COUNCIL FOR THE BOROUGH OF DUNMORE

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DUNMORE COMMUNITY CENTER
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ATTY. CUMMINGS: Mrs. Scrimalli.
MS. SCRIMALLI: Present.
ATTY. CUMMINGS: Mr. Burke.
MR. BURKE: Present.
ATTY. CUMMINGS: Mr. Verrastro.
MR. VERRASTRO: Present.
ATTY. CUMMINGS: Mr. Amico.
MR. AMICO: Present.
ATTY. CUMMINGS: Mr. Hallinan.
MR. HALLINAN: Here.
ATTY. CUMMINGS: Mr. Dempsey.
MR. DEMPSEY: Here.
ATTY. CUMMINGS: Mr. McHale.
MR. MCHALE: Here.
MR. RUGGIERO: Can I have all the candidates for the Planning Commission come with me, please?

Council, this is Janet Brier, 1711 Monroe Avenue, Dunmore. Janet, please explain why they should choose you for being on the Planning Commission.

MS. BRIER: Hey Guys.
MR. DEMPSEY: Mrs. Brier.

MS. BRIER: How are you? I'm a lifelong Dunmorean, fourth generation, all my brothers and sisters graduated from Dunmore, my mom did, my kids did, my grandparents didn't because they only went to sixth grade.

But you have a history of contributing to the Borough. My grandfather was a Congressman. My aunt and uncle were Councilman and Councilwoman at some point in their lives. And I'm a certified public accountant with a Master's in public health.

So I do bring that piece to it at least the financial piece. And I think I'd do a good job, totally love this town, totally want to give a little bit back. So thanks so much.

MR. MCHALE: Thank you.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Thank you.

MR. DEMPSEY: Thank you.

MR. RUGGIERO: Thank you very much.

MS. BRIER: You're welcome.

MR. RUGGIERO: Council, this is Gary Duncan, 117 Barton Street in the Borough. Mr. Duncan, please tell Council why they should
MR. DUNCAN: Usually I'm up here talking about the Neighborhood Watch Group. But anyway, Gary Duncan, 117 Barton Street. You know, I'm married. My wife is Lynne Greco Duncan. We have two daughters Anne and Claire. And I'm a former full-time faculty member of Misericordia University where I taught kinesiology, neurology, physical disabilities. And that was way back in the 80s and 90s. I spent 43 years in health care. And I went into it for the oldest of cliches. I really did it because I wanted to make a difference in people's lives. And I thought we could make a positive influence in them.

To this day I'm still -- I'm a lecturer at Marywood University. I teach the rehab component for the nursing administrator's course. Chances are there's people in this room that have either been my students or I've been in their home to treat their family members.

My wife and my children and I -- really my wife and I have tried to emphasize the importance of giving back to your
community. And I have a 22-year-old daughter who just graduated from Marywood and so she may be leaving us. And thank God I have one that still may be around for a couple years. But wherever they ultimately wind up -- and I pray -- I think my oldest daughter will be in Dunmore until she passes.

But we've encouraged them to give back to their communities. And I think that we've done that. They have done it as Girl Scouts. We work at food pantries. I'm the former president of the Hibernians. I still continue to be part of an annual food drive at the St. Patrick's Parade.

I've been a rehab director. I had a million dollar budget. And I have a degree in business in addition to being a nurse and an occupational therapist. So I think I know a little bit about budgeting. I won't pretend to have the expertise that a certified public accountant has.

But I certainly know where to look for the answers if I personally don't have them. As I said, I got into health care because I wanted to give back to patients.
I'm a member of the Governors Council on Ageing. I'm 1 of 11 people. It had to be a unanimous appointment. And we did that with a Republican Senate and Congress. And I'm not and I still got on. We're able to roll out policies and procedures for the geriatric and the handicap residents of 67 counties of Pennsylvania.

So I know how to be a team member. And I know how to write policy and procedure. Probably four years and change ago, when Mike Hayes was on this Council, I came before the Council at that time and spoke about the need after having spoken to about 30 or 40 residents of Dunmore who had expressed various concerns I came here to talk to you folks and get an education about former neighborhood watch groups that existed.

And I think in the four years and change that I started that, you folks have all been a part of it. I think we have grown that in Dunmore. We have police liaisons that have been at every meeting. And I always give Tom Richardson a shoutout because he doesn't miss them.
We have members of Lackawanna County Probation and Parole who are now a part of it as well as a representative from the District Attorney's Office. We've had speakers including Judge Moyle and others. Dunmore Fire Department comes down every year. They do a presentation on fire safety in October for us.

I belong to the Dunmore Historical Society. I would like to think there's not too much in Dunmore that I haven't joined and been a part of. And I've written a grant for $14,000 this year. And based on -- it may sound like it's not a lot, I could tell you when I was in Harrisburg and on the Council on Aging meetings, I went over looking for more money and they told me they didn't have it.

And by God, the next day in the Scranton Times the report was out that essentially Pennsylvania's budget was in dire straits but we tried. And we at least got a county grant. So I have written grants. I am grateful to Council for opening up these positions.

I'd like to become a member of the Planning Commission because as I said earlier,
it's one more opportunity to give something back to the town that we all live in. I wake up in Dunmore. I go to bed in Dunmore. I love Dunmore. It's that simple.

I like the Planning Commission because I thought it would give me an opportunity to take a look at business growth, community development, look at that from both the long and short term perspective to help potentially in the development of business engines, to review land use and what may be underutilized areas of our Borough.

I'm genuinely, genuinely, optimistic about the future of our town. And I'd like to be a part of that as a member of the Planning Commission. I think everybody that's here tonight -- I know the other folks are back there.

Whoever you people decide to pick, the only thing I would ask of any candidate is this, I've spoken to you before about this. I think it's so important to give back to your community and to be a part of that voluntaryism.

And I hope whoever gets appointed to
the Planning Commission is willing to give it 150 percent of their personal commitment. I think it's so important to our town. I probably spoke for five minutes now. I cut it short. I always remember my five minute time limit. Is there any questions or -- thanks everybody.

MR. MCHALE: Thanks, Gary.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Thanks, Gary.

MR. DEMPSEY: Thanks.

MR. RUGGIERO: Council, Joe Grochowski, 1711 Adams Avenue.

MR. GROCHOWSKI: I just have some -- these are just reference materials. This is actually information that I sent along. This was stuff I sent via e-mail and some additional information that I just want to briefly share. What I just distributed was when I initially expressed my interest in the position some of the information I sent along was the original e-mail with my interest which I'll cover tonight along with some of my professional and personal experience.

And I actually just gave you a copy of current clients that I work with just to
give you a sense of the current world I'm in.
So my name is Joe Grochowski. I live at 1711
Adams Avenue. I was born and raised in
Dunmore, born here in 1975, graduated from
Scranton Prep.

I left Dunmore to go to Penn State
University in 1994. I graduated from Penn
State in 1998 with a BS in psychology. After
Penn State I decided to continue my graduate
studies at the University of Chicago. I
received my Master's of Arts in Social
Sciences.

Right after the University of
Chicago I was employed at -- I got a job offer
at the company called SPSS which is an
analytical software company now owned by IBM
doing analytical analysis for the government
and other agencies wanting to understand
correlations and very complex analysis.

I worked there for a year and then
moved to New York City. I work at the Research
World which is a think tank for chief
information officers from the world's largest
companies in the world, had the pleasure of
interviewing and dealing with technology
related issues on how to plan, build their
development plants for large companies like GM,
Browning, Lockheed Martin, worked with Bill
Gates. We've interviewed Bill Gates.

I had a lot of experience working
with C level executives from the Fortune 500 at
the Research Board. I'm -- then I went onto I
started working virtually. I worked for a
company called the Concours Group which is a
managing and consulting firm.

I was promoted ultimately to
director of all their leadership development
programs for senior level HR executes again
from the Fortune 500 companies.

Today I -- for over seven years I
worked for the RBL Group which it stands for
the Results Based Leadership Group. We are the
trusted advisors to the world's largest
companies. You have a list of those companies
there. Those are my clients that I advise and
consult on related to the town, the development
of their chief information officers and senior
teams, how to compete and win in the
marketplace.

I first made a deal with companies
like Ikea, Goldman Sachs, MGM, Coca-Cola. Collectively the people I work with probably employ over 2 million people. HR budgets are probably larger than our state budgets.

And so I had the pleasure actually of working with large companies across many industries pharmaceutical and so forth. Fifteen years doing management consulting, work with the C level people, chief information officers, CEOs, academics. I kind of built to that intersections of business and academia.

I do a lot of research, writing, analyzing, preparing reports. I've published over 250 reports for businesses on planning and developing and around technology and HR. So that's what you have in front of you. Also personally I moved back to the area in September of 2014. I bought a home at 1711. And it has been a thrill to be back to the community. And that's why I am here today. My sole interest in the planning position is serving the wonderful community of Dunmore and providing planning advice and guidance to Council as they see fit in terms of land use, proper use of our land. How do we
grow and develop as a community responsibly, what are our current needs, what are our future needs, how do we address those gaps. I have a lot of skills collaborating with other people in business and governments.

My sole purpose is kind of a civic issue where you could kind of if you want to help, you have to do something about it. So and finally I -- just on a personal front I am married. My wife Nicole is -- they're over at a T-ball game right there right now. My son Nate is playing. He's 8 years old. He's actually a fraternal twin. My son died at 16 months of age.

That's why you'll see the Maximmillian Fund on my resume. We started a nonprofit in honor of my son to serve the community. We actually gave a grant to the YMCA last year for the education and development of children.

And my youngest son Jacob also plays. I'm the coach at Dunmore T-ball. I'm a certified baseball umpire. I'm on the Scranton Alumni Board of Governors. And I coach my kids. I love my community. And I would love
to serve and plan and help in whatever way I can. So thank you Council for your time and attention. And I hope you get a chance to review the materials. And if you have questions, please let me know.

MR. MCHALE: Thanks, Joe.

MR. HALLINAN: Do you want to run the Farmer's Market?

MR. GROCHOWSKI: Great idea. Thanks.

MR. HALLINAN: Thank you.

MR. RUGGIERO: Council, Jerry Michaels, 317 North Apple Street. Mr. Michael's, please describe yourself to Council and why they should choose you to be on the Planning Commission.

MR. MICHAELS: Good evening, Council. My name is Jerry Michaels. I'm here tonight to submit my name for your consideration to renew my seat on the Dunmore Planning Commission.

I have been a member of the Planning Commission for eight plus years. And I have been acting as Secretary. I'm a lifelong resident of Dunmore. I'm a graduate of
University of Scranton with a degree in accounting, licensed real estate agent with my license in escrow at present. And I'm a retired store supervisor for a large chain store in the area. That's all. Is there any questions?

MR. DEMPSEY: No, sir. Thank you.

MR. MCHALE: Thank you.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Thank you.

MR. RUGGIERO: This is Roseann Zubrickas, 1121 Prescott Avenue in Dunmore. Roseann, please describe yourself to Council and why they should choose you to be on the Planning Commission.

MS. ZUBRICKAS: My name is Roseann Naro Zubrickas. And I have been an alternate member of the Dunmore Planning Commission since November, 2011, shortly after the death of my dad, Salvatore J. Naro who was a member of the commission.

As an alternate, I have only missed one meeting since 2011, whether my vote counted or not. I have been in the Dunmore community for very close to 60 years. I have raised my children in this community.
They were both schooled in this community and still both live in this community. My daughter lives at home and is a Pennsylvania State Policeman. And my son and daughter own a home on Hill Street. I always tease him that he's a Hilly now and I am still a Gully. I know I'm dating myself for sure there.

I feel I would be a good candidate because I have proven myself to be loyal and committed to the commission and my main concern is Dunmore. I hope to have grandchildren some day. And I want them to be healthy and happy and safe. I want them to be proud to say they are from Dunmore, Pennsylvania like I have been proud my whole life.

I have everything I need in this life and I am very blessed. I don't want anything from anybody. And I don't think need anything from anybody. I feel I would be an asset to the Planning Commission of the Borough of Dunmore. And I thank you for your time and your vote.

MR. MCHALE: Thank you.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Thank you.
MR. DEMPEY: Thank you.

MR. HALLINAN: Thank you.

MR. RUGGIERO: Council, this is Katherine Oven, 1630 Madison Avenue in Dunmore. Katherine, describe yourself to Council and why they should choose you to be on the Planning Commission.

MS. OVEN: My name is Katherine Oven as Vince said -- Vito said, I'm sorry. I was looking at Vince. I live in Dunmore. I lived here about 18 years. And when I heard there was some opportunities with the planning, I decided to put my name in.

I'd like to get more involved in contributing to the Borough. I have children who live here. And I have a vested interest. And I think there's lot to be done as far as preserving the natural resources in the area, protecting the land.

And I would love the opportunity to work with the zoning and with the Council and with our new Mayor trying to make Dunmore a beautiful place to live and for future generations to move back to. Thank you.

MR. MCHALE: Thank you.
MR. HALLINAN: Thank you.

MR. AMICO: Thank you.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Thank you.

MR. RUGGIERO: Council, Tom

Pichiarella, 142 Potter Street in Dunmore.

MR. PICIARELLA: Hi everybody.

Vito told you who I am. I have been on the Planning Commission for about seven years now. I have a business in Dunmore. I'm also an engineer. I want to be on the Planning Commission so I could help the Borough grow in a smart and sensible in accordance with the ordinances. Is there any questions?

MR. MCHALE: Tom, how long have you served on the Planning Commission?

MR. PICIARELLA: Seven years.

MR. HALLINAN: Seven years.

MR. MCHALE: You said seven years. I apologize. I didn't hear him. Thank you, Bud.

MR. HALLINAN: Thanks, Tom.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Thank you, Tom.

MR. RUGGIERO: Council, Al

Senofonte, 712 East Drinker Street in Dunmore.

Mr. Senofonte, describe yourself to Council and
why they should choose you to be on the Planning Commission.

MR. SENOFONTE: My name is Al Senofonte. And I'm a Dunmorean. I have been on the Planning for a long time. I have been the chairman for several years. All I could say is I don't believe you've had any grief come back to Council over the way we've performed. We've been consistent with all of our decisions. We have a good board.

I believe after tonight we are going to lose some of the members because they didn't reapply. And if you have any questions, I would be more than happy to answer them.

MR. DEMPSEY: No questions.

MR. MCHALE: Nothing, Mr. Senofonte.

MR. SENOFONTE: I was expecting some questions. I prepped all day for this.

MR. MCHALE: How about your background, Mr. Senofonte, your business interests, things like that?

MR. SENOFONTE: Business interests, we have a currier service. We have a tree service. We have a restaurant up in Dunmore. We do a lot of volunteer work. I have always
done volunteer work for Dunmore, whether it be helping the veteran's paint flagpoles in the cemetery, whether it be our equipment for Jog For Jude.

Anyone needs anything, they ask us. You know, we are always there. We don't have a problem with that. We're more than happy to help out. All my kids -- most of my kids live in Dunmore. They do a variety of sports and activities in Dunmore. I have a good family.

And once again as far as Planning, I look at my -- I look at our Planning Commission as your cabinet. If we perform well, you guys don't get any grief. If we don't perform well, people will come to you. All I could say is since I've been chairman, all of our decisions have been consistent and fair.

And I feel good about that. And I could go to bed every night and sleep well. In the past I've heard it was a little different, you know, people were getting phone calls and whatnot. This is going back 20 years. That has all changed. Fortunately I have never received a phone call from any of you guys or
girls on Council as to weigh one thing one way
or the other. And I appreciate that. You let
us make our our decision and we have been fair
and consistent.

MR. MCHALE: Thank you,
Mr. Senofonte. We appreciate it.

MR. DEMPSEY: Appreciate it.

MR. HALLINAN: Thank you.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Thank you.

MR. RUGGIERO: Council, this is
Elizabeth Zangardi, 120 Homestead Street in the
Borough. Elizabeth, describe yourself to
Council and why they should choose you to be on
the Planning Commission.

MS. ZANGARDI: I was born and raised
in Dunmore. I -- for me, I feel everybody
applying the ultimate goal for all of us is
what's best for Dunmore -- actually the
Council, Planning, and so on. So for me it's a
privilege.

I -- it's a challenge for me. I
know what's going on. I'm active in my
community. And feel I vote and study for what
I believe is best for the community. I do
research when I get the proposed -- proposals.
I study the maps. I go out and I look to see what changes the people want. I go to the addresses for what is being proposed. And I study it. And so I feel -- I've been on it for I think -- I'm not really that good with years, but I think it's eight or nine years.

I'm faithful to it. I'm loyal to it. I show up. I show up to the meetings. And I vote for what's best for Dunmore, I believe. That's it.

MR. MCHALE: Thank you very much.

MR. HALLINAN: Thank you.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Thank you.

MR. RUGGIERO: Council, that concludes all the candidates for the Planning Commission.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Next item prior to the regular meeting is a presentation from Michael Cummings regarding health care plan and cost reduction.

MR. CUMMINGS: Good evening, Council. As your Solicitor mentioned, my name is Michael Cummings from Cummings Insurance. And I appreciate the opportunity to be in front of you this evening to provide an update on how
the Borough has performed over the past little more than two years in your PMHIC Program.

So just a little background, April -- I'm sorry, in the third and fourth quarter in 2014, I engaged with the Borough and provided analysis to examine your medical benefits that the Borough has for its employees and to determine if it was prudent or not to move from your fully insurance arrangement of Blue Cross of NEPA into an self funded arrangement or rather anything other than what you were doing.

For years Council would -- I'm sorry, the Borough would receive some pretty big increases from the carrier Blue Cross of NEPA and there was really no other recourse. So we did an analysis over many months. And the Borough of Dunmore in April of 2015 joined the PMHIC Program. PMHIC is an acronym that stands for Pennsylvania Municipal Health Insurance Cooperative.

It's a self funded program. And there is approximately 250 other entities like the borough, a township, a borough, a small city across the Commonwealth that are part of
this consortium. You have done very well in this arrangement since joining. So you joined April of 2015.

It was a short plan year because the Borough runs on a 1/1 to 1/1 year for its plan. So you joined in the middle of the year, short plan year. But for 2015, so your April through December 31st, you received a return of $190,511. Those are monies that weren't spent on claims that were given back to you in 2016.

You continued very positive performance in 2016 as well. So you had a full year in 2016. And this year you should have received a 75 percent of your surplus already. You get the next 25 percent in the fall. But you will receive for your performance in 2016, $216,910.

So for two years -- your first two years in the program, you received a total surplus return of $407,421. So during that time period you paid approximately 2 million dollars in I guess you would call premiums. Technically that's not the term in the arrangement that you're in.

But you paid out about 2 million and
you received back or will receive back aggregate $407,000. So that is just a complete turnaround from previously of continuous increases of really nothing else to do and just taking it from the carrier.

The best thing about this I think is that you maintain the integrity of the program and your benefit. Your employees still are able to keep the same level of benefit although Highmark required BC NEPA they're still with Blue so they walk around with Blue Cross cards. They went to the same doctors and hospitals, etc.

You maintain the integrity of the benefit and you receive $407,000 back of monies that, you know, would have just gone to a carrier in terms of keeping their profit. But the money went back to you because it wasn't spent on claim dollars. So I'm very appreciative for the opportunity to work with the Borough.

As a resident of the Borough of Dunmore, I'm happy that the Borough is acting very prudently and saving money on a benefit that costs a lot of money. So thank you very
much. Any questions?

MR. DEMPSEY: No, Mike. I just want to say you guys do an excellent job down there. You and your brother and your dad provide us with absolutely excellent service. I've never heard a complaint. You guys are always here, answer your phones, answer your cell phones no matter what time of day it is. So I appreciate that.

MR. CUMMINGS: Thank you very much.

MR. MCHALE: Michael, real quick just to backtrack into prior to you guys taking this plan and running with it, our costs were averaging around a million dollars. And in the initial year that I don't even think you're including, we were able to cut our as you say premium the first year several hundred thousand dollars to get into the program.

So we saw an initial savings. And then obviously the 200 -- we haven't seen an increase over the -- of what we contribute every year the last couple years which is massively important. On top of that, we're getting these premiums returned to us. So I think it's something that also has to be
pointed out the premiums haven't gone up. You know, like as you alluded to we were getting 20, 30 percent. Mr. Ruggiero -- he dealt with it prior to you guys coming in. So to that point again, thank you for that.

MR. CUMMINGS: I hope you continue to perform well. That's not a guarantee. You know, when you're -- you look over a seven year period you're going to have two really good years. You're going to have some mediocre years. You're going to have the bad year. It's going to happen. But, you know, use the monies that are returned, build up a reserve. And when that bad year comes you're ready to fund that. But it will turn around again. It always comes back to the mean.

You're doing a very prudent thing by taking more of -- you're taking it into your hands and you're not just letting a carrier just give you increases every year and not explain why that's happening. Thank you very much.

MR. MCHALE: Thank you.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Thank you.
MR. HALLINAN: Thank you. Good night.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Prior to public comment which is agenda item number four, there will be an addition to the agenda. It will be scheduled at 9.1. And it will follow number nine. That will deal with the SSA sale review.

At a prior meeting Council had voted to request that the Scranton Sewer Authority request the Auditor General to review certain portions and particulars of the transaction sale as set from SSA to Pennsylvania American Water.

Mr. Dempsey made a very specific motion at the Scranton Sewer Authority as Dunmore's representative that did not pass with the majority of the vote. So it fell to the wayside. So the next step that has been discussed is to have the Attorney General's Office review the particulars of sale and compliance with the SSA sale agreement. So that will be 9.1. And Mr. Dempsey will handle that. Number four public comment on agenda --

MR. DEMPSEY: And, Tom, can we go there, can we add a 9.2?
ATTY. CUMMINGS: Sure.

MR. DEMPSEY: And that would be motion to ask or send a letter to the SSA that they reconsider their stance on allowing the Auditor General to come in and review the sale.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: That letter would be from Council?

MR. DEMPSEY: Yes.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Okay. Sure. That will be 9.2. And now it is number four, public comment on agenda items.

MR. MCHALE: Anybody like to address Council tonight, please come up and state your name for the record? Name and address for the record, please. Anybody?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: Oh, I'm sorry, I apologize. It's been a long day -- on agenda items only, I apologize. Tom, seeing none.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Seeing none, number five is a motion to approve the minutes.

MR. DEMPSEY: I'll make that motion.

MR. VERRASTRO: Second.

MR. MCHALE: I have a motion and a second. On the question.
MR. MCHALE: All those in favor signify by saying aye.

ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

MR. MCHALE: Opposed?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: The ayes have it and so moved.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Item number six is a motion to approve and pay the open bills.

MR. BURKE: I'll make that motion.

MS. SCRIMMALLI: I'll second that.

MR. MCHALE: I have a motion and a second. On the question.

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: All those in favor signify by saying aye.

ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

MR. MCHALE: Opposed?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: The ayes have it and so moved.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Item number seven is a motion to approve the assignment of combined sewer/storm water line easements. In
1968, the Borough assigned all of their easements for -- to combine storm/sewer system and everything impertinent thereto to the Scranton Sewer Authority.

And that what was conveyed to Pennsylvania American Water, the combined system. In doing the research, they found four easements that were either subsequent to 1968 or had not been properly assigned to the Sewer Authority in the bulk transaction although legally and equitably they did belong to the Sewer Authority and thus were conveyed to Pennsylvania American Water.

So this list of three easements, one is the sewer line that actually goes under this property; one is the sewer line that the Borough Building that came from the SSA and two other similar ones that we -- there's no value to them. The maintenance would be a liability. And this simply clears up that title question.

MR. MCHALE: I'll look for a motion.

MR. HALLINAN: I'll make that motion.

MR. DEMPSEY: Second.

MR. MCHALE: I have a motion and a
second. On the question.

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: All those in favor signify by saying aye.

ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

MR. MCHALE: Opposed?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: The ayes have it and so moved.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Item number eight is a motion to amend the Scranton-Abington's Planning Association known as SAPA, Intergovernmental Cooperative Implementation Agreement. This amendment to Section 7 of the existing agreement extends the review period for an additional two years, expiring on November 20, 2019.

MS. SCRIMALLI: On the question.

MR. MCHALE: Well, I'll look for a motion first.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Oh, I'm sorry.

MR. MCHALE: Do you make a motion, Carol?

MS. SCRIMALLI: I'll make the motion.
MR. MCHALE: Do I have a second?
MR. AMICO: I'll second it.
MR. MCHALE: I have a motion and a second. On the question.
MS. SCRIMALLI: On the question, sorry about that. The Scranton Abington Planning Commission Association has many benefits. And one of them that is addressing tonight is going to afford us to actually amend our ordinances or update our ordinances for very low cost.

The cost should be just under $6,000. And that's because there is grant monies available to members of the association that wouldn't be available if we weren't part of this. So that's one benefit. And there will be other benefits coming down the pike.

And if you guys have any other questions or if you want to know more about the Scranton Abington Planning Association, just let me know and I could help you with that.

MR. MCHALE: Just quickly on the question, I want to thank -- pubically thank Carol. She worked on this SAPA Committee for it has to be four years, Carol, correct?
MS. SCRIMALLI: At least, yes, maybe even more.

MR. MCHALE: It's good to see it finally coming to fruition that, you know, a good opportunity to combine resources of all of these municipalities. And Carol's been our lead person for a long time. So thank you, Carol, for everything you've done.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Thank you.

MR. MCHALE: Anybody else on the question?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: All those in favor signify by saying aye.

ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

MR. MCHALE: Opposed?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: The ayes have it and so moved.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Item number nine is a motion to adopt Resolution Number 2017-1 authorizing submission to the Municipal Assistance Program and committing municipal resources in the amount of $5,935.44 as a match to the grant.
MS. SCRIMALLI: I'd like to make that motion.

MR. DEMPSEY: Second.

MR. MCHALE: I have a motion and a second. On the question.

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: All those in favor signify by saying aye.

ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

MR. MCHALE: Opposed?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: The ayes have it and so moved.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Item number 9.1 is a motion regarding SSA sale review by the Attorney General's Office.

MR. DEMPSEY: I'll make that motion.

MR. BURKE: Second.

MR. MCHALE: I have a motion and a second. On the question.

MR. DEMPSEY: Briefly on the question, as many of you know, we -- both Dunmore Council and Scranton Council asked that the Sewer Authority invite the Auditor General to come in and review the sale of the Sewer
Authority.

The Auditor General had said he would not come in without an invitation from the Sewer Authority. During a meeting as the Borough's representative on the Sewer Authority, I made that motion during a meeting and that motion failed unfortunately.

So we believe this to be the next step asking the Attorney General to come in and review the sale. It's certainly not insinuating that there was anything criminal wrongdoing. But the public has questions that they would like answered by a neutral third party.

And, unfortunately, they did not allow the Auditor General to be invited. So whether or not this is in the Attorney General's job description or job title, I don't know. But I think it's important that we send that letter.

MR. MCHALE: Anybody else on the question?

MR. BURKE: Yes, on the question, I've called Billy Gaughan on this. He made the motion for Scranton to have it examined by the
Attorney General. And I agree with Scranton Council on that. He said it was also their Solicitor's advice that would be the next step to have the Attorney General examine the Sewer Authority deal. That's all I have on that.

MR. MCHALE: Anybody else on the question?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: All those in favor signify by saying aye.

ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

MR. MCHALE: Opposed?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: The ayes have it and so moved.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Item 9.2 is a motion to issue correspondence to the Scranton Sewer Authority from Dunmore Borough Council requesting that they reconsider their decision to have the Auditor General review the particulars of that transaction.

MR. DEMPSEY: I'll make that motion.

MR. BURKE: Second.

MR. MCHALE: I have a motion and second. On the question.
MR. DEMPSEY: On the question without repeating myself, just we would like to send them a letter -- the Sewer Authority Board members asking them to reconsider their stance to review the sale.

MR. MCHALE: Anybody else on the question?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: All those in favor signify by saying aye.

ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

MR. MCHALE: Opposed?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: The ayes have it and so moved.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Next item is personnel program that would be hiring for the Summer Program and Summer Borough grass and lawn maintenance work.

The motion would be for grass cutters:

A. Mark DeLuccie.
B. Corey Frick.
C. Jake Makowski.
D. Matthew Murray.
ATTY. CUMMINGS: For the Summer Program subject to proper clearances being received from the Dunmore Police Department and other officials that they are allowed to work with children:

A. Jack Boland.
B. Nikolaos Boniello.
C. Kylie Brazil.
D. Sylvia Hartshorn.
E. Carey Kayleigh.
F. Cordaro Ross.
G. Kelly Czankner.
H. Paul Taylor.
I. Gianna DePietro.
J. Alec DeSando.
K. Mark Finan.
L. Richard Grippi.
M. Sam Hanni.
N. Colin Holmes.
O. Megan Hartshorn.
P. Connor McLaine.
Q. William McHale.
R. Nicholas Maldonato.
S. Ariel Matticks.
T. Allie Olivetti Meyers.
U. Margo Bonin
V. Matthew Murphy.
W. Kayleigh Semion.
Z. Nicolo Summa.

MR. MCHALE: I'll look for a motion.
MS. SCRIMALLI: I'll make that motion.

MR. VERRASTRO: Second.

MR. MCHALE: On the question. Just as a matter for the public the -- we are proposing that the -- obviously subject to all the clearances, the programs -- the summer programs start the 26th of June and run for -- Vito -- for six, seven weeks?

MR. RUGGIERO: I think six weeks.

MR. MCHALE: Well, six weeks I guess Council could all review that to see if it could go any further allowing the budget. And grass cutters will start as soon as they can because we have a ton of properties now to cut grass and we're way behind in that regard.

Anybody else on the question?
(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: All those in favor signify by saying aye.

ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

MR. MCHALE: Opposed?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: The ayes have it and so moved.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Next item is public comment --

MR. HALLINAN: I have a personnel -- I'm sorry, Mr. Cummings. I'd like to make Nick Scalzo -- move him from part time to full time in the DPW.

MR. MCHALE: Can you make that in the form of a motion, Tom?

MR. HALLINAN: I'd like to make a motion to move Mr. Scalzo from part time to full time in the DPW Department, please.

MS. SCRIMALLI: I'll second that.

MR. MCHALE: I have a motion and a second. On the question.

MR. BURKE: On the question, I would have to vote no because I believe we need somebody with a CDL.
MR. MCHALE: Quickly on the question too, it's my understanding Mr. Scalzo's worked part time for over three years in the DPW. And the three years in the DPW does not include any vacation time. So we appreciate him sticking in there. He's understood to be a very good employee.

So that's just my two cents. And we just had a retirement in the DPW. He is replacing that gentleman who's been with us for 30 years and should probably be recognized as such. So we'll do that at the next meeting. Anybody else on the question?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: All those in favor signify by saying aye.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Aye.

MR. VERRASTRO: Aye.

MR. MCHALE: Aye.

MR. DEMPSEY: Aye.

MR. HALLINAN: Aye.

MR. AMICO: Aye.

MR. MCHALE: Opposed?

MR. BURKE: Opposed.

MR. MCHALE: The motion carries,
6-1, Tom.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Anything else under personnel matters?

MR. HALLINAN: Yes, I would also like to have part-time police officer for summer vacations and people off, Joseph Sherpinskas. I would like that as a motion to make him a part-time police officer.

MR. BURKE: I'll make that motion.

MR. MCHALE: I have a motion and a second. On the question, this just adds to the roster, Tom, correct?

MR. HALLINAN: Correct.

MR. MCHALE: This is one more guy that we could pull as a part time.

MR. HALLINAN: Increases the pool.

MR. MCHALE: Increases the pool, exactly.

MR. DEMPSEY: For the record, subject to the Chief's approval.

MR. MCHALE: That's true, subject to the Chief's background and approval as well.

Anybody else on the question?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: All those in favor
signify by saying aye.

    ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

    MR. MCHALE: Opposed?

    (No response.)

    MR. MCHALE: The ayes have it and so moved.

    ATTY. CUMMINGS: Anything else under personnel?

    (No response.)

    ATTY. CUMMINGS: There being none, next item is public comment.

    MR. MCHALE: I apologize for jumping the gun earlier, but anybody like to address Council on any matter, please come up and state your name for the record. Mr. Duncan, do you want to lead us off?

    MR. DUNCAN: Gary Duncan, 117 Barton Street, Dunmore. I hope all the Council members -- and I know Joe I sent an e-mail out last night. We had a neighborhood walk yesterday. And we did the New York Street, Larch Street, Adams Avenue, Harmony, Ferguson Court. So I hope everybody was able to get the attachments.

    I sent a few of the photographs
along as well. And if you didn't get them let
me know. I have some hard copies of the walk
itself and of the things that we found,
obviously, the photos -- I hope you were able
to get the photos. There was some other
concerns and everything. But I just want to
make sure everybody was in receipt of that.

If you didn't, let me know. I will
certainly get them out to you. A week tonight
which is June the 19th at 7:00, we will have
our June meeting here Dunmore Neighborhood
Watch right here at the Community Center.

I want to thank Tom Hallinan not
from the neighborhood watch but at the
Historical Society, we have a nice group
tonight. First off, you're all certainly
welcome to join us next week at the Dunmore
Neighborhood Watch Group. But the Dunmore
Historical Society is located at Tripp and
Barton Street.

And we're there every Saturday at
9:00 in morning and everybody is welcome to
come in. It's really a $20 a year annual
membership. We have a lot of historical data
there, a lot of photographs from the Borough
going back from when the rail yards and
everything else was still in effect.

And if you like history remotely and
I love history, I think there is such great
stuff archived over there. And I think even if
you just want the to stop in for two or three
minutes and take a look at some of the stuff
that they have.

And Tom was good enough to come over
Saturday and speak a little bit to the group as
well. So I'd encourage everybody to get
involved. I mean, it's us. It's the history
of Dunmore. I hope we'll get to see you there.
Can I announce just a fundraiser that we're
having for somebody?

MR. MCHALE: Sure.

MR. DUNCAN: We have two guys on the
Parade Association who are dying of pancreatic
cancer -- I should say being treated. But the
prognosis don't look good. We're going to have
a fundraiser for those guys. It's just a pasta
dinner and a salad dinner. It's going to be
Tuesday, June the 27th, 2017, from six to nine
at the Waldorf.

There's a thank you for being a
friend Facebook page. Tickets are 20 bucks. This is really for a good cause. Nothing comes back to us. We're taking whatever money we make on that and giving it 50/50 to the family of both of these guys with pancreatic cancer.

So and if you can't do that, do me a favor -- I'm an usher at my church. I'm pretty much a religious guy. If you can't do anything, maybe a couple Our Father's and Hail Mary's for them. I hope to see you all next week at the neighborhood watch meeting and I hope to see you at the History Society as well.

Thanks everybody.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Thank you, Gary.

MR. MCHALE: Thank you.

MR. MURAK: My name is a Ron Murak. I'm not from Dunmore. I'm actually from Tunkhannock. But what I'm here for I talked to Council for the over the last three, four months. We had talked about instituting a Moose lodge in Dunmore. We have done so. We did that in May. We now have 50 members in our organization here in Dunmore.

Again, I'm the administrator in Tunkhannock. I'm also the administrator here
in Dunmore for that lodge. I have told Council about things we do, such as, we purchased some signs. We did this from between the Tunkhannock lodge and the Stroudsburg lodge, neighborhood crime watch, we had talked a little bit about it with your neighborhood watch program, thought it would be a great idea to put up signs, let people know that you people are watching your town and trying to keep things in line.

I know I have given a couple -- Carol has a couple of the signs. I do have a few more back there, somewhere around 16 or 17. But I would like to present them to Council along with the ones in the back from Dunmore Moose Lodge.

MR. DEMPSEY: Thank you so much. We do appreciate it.

MS. SCRIMALLI: We do thank you so much for all you do. Can you just tell just two minutes of what the Moose Lodge does in terms of --

MR. MURAK: The Moose Lodge it's a fraternal organization. We're a community service organization is basically what we are.
We raise money through small games of chance and social supporters we have. We do events. I have a computer which is a child ID computer. We ID children. We give parents thumb drives. It's Amber Alert compatible. It's another part of the organization.

We donate money to baseball, to the Little League, T-ball, whatever, all of that. The school, high school, when we do open a lodge, we donate our hall for the high school for the kids when they do their banquets and things of that sort.

There is no charge for that. We just bring them in and just try to help out the community to donate the services that we offer.

So --

MS. SCRIMALLI: And the history is long.

MR. MURAK: The history goes back to the late 1800s is when the organization was founded. So if you want to know anything about it, Moose Intl dot org and you could find anything you want to about the organization.

MR. DEMPSEY: Where are you located and how would you go about becoming a member?
MR. MURAK: Right now we're meeting at Sport Hill Inn, which is formally Anna Maria's. I know it's changed names. That's where we're meeting now.

MR. DEMPSEY: Who would you contact for membership?

MR. MURAK: You could contact myself. I could give you my number and anybody is welcome.

MR. DEMPSEY: Sure.

MR. MURAK: 570-881-9705 and my name is Ron. Thank you very much.

MR. DEMPSEY: Thank you very much.

MS. SCRIMALLI: Thank you.

MR. MCHALE: Anybody else like to address Council tonight?

(No response.)

MR. MCHALE: Seeing none.

ATTY. CUMMINGS: Public officials.

MR. MCHALE: Mr. Ruggiero, do you have anything tonight?

MR. RUGGIERO: No.

MR. MCHALE: Mr. Cummings?

ATTY. CUMMINGS: No, sir.

MR. MCHALE: Mr. Kearney.
MR. KEARNEY: No.

MR. MCHALE: Chief, I'm sorry, I didn't see you, Buddy.

CHIEF DENAPLES: I have nothing. Thank you.

MR. MCHALE: Mr. Lorince?

MR. LORINCE: Grass cutters, could they start --

MR. MCHALE: They could start tomorrow as soon as you could get them in.

I'm going to go a little bit off the normal thing tonight. I'm going to go first. First and foremost, I apologize for my attire. I was at an outing for my company today. It's been a long day so a couple little slipups that I had tonight, I apologize.

Number two, with Mr. Cummings, I think he left. I once again I wanted to thank him. He kind of went into details so I won't belabor the point. But it's kind of an example that this Council has been very proud of challenging every line item not caring what company is doing what, just challenging every line item and getting the best price for the taxpayer.
And it's paid off to the tune of $407,000. So it's something we're very proud of. The banking is the same way. We've done a ton of stuff there. Our pensions are in line. So I'm not going to -- I talked about that a lot. So I won't bore you with that.

The one thing that I did want to go into that is -- was mentioned in the Scranton Times I believe last Saturday is the Borough's acquisition of the Schautz property, something that we are massively happy about.

To give the details that were not given in the Times, we paid zero for it. It was donated to us from the Schautz Foundation. I'm pretty proud of that because, you know, I think everybody knew that over the past 10, 15 years, it was going to be sold for 1.5, 2 million dollars.

He saw what the possibilities and wanted to return it to the Borough -- the youth of the Borough. He sees the need. So publically we're going to do a proclamation or something to honor Walter Schautz who lives right behind Mr. Grochowski actually.

He's a very great man and his
foundation does a lot of very good work that
don't like a lot of credit for. So we won't
embarrass him as he says. But he's a very
quiet man. So we're going to honor him in a
good way. The plans for that are wide open.

Council has yet to meet on that. A
couple of us have met with a lot of our
representatives to try to get some grant money.
But the overall thought process here is the
town, the kids especially need fields. These
fields have turned out phenomenally.

Vince is very much involved with the
softball, absolutely great. I think our soccer
program is really, really in need of stuff like
that. And our older kids on the baseball end,
Mr. Ruggiero works with a lot.

Although they could use the school,
sometimes it's not always available to them.
It doesn't have lights as Schautz always did.
Schautz as I was quoted was our Yankee Stadium
when I grew up. So I think it's our hope --
it's our dream that we're going to return it to
the place where everybody wants to be again.

And when you drive through Dunmore
and you see the lights on at Schautz, you know
something good is going on up there from, you know, the Scranton Red Socks at Schautz Stadium. The Schautz Teener League we've all played there, either softball or baseball or all of the above.

The playground with the asphalt is still up there. It's still standing. The monkey bars are all there. The merry-go-round still works. It's all up there. It's not in good shape but we are going to do something about it.

Just to give you guys an idea, we had an architect give a rendering of what it could be. It's up here but you could see with the possibility of doing a soccer, baseball, and putting in a new playground and make it a showpiece that it could be. So something we're very proud of and we're going to move forward on in short term.

I'll leave that for everybody to take a look at after the meeting. This is another one that it gives an aerial view of what the property looks like. We own the entire parking lot now, the entire property which is much bigger than we thought.
If you could picture where the playground is in the back, squared off, there's a lot of land that has a ton of trees on that will be knocked down and made green space as well. So thank you again to Walter Schautz and the Schautz Foundation for their commitment to us and seeing the vision that hopefully we can take this back to a field where all the kids both young and old can play for a long, long time.

So that's desperately needed in the Borough. So we're proud to present that to you guys tonight. I think that's all as I'm losing my voice. I'll pass it along to Vince. Do you want to start us off tonight?

MR. AMICO: Yeah, I just want to remind everybody that this Saturday and next Saturday, June 17th and the 24th at the Community Center from nine until noon will be our Electronic Recycling Program in coordination with the county's program.

And I want to stress that you could bring one TV and one computer monitor per household. And we'll also be handing out our recycling containers, one per household. And
when it comes to the monitors and TVs, just please be sure that they are brought to us basically in the condition that you purchased them, meaning they have to be -- the screens have to be intact.

If they came in a cabinet, they have to be in a cabinet. And the cord has to be attached. And that's all I have. Thank you very much for your time. I appreciate it.

MR. MCHALE: Thanks, Mr. Amico.

Mr. Hallinan.

MR. HALLINAN: I just want to say that the Farmer's Market will be starting up June 24th. It will be running every Saturday for 11 weeks from nine to one. We have a wide variety, wine, fruits, vegetables. We have two people that are going to cook, you know, farm to table for us and different meals that they will make and serve that day.

We have blueberries. We have the Blakery which is a gentleman that comes in with all kinds of pastries and fresh breads, Buttercup Farm's fresh eggs and she'll have fruits and vegetables also. And this year what we're going to do too is, we're going to set
aside a space for one stand where it will be
for anybody in the community where a non profit
say Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, you know, Little
League, Dunmore Oilers where they could come
in, set up for the day.

They'll make plans with Vito at the
Borough Building, reserve that day and try to
make some money for their organization rather
than standing out in the street and get
threatened by cars and stuff.

Also I want to thank Mike for --
nobody knows, this was at least a two year
process that he's gone through to try to get
this together and the work that Michael went
through and he doesn't like taking accolades,
but it's been drawn out -- if you knew, the
University tried to get this, Lackawanna
College tried to get it.

He's turned them down and Michael
made this dream come through for the Borough.
What we could do with it, you know, I hope it
becomes a showcase in Northeast PA. And I want
to thank you, Mike, for everything you have
done that on that. And I'm sure everybody else
in the town will too.
And one more thing, Ron, God bless your community and everything that you guys just went through up there. My prayers are with you and I'm sure and everybody on Council. It's a horrible thing up there. God bless your town. Thank you.

MR. MCHAILE: Thanks, Tom. Well said by the way. He speaks for all us. That's well said. Michael.

MR. DEMPSEY: Yeah, I just want to piggyback on your comments, Michael, what we have been able to accomplish, I have been three and a half years. I know you're double that. Timmy and Carol probably double that or at least equal to that.

This new stadium is unbelievable. I have two young kids. I have a seven year old and a four year old that will be able to enjoy that for however many years. In addition to that, we have -- and this is just a few items; added six additional police officers, a million dollar fire truck, a new fire station, LED lights throughout the entire town.

We acquired Schautz Stadium. We added a Canine Unit to the Borough.
Mr. Cummings has explained, you know, we scrutinize every contract and scrutinize all of the insurances that we have. Again, that is another $400,000 that we didn't have -- the health insurance.

We have brand new police cars. We have brand new fire trucks. This was all done in the three and half years I know that I was here and you guys have done a ton more before that.

I know I'm forgetting things. But we've done this without raising taxes. And we've done it within your budget. So, you know, we're pretty proud of that. I can't wait for this field. Thank you, Mike, for all of your hard work on that and also a sincere thanks to Mr. Schautz greatly appreciating above and beyond. So thank you. That's all I have.

MR. DEMPSEY: Mr. Verrastro?

MR. VERRASTRO: Yes, I just want to thank all the planning candidates for coming tonight. We appreciate you guys taking the time. And also, Ron, thank you again for the signs. I can't wait to see them up. That's
it.

MR. MCHALE: Thanks, Sal.

Mr. Burke?

MR. BURKE: Same here, candidates excellent every one of you, really proud of you to come up here and volunteer your time for this great Borough of ours.

Ron, with the Moose, good luck to you. And thank you for coming in and helping our community. Mike, thank you for all the work you did with Schautz. We tried to get Schautz Stadium 14 years ago and we failed. My favorite field. I grew up on that field.

It's as Mike said to us it was my Yankee Stadium. We snuck in there. We played football. We got chased off that field so many times. It's was like a carpet playing on there. I'm really excited about my grandchildren being able to play on there. And I hope I could play on there too if they start an old man's league. I'm really excited about that.

Thanks, Mike. That's a huge asset for our whole area here, the kids soccer -- there's a guy right there I know that is really
excited about the soccer. There you go, Brian. There it is. That's the field, Buddy.

My grandsons will be really excited just as your kids will be and you will. Like I said, thank you, Mike. Excellent job.

MR. MCHALE: Thank you, Tim. Mrs. Scrimalli.

MS. SCRIMALI: Well, I would like to start by thanking you Mike for all the work you did on this. And I think it's going to be a wonderful asset for Dunmore. I also want to thank Mike Cummings. I know he left but what a great job that he and his company is doing for us.

I also want to thank the Naro Family for doing their fundraiser last weekend, what a great job and all who helped with the fundraiser. And also we have a couple dates I would like you to save. I know Gerard Hetman is not here. But he would want us to let you know that the Scranton/Wilkes-Barre Air Show will be August 11th, 12th, and 13th.

And then Sherwood Youth Association is having their festival in August also. It would be the next weekend, the 17th, 18th, and
19th. You may want to keep those dates in mind. I do want to thank the Planning Commission candidates. I thought you were all excellent. Thank you for coming, appreciate your time.

And I appreciate the fact that you want to donate your time to the community. That means so much. Tom, thanks for all the work you did on the Farmer's Market. I can't wait to see it. It's very exciting. It's growing. So that's nice. It's exciting. You got the tree out there?

MR. HALLINAN: Yeah, don't ask where it is.

MS. SCRIMALLI: That's all I have for tonight. Thank you all for coming.

MR. MCHALE: Before we look for a motion to adjourn, just as an announcement, our second meeting of June, July, and August are typically cancelled for the summer. We are going to do that again.

Obviously if something comes up that has to have immediate attention, we can jump it right back on and we'll let everybody know if and when that happens. So our next scheduled
meeting is the 10th of July. And with that, I'll look for a motion to adjourn.

MR. HALLINAN: I'll make that motion.

MR. DEMPSEY: Second.

MR. MCHALE: I have a motion and a second. All those in favor?

ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

MR. MCHALE: We're adjourned.
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