

**ALTOONA CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
FOR THE SOLE PURPOSE MEETING RATIFYING THE POLICE AND
NON-UNIFORM LABOR CONTRACTS
MONDAY – DECEMBER 9, 2013 - 7:00 P.M.
CITY OF ALTOONA TRAINING FACILITY & COUNCIL CHAMBERS
1320 WASHINGTON AVENUE, ALTOONA, PA**

The meeting was recorded by the public access staff and re-broadcast three times over a two week period

CALL TO ORDER – by Mayor Schirf at 7:00 p.m.

SILENT MEDITATION – at the request of Councilman Kelley for a homicide victim, the granddaughter of City of Harrisburg Councilmember Wanda Williams, who was recently shot and killed while standing on her front porch

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL - taken by City Clerk Linda Rickens Schellhammer

Present: Councilmen Butterbaugh, Geis, Haire, Kelley, Neugebauer and Mayor Schirf
Absent: Vice-Mayor Cagle

**ALL PUBLIC COMMENT ON THE RATIFICATION OF THE POLICE AND/OR
NON-UNIFORM LABOR CONTRACTS** - none

RESOLUTIONS

a) approving the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the City of Altoona and the Altoona Police Department, Fraternal Order of Police, Mountain City Lodge #8, for the period from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016 and authorizing Interim City Manager Omar Strohm to execute all documents and the City Clerk to attest to same. (0135-13)

b) approving the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the City of Altoona and AFSCME, AFL-CIO, District Council #83, Local 2188 Union, for the period from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016 and authorizing Interim City Manager Omar Strohm to execute all documents and the City Clerk to attest to same. (0136-13)

the resolutions were read by City Clerk Linda Rickens Schellhammer; the consent vote was taken and passed 6 to 0; Vice-Mayor Cagle was absent

Councilman Kelley thanked the FOP Union and the AFSCME Union

QUESTIONS FROM THE MEDIA ON THE RATIFICATION OF THE POLICE AND/OR NON-UNIFORM LABOR CONTRACTS - media attendance included Bill Kibler, *Altoona Mirror* and Steve Willet, WRTA

ADJOURNMENT – Council went into Executive Session at 7:12 p.m. for real estate matters and no further business was voted on; the meeting was adjourned by Mayor Schirf at 7:30 p.m.