranton elementary music room. Motion by Wright, second by Walker to approve the consent agenda which included the agenda, February 10th corrected minutes, correcting the water tower maintenance agreement from \$2,500 to \$1,250.00, monthly bills and the February 2009 Treasurer's Report. APVA/MC.

This was the time and place to hold the first reading of Ordinance # 189, an ordinance amending chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Scranton by amending the provisions pertaining to changing state speed limits in certain zones. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Reck to amend section 2. "Speeds not in excess of twenty-five (25) miles per hour are authorized on Elm Street from Highway 25 to Kendrick Street" from twenty-five (25) miles per hour to thirty-five (35) miles per hour. APVA/MC. The first reading of the ordinance with changes will be held at the April meeting.

This was the time and place to hold the public hearing on the proposed fiscal year 2010 budget. No written comments were received. During the public hearing several questions relating to the school were received but there were no comments specific to the budget. Motion by Walker, second by Reck to close the public hearing at 7:29PM. APVA/MC.

Resolution # 2009-02 Adopting the 2010 fiscal year budget for the City of Scranton. WHEREAS, the City Clerk has prepared the 2009-2010 operating budget for the City of Scranton, Iowa, and WHEREAS, the proposed budget has been published as required by law, and WHEREAS the City Council has held a public hearing as required by law, and WHEREAS all transfer of funds must be approved by resolution of the City Council. NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the annual budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, as set forth in the Budget Summary and in the detailed budget in support thereof showing the revenue estimates, transfers and appropriation expenditures and allocations to program activities for said fiscal year be adopted. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Mayor and City Clerk are directed to certify this Resolution, make all filings as required by law and set up the City's books in accordance with the summary and details as adopted. Aye: Walker, Jacobsen, Reck, Wright, Zellweger. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.

Norm Dudley presented the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included water leaks and equipment. Chief Shady presented the monthly police report and items discussed included traffic stops and abatements.

Clerk Hanners presented to the council a petty cash policy. RESOLUTION #2009-03 to establish petty cash fund policy and appoint custodian. WHEREAS, a Petty Cash account is defined as any sum of money or other resources set aside for such specific purposes as minor disbursements, making change, and similar uses; and WHEREAS, the City Council must authorize each petty cash account and all subsequent increases or decrease in the petty cash account amounts; and WHEREAS, the petty cash account is the responsibility of the City Clerk who is called the "Custodian"; and WHEREAS, the Custodian is personally responsible for the value of the fund and to ensure that all policies and procedures are adhered to; if funds are disbursed, it must be replenished by submitting a claim to the City Council WHEREAS, the petty cash policy identifies specifications for maintaining and safeguarding the fund. NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Council of Scranton, Iowa, this 10th day of March 2009, that the Petty Cash Fund Policy be, and is hereby adopted, effective March 10, 2009. Aye: Walker, Jacobsen, Reck, Wright, Zellweger. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.

Misty Bettye informed the council of a new committee in town called We Can Help. They will apply for grants and help out where needed. They are planning on applying for the KCCI Project Mainstreet Grant for video equipment and speakers to tape town activities and meetings.

Other items discussed at the meeting included abatements, City Hall repairs and stray cats.

With no other business to discuss a motion was made by Zellweger, seconded by Walker, to adjourn at 8:25PM. APVA/MC.

Approved Bills

ACCESS	COPIER RENTAL	125.35	IPERS	RETIREMENT	1,395.09
AIR-TEMP	LB REPAIR	66.88	K-MART	LB VIDEOS	111.83
ALL PRO DOOR COMPANY	DOOR OPENER	195.00	LAWN CARE PLUS	WEED CONTROL	350.78
ALLIANT ENERGY	LB ELECTRIC	227.18	MET	LAB TESTING	240.00
ALLIANT ENERGY	ELECTRICITY	2,785.48	MILLS TRASH SERVICE	GB COLLECTION	4,250.53
BAKER & TAYLOR	LB BOOKS	378.14	MUNICIPAL SUPPLY	METER PLATES	98.55
BESTCHEM	SUPPLIES	202.27	PEMBLE DIGGING	JETTING 9TH & MAIN	706.30
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	LB NATL GAS	92.00	PEOPLES BANK	FED/FICA TAXES	2,768.99
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	NATL GAS	1,132.88	PETTY CASH	MUNICIPAL CITATION	60.00
BOMGAARS	CLEANING SUPPLIES	20.74	RACCOON VALLEY	TOWING	1,538.35
BOOK SYSTEMS INC	LB SUPPLIES	525.00	REGION IV IA WATER	TRAINING	64.00
BROWN SUPPLY	PLOW BLADES	935.19	RUDY'S SERVICE & DETAIL	OIL CHANGE	20.00
CENTER POINT LG PRINT	LB BOOKS	35.94	SANDY BURRIS	LB CLEANING	40.00
COLUMBIA VIDEO	LB VIDEOS	77.41	SARAH STEPHENS	LB VIDEOS	54.94
DATA TECHNOLOGIES	W2'S/1099	21.80	SCRANTON MACHINE	WA TOOLS	29.42
DAWN RUDOLPH	BALLS/CONCESS	102.43	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	LB PHONE/DSL	89.57
DON'S HARDWARE	BATTERIES	59.46	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	PHONE/DSL	174.34
MOTHER EARTH NEWS	LB MAGAZINE	24.95	STAR ENERGY	FUEL	276.41
FORREST SHADY	SUPPLIES	2.35	STATE LIBRARY	LB HANDBOOKS	36.00
GREENE COUNTY SHERIFF	28E AGREEMENT	50.00	TRUE NORTH COMPANIES	INSURANCE	4.00
HAWKINS	AZONE 15	1,510.25	US CELLULAR	CELL PHONES	95.31
HOYT LAW FIRM	LEGAL FEES	552.50	WAL-MART	SUPPLIES	227.55
IAMU	WATER DUES	719.78	WESTRUM LK DETECTION	LEAK DETECTION	800.00
IOWA TREASURER	STATE W/H	450.00	WINDFALL	LB BOOKS	91.86

TOTAL FEBRUARY REVENUES

General	2,613.91
Special Revenue.....	3,175.45
Water	11,575.62
Sewer	9,930.43
Garbage/ Recycling/ Landfill.....	4968.87

TOTAL EXPENDITURES

General	20,351.82
Water	15,807.91
Sewer	4,576.08
Garbage/Recycling/Landfill	4,133.43
Road Use Tax	3,109.09

Melinda Hinners, City Clerk

Road Use Tax	5,055.61
Debt Service	21.21
Library T&A.....	7,054.01
Total Revenues	44,395.11

Library	3,132.83
Spec Revenue/Employee Benefits	1,272.83
Debt Service	0.00
Total Expenditures.....	52,383.99

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

Scranton City Council Minutes
April 14, 2009

Present: Walker, Jacobsen, Wright
Absent: Reck, Zellweger *

Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at 7:22PM in the Scranton elementary music room. Motion by Walker, second by Jacobsen to approve the consent agenda which included the agenda, March 10th minutes, monthly bills and the March 2009 Treasurer's Report. APVA/MC.

One abatement hearing was held. The City will review information received and follow up with the property owner.

During the open forum Doyle Roberts suggested to the council the idea of a road that allows vehicles to drive the north side of the pond or permits that would allow ATV's to ride to that location. No action was taken and the council will consider future action.

Norm Dudley presented the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included street sweeping, spraying weeds, street resurfacing and the burn pile. The brush pile will be shut down and a new location needs to be found. Chief Shady presented the monthly police report. Items discussed included abatements and routine activity.

Resolution # 2009-03 setting public hearing date to amend the current budget for fiscal year 2009. Motion by Walker, second by Wright to set the public hearing for the purpose of amending the Fiscal Year 2009 Budget for May 12th at 7:15PM. Aye: Jacobsen, Walker, Wright. Nays: None. Absent: Reck. Zellweger abstained as he just arrived in the building and was not part of the discussion. Motion carried.

Motion by Walker, second by Jacobsen to approve the first reading of Ordinance # 189, an ordinance amending chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Scranton, Iowa 2006 by amending the provisions pertaining to changing state speed limits in certain zones. Aye: Jacobsen, Walker, Wright, Zellweger. Nays: None. Absent: Reck. Motion carried.

Motion by Jacobsen, second by Walker to waive the second and third readings and pass ordinance #189. APVA/MC The ordinance shall be in effect after it's publication as required by law.

Matt Mills with MTS, Inc visited with the council about spring clean up day. Dumpsters will be available downtown on Saturday, May 16th. Items need to be brought downtown to the dumpsters between 6:00-8:30AM.

Mayor Rudolph gave an update on the school and athletic fields. She has been gathering additional estimates for heating and cooling options and looking into the Brownsfield grant for asbestos removal. A fundraiser is being planned for improvements to the athletic fields and concession stand building.

This was the time and place to open bids for the C-tractor and disc that were advertised for sale. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Wright to approve the high bids of \$1,500.00 from Doug Duff for the tractor and \$151.00 from Steve Clausen for the disc. APVA/MC

Miscellaneous items discussed included clerk days off and City Hall repairs. With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Walker, second by Wright to adjourn at 8:23PM. APVA/MC

Approved Bills (Includes February & March Library bills)

ACCESS	COPIER RENTAL	125.35	IOWA TREASURER	SALES TAX	2980.50
ALLIANT ENERGY	LB ELEC	160.06	IOWA WORKFORCE	UNEMPLOYMENT	38.60
ALLIANT ENERGY	LB ELECTRICITY	161.37	IPERS	RETIREMENT	1388.38
ALLIANT ENERGY	ELECTRICITY	2661.50	JEFFERSON-SCRANTON SCHOOL	UTILITIES	949.99
ARAMARK	RUGS/MOP	156.34	K-MART	LB MOVIES	57.96
BAKER & TAYLOR	LB BOOKS	320.73	K-MART	LB SUPPLIES	125.91
BAKER & TAYLOR	LB BOOKS	436.27	MACKE MOTORS INC	FD VEHICLE REPAIR	143.34
BARCO MUNICIPAL	BATTERIES	54.15	MELINDA HINNERS	CABINET KEYS	30.59
BEN FRANKLIN	LB SUPPLIES	52.88	MESSER SERVICES	ROOF REPAIR	3490.45
BEN FRANKLIN	LB SUPPLIES	60.88	MET	LAB TESTING	372.00
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	LB NATL GAS	168.24	MILLS TRASH SERVICE	GB COLLECTION	4097.78
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	NATL GAS	858.81	NAPA - CARROLL	EQUIP REPAIR	27.99
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	LB NATL GAS	188.16	NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOC	ANNUAL DUES	150.00
BOOK SYSTEMS INC	LB SUPPLIES	130.00	PEMBLE DIGGING	WA MAIN REPAIR	3205.00
BRODART	LB SUPPLIES	73.69	PEOPLES BANK	FED/FICA TAXES	2553.65
BROWN SUPPLY	WA MAIN RPR	238.60	POSTMASTER	POSTAGE	500.00
CARPENTER UNIFORM	PD BADGE	91.34	REGION IV IA WA POLLUTION CONT	TRAINING	64.00
CARROLL HYDRAULICS	EQUIP REPAIR	151.11	RUDY'S SERVICE & DETAIL	VEHICLE MAINT	30.00
CASEY'S	PD FUEL/SUPPLIES	36.96	RYAN RYSAVY	DEP REFUND	100.00

CENTER POINT LARGE PRINT	LB BOOKS	70.80	SANDY BURRIS	LB CLEANING	40.00
CHURDAN PUBLIC LIBRARY	LB SUPPLIES	75.00	SANDY BURRIS	LB CLEANING	40.00
COLUMBIA VIDEO	LB VIDEOS	52.07	SCHON LUMBER	ROOF REPAIR	3481.94
CULLIGAN	FD WATER	27.48	SCRANTON JOURNAL	PUBLICATIONS	208.21
CUMBERLANDS NW TRAPPERS	PD DOG TRAP	126.85	SCRANTON LIBRARY	LB POSTAGE	100.00
DAWN RUDOLPH	FUEL	9.51	SCRANTON LIBRARY	LB POSTAGE	100.00
DEAN & MARILYN JACOBSEN	DEP REFUND	100.00	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	LB PHONE/DSL	89.57
DOUBLE DAY LARGE PRINT	LB BOOKS	47.46	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	LB PHONE/DSL	89.69
DOUBLE DAY LARGE PRINT	LB BOOKS	47.46	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	PHONE/FAX/DSL	174.86
DURLAM ELECTRIC INC	GYM BULB	18.74	SHERYL HOYT	LB VIDEO	17.99
ED M FELD	LB FIRE EXT	8.00	STAR ENERGY	FD FUEL	540.62
ED M FELD	FD EXTINGUISHERS	387.00	STONE PRINTING	FAX CARTRIDGE	31.90
ERIKA MUHR & BRIAN BURRIS	DEP REFUND	100.00	THE DES MOINES REGISTER	LB SUBSCRIPTION	69.14
GREENE COUNTY SHERIFF	28E AGREEMENT	50.00	TRUE NORTH COMPANIES	INSURANCE	4.00
INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE	941 TAX REMIT	41.38	ULTRAMAX	AMMUNITION	95.00
IOWA HISTORY JOURNAL	LB BOOK	15.00	US CELLULAR	CELL PHONES	94.80
IOWA TREASURER	STATE W/H TAX	488.00	WAL-MART	SUPPLIES	56.97

TOTAL MARCH REVENUES

General.....	3,561.35
Special Revenue.....	3,599.14
Water.....	11,752.20
Sewer	9,460.15
Garbage/ Recycling/ Landfill.....	4,795.48

TOTAL MARCH EXPENDITURES

General.....	9,865.12
Water.....	6,951.93
Sewer	4,303.91
Garbage/Recycling/Landfill.....	4,250.53
Road Use Tax.....	4,202.84

Road Use Tax	4,762.65
Debt Service	311.33
Library T&A.....	240.00
Total Revenues	38,482.30

Library	2,493.05
Spec Revenue/Employee Benefits	1,287.04
Debt Service	0.00
Total Expenditures.....	33,354.42

Melinda Hinners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

Scranton City Council Minutes
February 17, 2009

Present: Zellweger, Walker, Wright, Jacobsen, Reck
Other: J. Christian, L. Forkner, F.Shady

The Scranton City Council met in special session on Tuesday, February 17 to hold a budget workshop, adopt a resolution setting the public hearing date for the 2010 budget, approve police wages for Aaron King during the week of February 21st and discuss an employee performance issue.

Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at City Hall at 7:00PM. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Reck to approve the agenda. APVA/MC

Items discussed during the budget workshop included employee furlough days, utility savings, wages, decreasing work hours and mowing costs. A public hearing date was previously set for March 10th, however the formal resolution to set the date was adopted at this meeting.

RESOLUTION # 2009-01: RESOLUTION SETTING PUBLIC HEARING DATE TO APPROVE THE 2009-2010 OPERATING BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF SCRANTON. WHEREAS, the City Clerk has prepared the 2009 – 2010 operating budget for the City of Scranton, and **WHEREAS**, to adopt the 2009 – 2010 operating budget it requires a public hearing, **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of Scranton, Iowa: That a public hearing to approve the proposed 2009-2010 City of Scranton Operating Budget, is hereby set for March 10th, 2009 at 7:15PM at the Scranton Elementary Music Room. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** the City Clerk is directed to have notice of said hearing published in the Scranton Journal at least 10 days prior to the Public Hearing date. Ayes: Zellweger, Walker, Wright, Reck, Jacobsen. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Zellweger, second by Wright to approve pay for Aaron King, reserve officer, for the week of February 21st while chiefs Shady and Quigley are away at training. APVA/MC

Mayor Rudolph discussed with Chief Shady the concern over officers responding to calls outside of city limits, employee mailboxes and personal use of City time and equipment.

Miscellaneous items discussed included an update on the school committee meeting that was held February 16th. With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Wright, second by Reck to adjourn the meeting at 9:22 PM. APVA/MC.

Melinda Hanners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

**Scranton City Council Minutes
May 12, 2009**

Present: Walker, Zellweger, Jacobsen, Reck, Wright
Absent: None
Other: David Morain, Forrest Shady, Bill Esdohr, Larry Davis, Laura Forkner, Cole Gustoff, Keri Lane, Fred Kesten, Misty Bettey, DJ Byerly, Cheryl Robson

Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order 7:01 PM at City Hall. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Reck to approve the consent agenda which included the agenda, April 14 minutes, approval of monthly bills and the April 2009 Treasurer's Report. APVA/MC

Chief Forrest Shady gave a statement during the open forum that all rumors and allegations regarding an OWI stop of a Scranton resident and the resignation of one of our officers are completely false and asked that the spreading of this rumor cease. There were no other comments made during the open forum and the council made no comments.

The franchise renewal discussion for Scranton Telephone will be on the agenda for the next council meeting as a representative from Scranton Telephone was not in attendance for this meeting.

Fred Kesten with Region XII Council of Governments discussed the sewer upgrade. He visited with the council regarding other projects he has worked on, permit levels and a CDBG grant.

This was the time and place to hold the public hearing for the 2009 fiscal year budget amendment. No written or oral comments were received. Motion by Wright, second by Reck to close the public hearing at 7:22PM.

RESOLUTION 2009-5: Motion by Zellweger, second by Jacobsen to amend the current budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009 as published on April 29th in the Scranton Journal, and as set out in detail by fund type and activity at the public hearing held this evening. Aye: Zellweger, Walker, Reck, Wright, Jacobsen. Nay: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.

Keri Lane with Region XII Council of Government discussed updating the City's Pre-Hazard Mitigation Plan which gives Scranton the opportunity to apply for disaster funds when needed. **RESOLUTION 2009-06** Be it resolved by the City of Scranton that Region XII Regional Planner, is hereby authorized to execute on behalf of the City of Scranton, IA, this mitigation project and to file it with Homeland Security and Emergency Management (HLSEM) for the purpose of obtaining financial assistance under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (PL 93-288, as amended) and the Code of Iowa, Chapter 29C. Motion by Walker, second by Wright to approve resolution and application. Aye: Zellweger, Walker, Reck, Wright, Jacobsen. Nay: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.

DJ Byerly gave the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included equipment repair, brush pile, tree replacements at city park, street resurfacing and street signs. Chief Shady gave the monthly police report. Items discussed included training, the Sheriff's report of calls handled during April, scheduling and abatements.

Motion by Walker, second by Reck to approve Mosquito Control of Iowa of spay for Mosquitoes.

Motion by Wright, second by Jacobsen to allow Clerk Hinners to attend clerk school in July. A scholarship was awarded for the cost of the tuition. APVA/MC

Motion by Zellweger, second by Wright to approve \$30.00 payment to Iowa League of Cities for the Small City Workshop being held June 2nd. The workshop will include economic development, nuisance abatement, and fraud prevention. APVA/MC.

Non-action items discussed at the meeting included abatements, swim bus transport form, spring clean-up, athletic field improvements, update on school committee meetings and street improvements.

With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Walker, second by Zellweger to adjourn at 8:50 PM. APVA/MC.

Approved Bills (Includes April & May library bills)

ACCESS	COPIER RENTAL	125.35	IOWA FINANCE AUTH	WA/SE LOANS	\$91,958.40
ALLIANT ENERGY	LB ELEC	101.27	ILEA	PD ACADEMY	\$4,340.00
ALLIANT ENERGY	ELEC	2,550.26	IA LEAGUE OF CITIES	WORKSHOP	\$30.00
ALLIANT ENERGY	LB ELECTRICITY	161.37	IOWA TREASURER	W/H TAX	716.00
ARAMARK	RUGS/MOP	83.58	IPERS	RETIREMENT	1,961.86
BAKER & TAYLOR	LB BOOKS	184.63	J/S SCHOOL	GAS/ELEC	1,021.58
BAKER & TAYLOR	LB BOOKS	436.27	KANSAS STATE BANK	MOWER PMT	2,152.96

BEE & HERALD PUBL	LB SUBSCRIPTION	29.00	KEYSTONE LABS	LAB TESTING	178.80
BEN FRANKLIN	LB SUPPLIES	60.88	K-MART	LB VIDEO	39.98
BETTER HOMES & GARDEN	LB MAGAZINE	12.84	K-MART	LB SUPPLIES	125.91
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	NATL GAS	608.03	MACKE MOTORS INC	FD VEH REPAIR	141.52
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	LB NATL GAS	111.04	MESSER SERVICES	ROOF REPAIR	721.18
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	LB NATL GAS	188.16	MET	SE LAB TESTING	240.00
BOMGAARS	WEED CONTROL	36.98	MILLS TRASH SERVICE	GB COLL/RE	4,321.88
BRODART	LB SUPPLIES	73.69	NORM DUDLEY	MILEAGE	88.00
CASEY'S	PA BATTERIES	5.34	PEOPLES BANK	FED/FICA TAXES	3,475.01
				BLADE	
CENTER POINT LG PRINT	LB BOOKS	35.94	RUETER'S	KIT/FILTER	111.50
CENTER POINT LG PRINT	LB BOOKS	70.80	SANDY BURRIS	LB CLEANING	40.00
CHURDAN PUBLIC LIBRARY	LB SUPPLIES	75.00	SANDY BURRIS	LB CLEANING	\$40.00
COLUMBIA VIDEO	LB VIDEOS	52.07	SCHON LUMBER	ROOF REPAIR	3,611.55
CULLIGAN	FD WATER	11.24	SCHULZ PLUMB & HTG	A/C RELOCATE	780.00
DARLENE RUDOLPH	FUNDRAISER	75.00	SCRANTON JOURNAL	PUBLICATIONS	261.76
DOUBLE DAY LARGE PRINT	LB BOOKS	48.46	SCRANTON LIBRARY	LB POSTAGE	100.00
DOUBLE DAY LARGE PRINT	LB BOOKS	47.46	SCRANTON MACHINE	NUTS/BOLTS	3.65
DURBIN AUTO/TRUCK RPR	FILTERS/BELT	40.42	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	LB PHONE/DSL	89.69
DURLAM ELECTRIC INC	GYM BULBS	15.06	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	PHONE/FAX/DSL	176.20
ED M FELD	LB FIRE EXT	8.00	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	LB PN/DSL/CABLE	89.69
FAMILY FUN	LB MAGAZINE	16.95	SHERYL HOYT	LB VIDEO	17.99
GREENE COUNTY SHERIFF	28E PUBLIC SAFETY	350.00	STAR ENERGY	FUEL	474.68
HAWKINS	CHEMICALS	1,811.01	TRUE NORTH COMP	INSURANCE	4.00
HOYT LAW FIRM	LEGAL FEES	464.00	US CELLULAR	CELL PHONE	93.65
IOWA DNR	SE CERTIFICATE	60.00	WAL-MART	SUPPLIES	20.34

TOTAL APRIL REVENUES

General	49,314.56	Road Use Tax	3,826.89
Special Revenue.....	11,051.94	Debt Service	7,314.16
Water	10,486.45	Library T&A.....	0.00
Sewer	9,061.31	Total Revenues	95,893.85
Garbage/ Recycling/ Landfill.....	4,838.54		

TOTAL APRIL EXPENDITURES

General	20,196.54	Library	3,132.05
Water	10,916.91	Employee Benefits/PR Expenses	2,204.49
Sewer	5,016.01	Total Expenditures.....	48,320.59
Garbage/Recycling/Landfill	4,583.79		
Road Use Tax	2,270.80		

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

Scranton City Council Minutes
June 9, 2009

Present: Walker, Zellweger, Jacobsen, Reck, Wright
Absent: None
Other: David Morain, Larry Davis, Bill Esdohr, Colleen Esdohr, Ethel Subbert, Perry Gjersvik, Cole Gustoff, Laura Forkner, Jan Christian, Norm Dudley, Misty Bettey, Al Robson, Cheryl Robson,

Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order 7:00 PM at City Hall. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Reck to approve the consent agenda which included the agenda, May 12th minutes, approval of monthly bills, the May 2009 Treasurer's Report and the 2009-2010 cigarette renewal for Casey's. APVA/MC

Norm Dudley gave the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included street repairs, water leaks, mowing, water tower cleaning, street signs and DNR visits. No police report was given.

Sam Fengel with Scranton Telephone was present to request the council renew the cable franchise. The council requests Scranton Telephone submit a proposal to the council.

Perry Gjersvik with Bartlett & West discussed concerns regarding the sewer plant. A recommendation was given to the council to do additional lab testing and request a waste load allocation.

Jan Christian discussed the MVPA convoy that will be coming through town on June 23rd. Flags will be put out on Main Street and side streets will be blocked off.

Cheryl Robson was present to discuss the Carver Grant. The City needs to refund the grant money was received for a new library building. The reimbursement will be done on July 14th. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Wright to cash out the CD that holds the Carver proceeds and refund it in July. APVA/MC

The council discussed payment of wages to the reserve officers during times when officers are on leave. Motion by Wright, second by Walker to pay the two active reserve officers minimum wage for shift coverage only. APVA/MC

Motion by Walker, second by Jacobsen to approve the \$14,108.76 seal coating bid from Blacktop Service Company. APVA/MC

Motion by Walker, second by Reck to approve renewal of the General fund CD with the best rate available at this time. Clerk Hinners will follow-up with the bank. APVA/MC

Non-action items discussed at the meeting included abatements, ICAP recommendation at the City Park, Prairie Meadows grant letting and feedback from Council member Marilyn Jacobsen on the Small City Workshop she attended. With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Zellweger, seconded by Reck to adjourn at 8:40 PM. APVA/MC.

Approved Bills (Inclum des April & May library bills)

ACCESS	COPIER RENTAL	125.35	J/S SCHOOL	UTILITIES/SCHOOL	346.39
ALLIANT ENERGY	ELECTRICITY	2,621.75	KEYSTONE LABS	LAB TESTING	220.00
ARAMARK	RUGS/MOP	83.58	MET	LAB TESTING	186.00
AUTOMATIC SYSTEMS	WA CHEM PUMP	372.25	MIDWEST RADAR	RADAR CERT	30.00
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	NATL GAS	395.08	MILLS TRASH SERVICE	GB COLLECTION	4,433.88
BOMGAARS	VEH OPERATION	28.13	PEMBLE DIGGING	DRAIN REPAIR	13.84
CASEY'S GEN STORE	ICE/FUNDRAISER	5.96	PEMBLE DIRT CONSTR	TILE REPAIR	112.50
CULLIGAN	WATER	18.49	PEOPLES BANK	FED/FICA TAXES	3,591.66
DICK BRUS	PK TIMER/ELEC	174.43	PEOPLES BANK	LOAN PRINC/INT	17,233.34
	WA				
DREES COMPANY	DEHUMIDIFIER	834.74	POSTMASTER	PO BOX RENTAL	60.00
GREENE COUNTY	28E PUBLIC				
SHERIFF	SAFETY	50.00	SCRANTON JOURNAL	PUBLICATIONS	209.76
HOYT LAW FIRM	LEGAL FEES	533.50	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	PHONE/DSL	174.60
IAMU	DUES	335.33	STAR ENERGY	FUEL	257.76
	OPERATOR				
IOWA DNR	RENWL	60.00	TRUE NORTH COMPANIES	INSURANCE	4.00
IOWA TREASURER	STATE W/H TAX	738.00	US CELLULAR	CELL PHONES	93.65
IPERS	RETIREMENT	1,364.10	WAL-MART	SUPPLIES	12.39

TOTAL MAY REVENUES

General	7,086.05	Road Use Tax	4,021.97
Special Revenue.....	4,274.86	Debt Service	946.24
Water	10,914.81	Library T&A.....	2,652.00
Sewer	9,391.58	Total Revenues	44,273.60
Garbage/ Recycling/ Landfill.....	4,986.09		

TOTAL MAY EXPENDITURES

General	22,456.77	Library	1,804.98
Water	56,396.69	Employee Benefits/PR Expenses	1,236.36
Sewer	44,848.51	Debt Service	17,233.34
Garbage/Recycling/Landfill	4,321.88	Total Expenditures.....	150,479.59
Road Use Tax	2,181.06		

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

**Scranton City Council Minutes
June 23, 2009**

Present: Zellweger, Wright, Jacobsen, Walker

Absent: Reck

Other: Joan St. Clair, Bill Esdohr, Larry Davis, David Morain, Misty Bettey, Jennifer Mobley, Brian Nath

The Scranton City Council met in special session on Tuesday June 23, 2009. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at 7:13 PM after the Council's tour of B&D Manufacturing. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Jacobsen to approve the consent agenda which included the agenda and paying end of month bills. APVA/MC

One resident addressed the council during the citizen's open forum regarding a recent rescue call and response time.

Resolution # 2009-7 to approve Fiscal Year 2009 End of Year Transfers as follows: \$44,205.01 Local Option Sales Tax to: General \$11,051.26, Library \$9,725.10, Streets \$6,630.75, Police \$4,420.50, Fire \$4,420.50, Water \$3,978.45, Sewer \$3,978.45; \$2,598.25 from Emergency to General and \$3,225.55 from Employee Benefits to General. Aye: Zellweger, Wright, Jacobsen, Walker. Nays: None. Absent: Reck. Motion carried.

Motion by Zellweger second by Walker to accept and file citizen's petition regarding noise from dirt bikes. Aye: Zellweger, Walker, Jacobsen, Nay: None. Absent: Reck. Abstain: Wright (due to conflict of interest). Motion carried. An ordinance will be drafted for review.

Other items discussed at the meeting included employee suspension, police scheduling, fireworks permits, abatements and mowing.

With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Wright, second by Walker to adjourn at 8:43 PM. All persons present voted nay to the motion. Motion failed. The council further discussed an employee suspension. Motion by Walker, second by Jacobsen to adjourn at 8:53 PM. APVA/MC.

APPROVED BILLS

BLACKHILLS ENERGY, NATL GAS	268.58
US CELLULAR, CELL PHONES	95.97
IPERS, RETIREMENT	1,286.13
PEOPLES BANK, FICA/MED/WH	2,471.15
IOWA TREASURER, STATE W/H	498.00

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

Scranton City Council Minutes
June 30, 2009

Present: Zellweger, Wright, Jacobsen

Absent: Walker, Reck

Other: Terry Smith, Jim Ober, Norm Dudley, Dave Morain, Larry Davis, Bill Esdohr, Laura Forkner

The Scranton City Council met in special session on Tuesday June 30, 2009 to discuss the Wastewater Compliance Inspection for NPDES Permit # 3759001. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. A motion was made by Wright, seconded by Jacobsen to approve the agenda. APVA/MC

Terry Smith and Jim Ober with Scranton Manufacturing were present to discuss efforts being made by Scranton Manufacturing in regards to zinc levels. The council also discussed options the City can take to control excess rainwater that is flowing into the wastewater system. Attorney Morain will follow up and prepare correspondence to be sent to the DNR.

Miscellaneous items discussed included police scheduling and Clerk time off. With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Zellweger, seconded by Wright, to adjourn at 8:17 PM. APVA/MC

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

Scranton City Council Minutes
July 21, 2009

Present: Zellweger, Wright, Jacobsen
Absent: Reck, Walker

The Scranton City Council met in special session Tuesday, July 21st, 2009. The regular meeting scheduled for July 14th was cancelled due to lack of a quorum. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order 7:05 PM at City Hall. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Zellweger to approve the consent agenda which included the agenda, the minutes from June 9th, June 23rd and June 30th meetings, paying monthly bills, the June 2009 Treasurer's Report and approving Casey's liquor license renewal. APVA/MC

During the open forum a resident made a comment about a pot hole on Maple Street. The city maintenance department will take a look at potholes in town. Terry Smith with Scranton Manufacturing updated the Council on their zinc reduction efforts.

Norm Dudley gave the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included street signs, seal coating, storm sewer jetting, painting crosswalks, smoke testing, alley maintenance and spraying weeds.

Chief Shady gave the monthly police report. Items discussed included an in car video system, needed operating supplies and abatements. Motion by Zellweger, second by Jacobsen to purchase evidence tape, evidence tags, property receipt forms and uniform citations through Law Enforcement Systems. APVA/MC. A special meeting will be held July 30th to discuss abatements.

Joan St. Clair with MacDonald Insurance presented the City's insurance renewal for fiscal year 2010. Motion by Wright, second by Zellweger to accept the insurance renewal at the \$4,000,000 liability limit and approve the Clerk to make payment in full to MacDonald Insurance for \$31,845.93 which includes premiums for liability, auto, property and work comp insurance. APVA/MC

Clerk Hinnners made the council aware of the state application process for cable franchises. Clerk will follow-up with Scranton Telephone.

A request by an officer to attend MCTC training was not approved at this time. There will be other opportunities to attend the session at a later date.

RESOLUTION # 2009-8: A resolution of the City Council of Scranton, Iowa approving the application for the purpose of receiving Community Betterment Grant awards from Prairie Meadows Racetrack and Casino, Inc. Aye: Zellweger, Wright, Jacobsen. Nay: None. Absent: Reck, Walker. Motion Carried. The City will apply for funding for athletic field improvements.

Miscellaneous items discussed included abatements and the brush pile. With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Zellweger, second by Wright to adjourn at 8:58 PM. APVA/MC

Approved Bills (Includes June & July Library bills)

ACCESS	COPIER RENTAL	125.35	IOWA WORKFORCE	UNEMPLOYMENT	42.69
ALLIANT ENERGY	ELECTRIC	3,135.07	IPERS	RETIREMENT	1,419.43
ALLIANT ENERGY	LB ELECTRIC	106.74	J/S SCHOOL	UTILITIES	330.41
ARAMARK UNIFORM SERV	RUGS/MOP	83.58	KEYSTONE LABS	LAB TESTING	165.00
ARCADIA LIMESTONE	ROADSTONE	331.94	K-MART	LB VIDEOS	105.02
BAKER & TAYLOR	LB BOOKS	282.09	K-MART	LB VIDEOS	102.95
BAKER & TAYLOR	LB BOOKS	550.32	MACDONALD INS	INSURANCE	31,845.93
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	NATL GAS	139.71	MAQUIRE IRON INC	WA TOWER	1,250.00
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	LB NATL GAS	92.00	MET	LAB TESTING	369.00
BOMGAARS	WEED KILLER	36.98	MILLS TRASH SERVICE	GB COLLECTION	4,257.88
BOONE COUNTY LANDFILL	LANDFILL FEES	3,020.00	PEMBLE DIGGING	WA REPAIRS	2,315.72
CENTER POINT LG PRINT	LB BOOKS	35.94	PEOPLES BANK	FED/FICA TAXES	2,638.06
CENTER POINT LG PRINT	LB BOOKS	35.94	POSTMASTER	POSTAGE	500.00
CENTRAL IA TELEVISIONING	SE JETTING	1,110.00	ROY J CARVER TRUST	REFUND GRANT	60,000.00
COLUMBIA VIDEO	LB VIDEOS	55.07	SANDY BURRIS	LB CLEANING	60.00
CULLIGAN	FD WATER	11.24	SANDY BURRIS	LB CLEANING	40.00
DICK BRUS	FD LIGHT BULBS	879.78	SARAH STEPHENS	LB GAMES	233.31
DON'S HARDWARE	LB SUPPLIES	11.25	SARAH STEPHENS	LB COMPUTERS	735.00
DOUBLE DAY LARGE PRINT	LB BOOKS	179.38	SCHON LUMBER	SE REPAIRS	77.31
DOUBLE DAY LARGE PRINT	LB BOOKS	139.42	SCRANTON JOURNAL	PUBLICATIONS	112.04
DREES COMPANY	WA REPAIR	288.82	SCRANTON LIBRARY	LB POSTAGE	100.00
GEHRKE QUARRIES INC	PK LIME	309.82	SCR TELEPHONE	PHONE/FAX	275.10
GREENE CO CLERK OF CT	FILING FEES	340.00	SCR TELEPHONE	LB PHONE/DSL	89.69
GREENE COUNTY SHERIFF	28E PUB SAFETY	900.00	STAR ENERGY	FUEL	558.04

HAWKINS	CHEMICALS	1,113.25	STATE LIBRARY	LB FEES	43.12
HISTORY EDUCTION	LB VIDEOS	309.95	STONE PRINTING	SUPPLIES	215.40
HOYT LAW FIRM	LEGAL FEES	1,509.00	TRICIA SCHOON	LB PROGRAMS	250.00
IOWA DNR	ANNUAL FEE	72.97	TRUE NORTH CO	INSURANCE	4.00
IOWA LEAGUE OF CITIES	ANNUAL DUES	423.00	UPSTART	LB PROGRAMS	13.00
IOWA ONE CALL	WA DIG NOTICES	52.80	UPSTART	LB SUPPLIES	96.69
IOWA PRISON IND	STREET SIGNS	1,429.45	US CELLULAR	CELL PHONES	93.44
IOWA TREASURER	W/H TAXES	1,029.00	WAL-MART	SUPPLIES	138.73
IOWA TREASURER	SALES TAX	2,789.23	WEST CENTRAL	PK WEED KILLER	134.31

TOTAL JUNE REVENUES

General	39,552.08	Road Use Tax	12,062.91
Special Revenue.....	3,557.67	Debt Service	253.71
Water	15,243.18	Library T&A.....	14,075.10
Sewer	12,960.63	Total Revenues	102,562.06
Garbage/ Recycling/ Landfill.....	4,856.78		

TOTAL JUNE EXPENDITURES

General	20,218.15	Library	3,032.38
Water	5,017.11	Employee Benefits/PR Expenses	4,364.93
Sewer	3,534.01	Debt Service	0.00
Garbage/Recycling/Landfill	4,433.88	Local Option Sales Tax.....	44,205.01
Road Use Tax	1,848.71	Total Expenditures.....	89,252.43
Emergency	2,598.25		

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

Scranton City Council Minutes
July 30, 2009

Present: Wright, Walker, Jacobsen, Zellweger

Absent: Reck

The Scranton City Council met in special session on Thursday, July 30, 2009 for the purpose of an abatement workshop. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at 7:06 PM. A motion was made by Walker to approve the agenda, seconded by Jacobsen. APVA/MC. The council reviewed properties that need to be served with notices to abate. No formal action was taken at the meeting. At 8:46 PM a motion to adjourn was made by Zellweger, seconded by Wright. APVA/MC.

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

Scranton City Council Minutes
August 18, 2009

Present: Zellweger, Walker, Wright Jacobsen
Absent: Reck

The Scranton City Council met Tuesday August 18, 2009 at Scranton City Hall. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order 7:04 PM. Motion by Walker, second by Jacobsen to approve the consent agenda which included the agenda, the minutes from July 21st and July 30th meetings, paying monthly bills, the July 2009 Treasurer's Report. APVA/MC.

Norm Dudley gave the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included street construction, water leaks and the need to hire someone upon Norm's retirement in December. Terry Smith with Scranton Manufacturing was present to update the Council on their efforts to reduce zinc levels in wastewater.

Chiefs Quigley and Shady gave the monthly police report. Chief Quigley read the resignation letter of Reserve Officer Aaron King. Officer King as accepted a position with the Ankeny police department. Other items discussed included a request for a stop sign, security check forms and abatements. A motion was made by Walker to purchase in-car video equipment at a maximum cost of \$4,000.00, including installation. Seconded by Jacobsen. APVA/MC. The City will be reimbursed \$4,000.00 for the cost of the equipment if it is purchased and received by the end of September.

At 8:37 PM a motion was made by Wright, second by Walker to go into closed session pursuant to Iowa Code Chapter 21.5(1)(c) "to discuss strategy with counsel in matters that are presently in litigation or where litigation is imminent where its disclosure would be likely to prejudice or disadvantage the position of the governmental body in that litigation" and Iowa Code Chapter 21.5(1)(h) "to avoid disclosure of specific law enforcement matters, such as allowable tolerances or criteria for other selection, prosecution or settlement of cases, which if disclosed would facilitate disregard of requirement imposed by law". Aye: Zellweger, Walker, Wright, Jacobsen. Nay: None. Absent: Reck. Motion carried. The council resumed open session at 8:49 PM.

The City of Scranton has received some funding from the I-Jobs initiative. The funds are to be spent within one year and be used for construction, repair and maintenance of City streets and sidewalks. Motion by Jacobsen, second by walker to use funds for concrete work and road patching. Work is to be completed next year. APVA/MC.

The council discussed Mayor Compensation. A draft ordinance will be prepared for the next meeting.

RESOLUTION 2009-9: A resolution receiving and filing petition(s) to change term of office of Council members from a two-year to staggered four-year terms and authorizing this to be voted on at the regular municipal election November 3, 2009. Aye: Zellweger, Walker, Wright, Jacobsen. Nay: None. Absent: Reck. Motion carried.

With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Wright, second by Zellweger at 9:16 PM. APVA/MC.

Approved Bills

A-1 SERVICE CENTER	PD TIRES/ALIGN	508.34	J/S SCHOOL	UTILITIES	382.81
ACCESS	COPIER RENTAL	125.35	K-MART	LB VIDEOS	83.74
ALLIANT ENERGY	LB ELECTRIC	250.84	KANSAS STATE BANK	PD LEASE	2,553.76
ALLIANT ENERGY	ELECTRIC	2,667.07	KEYSTONE LABS	WA TESTING	220.00
ARAMARK UNIFORM	RUGS/MOP	83.58	LAW ENFORCEMENT SYS	PD SUPPLIES	162.50
BAKER & TAYLOR	LB BOOKS	330.03	MATT PARROTT & SONS	WA SUPPLIES	494.54
BEE & HERALD PUBLISHING	LB ADVERTISING	13.88	MET	SE TESTING	186.00
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	NATL GAS	340.50	MILLS TRASH SERVICE	GB COLLECTION	4,227.88
CASEY'S	PD BATTERIES	16.02	PEMBLE DIGGING	REPAIRS	427.90
CENTER POINT LARGE PRINT	LB BOOKS	35.94	PEOPLES BANK	FED/FICA TAXES	2,603.02
COMMERCIAL LIGHTING CO	LIGHT BULBS	458.26	QUILL	LB SUPPLIES	61.88
CULLIGAN	FD WATER	11.24	RUDY'S SERVICE & DTL	PD REPAIRS	166.90
DICK BRUS	FD AIRPACK	169.06	SANDY BURRIS	LB CLEANING	40.00
DOUBLE DAY LARGE PRINT	LB BOOKS	91.09	SARAH STEPHENS	LB GAMES	28.99
ED M FELD	FD HYDROTEST	380.00	SCRANTON JOURNAL	PUBLICATIONS	120.42
FOUR SEASONS BOOKS	LB BOOKS	59.95	SCRANTON LIBRARY	LB POSTAGE	100.00
GREENE COUNTY SHERIFF	28E PUBLIC SAFETY	50.00	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	LB PHONE/DSL	89.80
INTOXIMETERS	PD MOUTH PIECES	55.50	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	PHONE/DSL	177.22
IOWA DNR	NPDES PERMIT FEE	210.00	STAR ENERGY	FUEL	419.98
IOWA TREASURER	STATE W/H TAXES	519.00	TRUE NORTH COM	INSURANCE	4.00
IPERS	RETIREMENT	1,646.54	US CELLULAR	CELL PHONES	96.54
CARVER TRUST	GRANT REFUND	60,000.00			

TOTAL JULY REVENUES

General	2,646.81	Road Use Tax	4,088.85
Special Revenue.....	3,592.27	Debt Service	286.23
Water	14,709.56	Library T&A.....	2,072.00
Sewer	10,422.96	I-Jobs	2,638.09
Transfer from CD.....	66,697.12		
Garbage/ Recycling/ Landfill.....	5,370.39	Total Revenues	112,524.28

TOTAL JULY EXPENDITURES

General	40,919.67	Library	2,763.22
Water	12,666.38	Employee Benefits/PR Expenses	3,481.54
Sewer	4,412.21	Drainage	1,110.00
Garbage/Recycling/Landfill	7,753.43	Capital Projects.....	60,000
Road Use Tax	3,788.63	Total Expenditures.....	136,895.08
Emergency	0.00		

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

**Scranton City Council Minutes
September 8, 2009**

Present: Zellweger, Walker, Reck, Jacobsen, Wright
Absent: None

The Scranton City Council met Tuesday September 8, 2009 at Scranton City Hall. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order 7:32 PM. Motion by Wright, second by Walker to approve the consent agenda which included the agenda, the minutes from August 18th, paying monthly bills, the August 2009 Treasurer's Report, Resolution # 2009-10: Resolution to approve quarterly library transfer of \$4,350.00 and Resolution # 2009-11: Resolution to approve City Street Financial Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2009. APVA/MC.

During the open forum citizens addressed the council on the school building, a parking concern and a rumor of cage fighting at the school. The City has no knowledge of cage fighting being planned in Scranton.

Jason White, Executive Director, Midwest Partnership Corporation was present with Teresa Mobley, Midwest Partnership Board Member, to discuss a possible business expansion at B&D Manufacturing where infrastructure needs are a factor. A street project would need to be done in order to handle future truck traffic to and from the factory. Opportunities exist for the City to apply for grant money to help fund the project. A motion was made by Jacobsen, seconded by Wright to contact an engineer to look at the street project and provide an estimate. APVA/MC.

Mayor Rudolph and Doug Hawn discussed the school building with the Council and provided heating and cooling estimates. A lengthy discussion followed. It is expected that a special meeting will be held Tuesday, September 22ⁿ to further discuss the matter.

Norm Dudley gave the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included water leaks, fire hydrants, brush pile and purchase of fill sand. Chief Quigley presented the monthly police report. Items discussed towing vehicles, training and abatements. Motion by Walker, second by Jacobsen to increase Chief Quigley's hourly pay by \$.75 due to his end of probationary period performance review. APVA/MC. The dirt bike ordinance was tabled until the next meeting.

Motion by Zellweger, second by Reck to accept first reading of **Ordinance # 191 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 4, SALARIES OF MUNICIPAL OFFICERS, SECTIONS 2-4-1 AND 2-4-2.** This ordinance shall be effective upon its passage, approval, and publication as provided by law. APVA/MC.

Motion by Walker, second by Jacobsen to waive second and third readings of Ordinance # 191. APVA/MC. With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Reck, second by Jacobsen to adjourn at 10:12 PM. APVA/MC.

Approved Bills

ACCESS	COPIER RENTAL	125.35	J/S SCHOOL	UTILITIES	391.46
ALLIANT ENERGY	ELECTRICITY	1,981.51	MET	LAB TESTING	267.00
ARAMARK UNIFORM SERV	RUGS/MOP	83.58	MILLS TRASH SERVICE	GB COLLECTION	4,221.88
BROWN SUPPLY	CURB STOPS/RODS	763.92	MUNICIPAL SUPPLY	SUPPLIES	339.42
CULLIGAN	FD WATER	11.24	REGION IV IAWPCA	TRAINING	64.00
CUMMINS CEN POWER	EQUIP REPAIR	992.86	RUETER'S	OIL/FILTERS	104.08
ED M FELD	AIR COMPRESSOR	212.50	SCRANTON JOURNAL	PUBLICATIONS	70.81
HAWKINS	CHEMICALS	690.00	STAR ENERGY	FUEL	602.31
HOYT LAW FIRM	LEGAL FEES	1,105.00	WAL-MART	PD SUPPLIES	133.76
IAMU	TRAINING/MANUALS	384.54	WEST CENTRAL	WEED KILLER	89.58
IOWA DNR	PERMIT FEE	135.00			

TOTAL AUGUST REVENUES

General	3,806.70	Road Use Tax	4,512.23
Special Revenue.....	3,287.68	Debt Service	0.00
Water	10,217.85	Library T&A.....	175.00
Sewer	8,964.45		
Garbage/ Recycling/ Landfill.....	4,890.30	Total Revenues	35,854.21

TOTAL AUGUST EXPENDITURES

General	12,612.78	Library	2,179.52
Water	4,370.11	Employee Benefits/PR Expenses	1,267.54
Sewer	4,055.55	Drainage	0.00
Garbage/Recycling/Landfill.....	4,326.80	Capital Projects.....	0.00
Road Use Tax	1,926.55	Total Expenditures.....	30,738.85
Emergency	0.00		

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Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

**Scranton City Council Minutes
September 22, 2009**

Present: Zellweger, Walker, Reck, Jacobsen, Wright
Absent: None

The Scranton City Council met in special session Tuesday, September 22, 2009 at City Hall. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at 7:01PM. Motion by Walker, second by Reck to approve the consent agenda which included the agenda, end of month bills and approval to purchase a used snow plow blade from Carroll County for \$300.00. APVA/MC.

Dallas Warnke met with the Council regarding a possible business expansion and housing project. Projects may include creating a TIF (tax incremental financing) district and housing rehab program that would allow tax abatements. Meetings have been held with Region XII and Midwest Partnership. No action was taken at the meeting.

This was also the time and place to hold the first reading of Ordinance # 190: **AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE OPERATION OF OFF-HIGHWAY MOTORCYCLES, GO-CARTS AND ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES WITHIN THE CITY OF SCRANTON, IOWA.** Clerk Hinnners read the ordinance in full. Motion by Reck, second by Jacobsen to approve first reading of Ordinance # 190. Aye: Zellweger, Walker, Reck, Jacobsen. Nay: None. Abstain: Wright. Absent: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Jacobsen, second by Walker to waive second and third readings of Ordinance # 190. Aye: Zellweger, Walker, Reck, Jacobsen. Nay: None. Abstain: Wright. Absent: None. Motion carried. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its final passage, approval, posting and publication as required by law.

The council discussed a job opening due to the upcoming retirement of Superintendent Norman Dudley. Motion by Wright, second by Walker to advertise the fulltime job opening. APVA/MC.

The council discussed the School Building. The Jefferson-Scranton School Board approved to extend the lease agreement for thirty days. Motion by Walker, second by Zellweger to accept the school's offer to extend the lease for thirty days. APVA/MC. Items discussed relating to the school included utilities, concession revenues, cleaning and maintenance and grant opportunities. A public forum will be held Tuesday, October 6, 2009, 7:00PM in the school gymnasium to give the public another chance to voice their opinion on the matter.

Under miscellaneous discussions the council discussed a curb cut request, set Beggar's Night for Saturday, October 31st from 4:00-7:00PM, and discussed fall clean-up day. Plans are to have a yard waste dumpster available at clean-up day.

With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Jacobsen, seconded by Walker to adjourn at 8:32 PM. APVA/MC.

Approved Bills

Scranton Telephone	phone/dsl/fax	180.52
True North	insurance	4.00
Rudy's Service & Detail	oil change	20.00
Carroll County	plow blade	300.00
Blackhills Energy	natl gas	165.12
Martel Electronics	video system	3,349.00
IPERS	retirement	2,108.59
Peoples Bank	fed/fica	3,691.74
Iowa Treasurer	w/h tax	710.00
US Cellular	cell phones	93.44

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Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

Scranton City Council Minutes
October 6, 2009

Present: Wright, Walker, Jacobsen, Zellweger, Reck, Walker

Absent: None

The Scranton City Council met in special session on Tuesday, October 6, 2009 for the purpose of holding a public forum regarding the possible acquisition of the former Scranton School building. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at 7:03 PM. A motion was made by Jacobsen, seconded by Reck to approve the agenda. APVA/MC

Mayor Rudolph presented a Power Point presentation that provided information on possible uses of the building, activities that have been held in the building over the past year, concerns with the acquisition, heating and cooling estimates and possible developments in Scranton. After the presentation Mayor Rudolph read written comments. Two of the four were from students. Several speakers, both adults and children, made comments regarding the possible acquisition. No action was taken at the meeting.

At 7:40 PM Council members Walker and Wright, along with several persons from the audience, left due to being paged out on a fire call.

Mayor Rudolph announced the Council will vote on this issue at the October 13, 2009 meeting.

A motion was made by Reck, seconded by Jacobsen to adjourn at 8:26 PM. Aye: Zellweger, Reck, Jacobsen. Nay: None. Absent: Walker, Wright. Motion carried.

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

**Scranton City Council Minutes
October 13, 2009**

Present: Zellweger, Walker, Reck, Jacobsen
Absent: Wright*

The Scranton City Council met in regular session, Tuesday, October 13, 2009 at 7:00 PM in the Scranton School music room. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at 7:03 PM. Prior to approving the agenda a motion was made by Walker, seconded by Jacobsen to move the school building discussion to be the last item on the agenda. APVA/MC. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Reck to approve the consent agenda which included the agenda, minutes from September 8th, 22nd and October 6th meetings, paying monthly bills, the September 2009 Treasurer's Report and the Fiscal Year 2009 Annual Financial Report. APVA/MC.

DJ Byerly gave the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included replacing the furnace at the shop, stolen street signs on High Street, road by Farm Boy Fencing, preparing for snow removal and a needed repair on the City pickup.

Chief Quigley presented the monthly police report. Chief Quigley informed the council that he will be attending a conference and was awarded a scholarship to cover the costs. Attendance at the conference will count towards his continuing education hours. He is also going to be a guest instructor at the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy. Chief Quigley mentioned at the meeting that Forrest Shady resigned on September 17, 2009. A few individuals have approached Chief Quigley about the possibility of becoming a reserve officer for Scranton. It was noted that this is the second month in a row where the City has not been charged by the county for law enforcement assistance.

Doug Sukovaty requested permission from the Council to proceed with electrical changes at the City Park. The cost of the changes would be paid for and the City would not have to endure any costs. Plans are to run underground wire from the shelter house to the cement slab. Motion by Zellweger, second by Reck to allow Doug Sukovaty to proceed with putting in electrical from the shelter house to the slab with a 4-plex pedestal and weatherproof box. APVA/MC.

Fire Chief Doug Duff addressed the Council in regards to replacing the 1978 pumper truck. Three bids have been received and the cost of trucks will be increasing with new EPA standards. The bids are for a combination pumper/tanker unit. Mike Schwabe with Toyne's out of Breda was available for questions. No action was taken at the meeting and financing will be researched. Councilman BJ Wright showed up at the meeting at 7:31 PM during this discussion.

Chief Quigley introduced Ordinance # 192 - **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF SCRANTON, IOWA 2006, BY AMENDING CHAPTER 15 CITY PARKS USE SECTION 3-15-1.** The Council held first reading of Ordinance # 192. Motion by Wright, second by Jacobsen to approve the first reading. Aye: Wright, Reck, Walker, Zellweger, Jacobsen. Nay: None. Absent: None. Motion carried. Motion by Walker, second by Reck to waive the 2nd and 3rd readings. Aye: Wright, Reck, Walker, Jacobsen. Nay: Zellweger. Absent: None. Motion carried. The ordinance will be effective upon its passage, approval, and publication as required by law.

Motion by Jacobsen, second by Walker to increase Chief Quigley's hours from 35 to 40 hours per week. APVA/MC

The Council selected applicants for the public works position that is open due to the upcoming retirement of Norm Dudley. Interviews will be Tuesday, October 20, 2009 at 5:00 PM.

This was the time and place for the Council to make a decision regarding the possible acquisition of the Scranton school building. Motion by Zellweger, second by Reck to authorize the mayor to prepare and deliver to Jefferson-Scranton Community School District written notice of intent to exercise the option pursuant to Section 12 of the lease agreement along with the 5 things discussed at the meeting: 1.) 10-year written agreement on use of the gym 2.) written bus stop agreement 3.) utility cost share until a new heating/cooling system has been installed 4.) timeline for demolition of the three-story building 5.) transfer of ownership upon completion of asbestos removal. Aye: Reck, Walker, Zellweger, Jacobsen Nay: Wright. Absent: None. Motion carried.

Other items discussed at the meeting included abatements and fall clean-up day. Fall clean-up day will be Saturday, October 31st from 6:00-8:00 AM. Councilman Zellweger wanted it recognized that Scranton has lost a great citizen with the passing of Dale Stephens. He will be missed by adult citizens as well as children. Condolences go out to the Stephen's family.

With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Jacobsen, seconded by Wright to adjourn at 8:22 PM. APVA/MC

Approved Bills

ACCESS	COPIER RENTAL	125.35	IOWA WORKFORCE	UNEMPLOYMENT	41.10
ALLIANT ENERGY	ELECTRICITY	2,148.42	J/S SCHOOL	UTILITIES	378.75
BLACKTOP SERV CO	SEAL COATING	14,026.25	KEYSTONE LABS	WA TESTING	165.00
BOMGAARS	SUPPLIES	65.85	MET	WA TESTING	372.00

BROWN SUPPLY	WA SUPPLIES	185.19	MILLS TRASH SERVICE	GARBAGE COLL	4,338.38
CARROLL HYDRAULICS	SNOW BLADE	79.93	MOSQUITO CONTROL	MOSQUITO SPRAY	2,800.00
CASEY'S	PD BATTERIES	10.68	NORM DUDLEY	MILEAGE	107.80
CULLIGAN	FD WATER	11.24	PEMBLE DIGGING	WA REPAIR	4,296.00
DATA TECHNOLOGIES	LICENSE FEE	1,514.05	POSTMASTER	POSTAGE	500.00
ED M FELD	FIRE EXTING	747.00	SCRANTON JOURNAL	PUBLICATIONS	323.77
FRANK DUNN CO	ROAD PATCH	144.00	SCRANTON MACHINE	BATTERY	914.11
HACH COMPANY	WA CHEMICALS	507.38	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	PHONE/DSL	180.52
HERALD PUBLISHING CO	ADVERTISING	45.15	STAR ENERGY	FUEL	422.34
HOYT LAW FIRM	LEGAL FEES	1,424.25	STONE PRINTING	OFFICE SUPPLIES	95.13
IOWA LEAGUE OF CITIES	DUES	30.00	WAL-MART	CARD FEE SUPPLIES	2.01
IOWA TREASURER	SALES TAX	2,956.00			

	REVENUES	EXPENDITURES
GENERAL	4,966.90	15,787.44
LIBRARY	0.00	2,579.56
ROAD USE TAX	4,347.28	2,803.72
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	755.69	1,792.38
EMERGENCY FUND	99.43	0.00
LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX	3,592.19	0.00
DEBT SERVICE	701.04	0.00
WATER	12,573.39	7,415.71
SEWER	10,035.61	4,139.85
GARBAGE	5,024.72	4,221.88
TOTALS	42,096.25	38,740.54

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

Scranton City Council Minutes
October 20, 2009

Present: Zellweger, Walker, Reck, Jacobsen

Absent: Wright

The Scranton City Council met in special session Tuesday, October 20, 2009 at 5:00 PM at City Hall for the purpose of interviewing applicants for the public works position. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at 5:01 PM. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Reck to approve the agenda. APVA/MC.

The council interviewed three applicants for the position. No action was taken at the meeting.

With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Zellweger, seconded by Reck to adjourn at 7:04 PM. APVA/MC.

Melinda Hinnars, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

Scranton City Council Minutes
November 3, 2009

Present: Zellweger, Walker, Reck, Jacobsen, Wright

Absent: None

The Scranton City Council met in special session Tuesday, November 3, 2009 at 7:00 PM at City Hall for the purpose of making a job offer for the public works position. Motion by Jacobsen, second by Walker to approve the agenda. APVA/MC.

Motion by Wright, second by Walker to offer the position to applicant # 2 at a starting wage of \$14.00 per hour. APVA/MC.

Non-action items discussed at the meeting was the fire department roster and new fire truck. The issue is on the agenda for the November 10th regular meeting.

With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Wright, seconded by Walker to adjourn at 7:50 PM. APVA/MC.

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

**Scranton City Council Minutes
November 10, 2009**

Present: Zellweger, Walker, Wright, Reck, Jacobsen
Absent: None

The Scranton City Council met in regular session Tuesday, November 10, 2009 at 7:00 PM at City Hall. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at 7:01 PM. Motion by Wright, second by Walker to approve the consent agenda with included the agenda; minutes from October 13th, 20th and November 3rd; paying monthly bills and the October 2009 Treasurer's Report. APVA/MC

DJ Byerly was present for the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included snow fence, Christmas lights, street sweeping and fire hydrant replacement. Chief Quigley presented the monthly police report and discussed abatements with the Council.

Mike Schwabe with Toyne's was present to discuss the purchase of a new fire truck. Township trustees present for the discussion included Bob Eason and Lawrence Geisler. After discussion on the issue a motion was made by Walker, second by Wright to proceed with the process to purchase a fire truck. Aye: Walker, Wright, Reck, Jacobsen. Nay: Zellweger. Absent: None. Motion carried. Clerk Hanners will follow up with the bank and a bonding attorney to get the process started. A public hearing will need to be held.

Julie Ganoë was present to request the Council grant her a permit for a curb cut at 900 Cedar for the purpose of establishing a driveway. No action was taken on the matter and a copy of the street cut ordinance will be provided to her.

Mayor Rudolph updated the Council on the school building negotiations. The school will disconnect the heat and water from the 3-story building. The bus stop, gym agreement and asbestos removal discussions have taken place. More discussions will be held in regards to demolition of the 3-story building.

Motion by Zellweger, second by Jacobsen to approve **Resolution # 2009-11:** Resolution of support for Central Iowa Waste Management Association Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan Update. Per the Code of Iowa all towns must support a solid waste management plan. Aye: Zellweger, Walker, Wright, Reck, Jacobsen. Nay: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.

The Council discussed changing the name of High Street to Seventh Street. An ordinance draft will be available at the next meeting.

Miscellaneous items discussed included an interested party in purchasing two City owned lots, thanking Matt Mills for his services, brush pile, start date for the new Public Works Superintendent and Dodgeball. With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Reck, second by Walker, to adjourn at 8:46 PM. APVA/MC.

Approved Bills

ACCESS	COPIER RENTAL	\$125.35	IPERS	RETIREMENT	\$1,132.32
ALLIANT ENERGY	LB ELEC	\$199.29	J/S SCHOOL	UTILITIES	\$423.09
ALLIANT ENERGY	ELEC	\$1,933.91	K-MART	LB MOVIE	\$98.76
ARAMARK	RUGS/MOP	\$167.16	KANSAS STATE BANK	PK MOWER	\$2,152.96
AUGUST ENTERPRISES	ASBESTOS	\$616.00	KEYSTONE LABS	WA TESTING	\$232.50
BAKER & TAYLOR	LB BOOKS	\$298.76	LYNN CARD CO	PD BUS CARDS	\$38.25
BEE & HERALD PUBL	ADVERTISING	\$42.00	MARILYN JACOBSEN	PK MULCH	\$42.69
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	LB NATL GAS	\$44.20	MELINDA HINNERS	SUPPLIES	\$60.81
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	NATL GAS	\$189.10	MET	SE TESTING	\$240.00
BOMGAARS	SUPPLIES	\$38.37	MICHAEL FREDERICK	LB BOOKS	\$58.00
BROWN SUPPLY	SUPPLIES	\$417.78	MILLS TRASH SERV	GB COLLECTION	\$4,279.63
CENTER PNT LG PRINT	LB BOOKS	\$35.94	OUR IOWA	LB MAGAZINE	\$26.98
COLUMBIA VIDEO	LB MOVIE	\$31.40	PEOPLES BANK	FED/FICA TAXES	\$2,210.34
COUNTRY	LB MAGAZINE	\$10.00	SANDY BURRIS	LB CLEANING	\$40.00
CULLIGAN	FD WATER	\$11.24	SCRANTON JOURNAL	PUBLICATIONS	\$416.40
DREES COMPANY	WA REPAIR	\$439.21	SCRANTON TELE	LB PHONE/DLS	\$89.76
GLIDDEN REC	SE LOAN	\$7,000.00	SCRANTON TELE	PHONE/FAX/DSL	\$170.40
GREENE CO SHERIFF	28E PUBL SAFETY	\$150.00	SHADRAN INDUST	SUPPLIES	\$56.38
HAWKINS	WA CHEMICALS	\$808.20	STAR ENERGY	FUEL	\$460.99
HERALD PUBLISHING CO	ADVERTISING	\$35.70	TIME	LB MAGAZINE	\$29.95
HOYT LAW FIRM	LEGAL FEES	\$436.00	TRUE NORTH CO	SE INSURANCE	\$4.00
IA FINANCE AUTHORITY	WA INTEREST	\$18,891.90	US CELLULAR	CELL PHONES	\$93.32
IA TREASURER	W/H TAX	\$442.00			

	REVENUES	EXPENDITURES
GENERAL	44,024.80	11,810.57
LIBRARY	1,966.50	1,837.48
ROAD USE TAX	5,812.05	17,340.50
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	7,655.40	953.29
EMERGENCY FUND	1,007.34	0.00
LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX	3,592.19	0.00
DEBT SERVICE	7,101.76	0.00
WATER	11,310.08	11,284.12
SEWER	9,662.57	10,586.92
GARBAGE	5,031.03	5,163.76
<i>TOTALS</i>	<i>97,163.72</i>	<i>58,976.64</i>

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

Scranton City Council Minutes
November 24, 2009

Present: Zellweger, Walker, Reck, Jacobsen

Absent: Wright

The Scranton City Council met in special session Tuesday, November 24, 2009 at 7:00 PM at City Hall for the purpose of setting a public hearing on a general obligation fire truck acquisition loan agreement. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at 7:02 PM. Motion by Walker, second by Zellweger to approve the agenda. APVA/MC.

Councilman Walker introduced **Resolution # 2009-12:** Resolution to fix a date for a public hearing on a loan agreement in a principal amount not to exceed \$300,000. Motion by Walker, second by Zellweger to approve the resolution. Aye: Zellweger, Walker, Reck, Jacobsen. Nay: None. Absent: Wright. Motion carried. Mayor Rudolph declared the resolution adopted.

The public hearing will be held Tuesday, December 8, 2009 at 7:00 PM at City Hall.

With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Walker, second by Reck to adjourn at 7:07 P.M. APVA/MC.

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

Dawn Rudolph, Mayor

**Scranton City Council Minutes
December 8, 2009**

Present: Walker, Wright, Reck
Absent: Jacobsen, Zellweger

The Scranton City Council met in regular session Tuesday, December 8, 2009 at 7:00 PM at City Hall. Mayor Rudolph called the meeting to order at 7:07 PM. Motion by Walker, second by Reck to approve the consent agenda with included the agenda, minutes from November 10th and 24th, paying monthly bills and the November 2009 Treasurer's Report. APVA/MC

This was the time and place to hold the public hearing on General Obligation Fire Truck Acquisition Loan Agreement. No written or oral comments were received. Motion by Walker, second by Reck to close the public hearing at 7:09 PM. APVA/MC

Motion by Wright, second by Walker to approve **Resolution # 2009-13: Resolution authorizing and approving a Loan Agreement and providing for the issuance of a \$292,000 General Obligation Fire Truck Acquisition Note and providing for the levy of taxes to pay the same.** Aye: Walker, Wright, Reck. Nay: None. Absent: None. Motion carried. Mayor Rudolph declared the resolution adopted.

Norm Dudley and Jared Adcock were present for the monthly maintenance report. Items discussed included bids to replace the furnace at the shop, snow fence and fire hydrant replacements.

Chief Quigley presented the monthly police report. Items discussed included the Greene County Community Foundation Grant, tasers and abatements. In addition to the monthly police report Chief Quigley provided feedback to the council on a conference he attended. He also thanked the council for bringing him on board and helping him begin his career in law enforcement.

The council reviewed the B&D Manufacturing tax abatement. Under the terms of the 3-year original tax abatement it was agreed that if B&D increased their workforce by eight (8) additional employees the City would extend the abatement for an additional three years. B&D Manufacturing met the requirements of the agreement. Motion by Wright, second by Reck to extend the tax abatement for an additional 3 years. APVA/MC.

Brenda Warnke made the Council aware of her interest in purchasing City owned property. The property in mind includes the tennis courts and two lots off of Eagle and Stanton Street. The council will discuss the request at the January meeting. A public hearing would need to be held if the City intends to sell the property.

Miscellaneous and non-action items discussed at the meeting included the Greene County Community Foundation Grant, grant writing, New Way zinc levels and renting out the second story of the school building.

With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Reck, second by Wright to adjourn at 8:25 PM. APVA/MC

Approved Bills

ACCESS	COPIER RENTAL	125.35	K-MART	LB MOVIES	90.80
ALLIANT ENERGY	LB ELEC	360.96	KEYSTONE LABS	WA TESTING	165.00
ALLIANT ENERGY	ELECTRICITY	1,851.68	MARC	HAND CLEANER	96.52
BAKER & TAYLOR	LB BOOKS	241.76	MET	LAB TESTING	240.00
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	LB NATL GAS	111.80	MILLS TRASH SERVICE	GB COLLECTION	4,481.88
BLACKHILLS ENERGY	NATL GAS	242.86	PEOPLES BANK	FED/FICA TAXES	2,323.44
BOMGAARS	SUPPLIES/LIGHTS	128.79	PEOPLES BANK	INTEREST	1,877.25
CENTER PNT LG PRINT	LB BOOKS	35.94	RUDY'S SERVICE & DTL	OIL CHANGE/ROT	35.00
COUNTRY LIVING	LB MAGAZINES	25.68	SANDY BURRIS	LB CLEANING	40.00
CULLIGAN	FD WATER	11.24	SCHON LUMBER	EQUIP REPAIR	3.87
DICK BRUS	ELEC REPAIR	324.58	SCRANTON JOURNAL	PUBLICATIONS	23.32
DON'S HARDWARE	SUPPLIES	15.74	SCRANTON LIBRARY	LB POSTAGE	100.00
DOUBLE DAY LARGE PT	LB BOOKS	237.33	SCRANTON MACHINE	BATTERIES	236.38
GREENE CO SHERIFF	28E PUBLIC SFTY	100.00	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	LB PHONE/DSL	89.76
HOYT LAW FIRM	LEGAL FEES	554.00	SCRANTON TELEPHONE	PHONE/DSL	173.90
IAMU	DUES	339.54	STAR ENERGY	FUEL	307.63
IOWA DNR	EXAM TESTING	90.00	TAYLORVILLE HOSP	DRUG TEST	93.30
IOWA RURAL WA ASSOC	WA DUES	175.00	TRUE NORTH CO	SE INSURANCE	4.00
IOWA TREASURER	W/H TAX	455.00	US CELLULAR	CELL PHONES	94.86
IPERS	RETIREMENT	1,205.27	WAL-MART	SUPPLIES	274.14
J/S SCHOOL	UTILITIES	421.61	GREENE CO AUDITOR	ELECTION FEES	1,251.30

November	REVENUES	EXPENDITURES
GENERAL	9,896.69	10,218.56
LIBRARY	84.31	2,550.09
ROAD USE TAX	4,525.95	2,177.03
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	1,394.91	998.12
EMERGENCY FUND	183.54	0.00
LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX	11,882.80	0.00
DEBT SERVICE	1,294.03	1,877.25
WATER	10,132.91	14,256.21
SEWER	8,542.10	12,319.96
GARBAGE	5,137.64	4,279.63
TOTALS	53,074.88	48,676.85

Melinda Hinnners, City Clerk

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