## December 26, 2013

## **Special Budget Meeting**

Council convened for a special meeting to adopt the 2014 budget at 7 PM at the Prompton Fire Hall. Members attending were Mayor Stacy Wentzel, Dennis Millon, Robert Mikulewicz, Brian Mikulewicz, Dale Odell, Allen Heberling, Dan Biondo, and Lynn Holl. Also present was Secretary/Treasurer Michael Wolfe.

Council was presented with the following:

- 2014 Budget
- Ordinance 1 of 2014 0.9 mills real estate tax 500 cents – per capita tax 0.5% – realty transfer tax
- Resolution 1 of 2014 appropriation of specific sums for taxation purposes

Dan Biondo made a motion to adopt the 2014 budget with supporting resolution and ordinance. Allen Heberling seconded the motion which carried unanimously.

## **Emergency Business**

Dale Odell informed council that the borough plow truck was no longer operational and that plowing and cindering duties had to be contracted out for recent storms.

Allen Heberling called Andy Miszler, who plows and salts the Prompton Post Office, to get a quote from him for plowing and cindering the borough. Mr. Miszler did not return the calls.

Dale Odell talked to Willie Reinfurt about plowing the borough. Mr. Reinfurt did not formally propose a price, but said that he would do it for no less than \$55/hour.

Lynn Holl talked to Randy Bodie, who plows and cinders for Bethany Borough. He told Mr. Holl that he would plow and cinder Prompton for the same rate that he currently charges Bethany Borough. He believed the current rate was \$45/hour for plowing and \$18/cubic yard for cinders. Mr. Bodie also requested that he have a single point of contact at the borough who will call him to request that he cinder the roads. He said he would use his own judgment in determining when to plow.

## Allen Heberling moved to contract with Randy Bodie to plow and cinder the borough for the remainder of the winter season. Dan Biondo seconded the motion which carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned. Michael Wolfe, Secretary/Treasurer