

**CITY OF TRENTON, MICHIGAN
SPECIAL MEETING
April 23, 2010**

After the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, a Special Meeting of the City Council of Trenton, Michigan was called to order by Mayor Brown, at 6:00 p.m. on the above date in the City Hall Council Chambers.

Present on roll call by City Clerk Stack: Mayor Brown, Councilpersons: Baun-Crooks, Gillespie, LeFevre, Taylor, and Teifer.

There being a quorum present, the Council was declared in session.

Absent: Councilwoman McLeod.

Moved by Councilman Taylor, seconded by Councilman Gillespie, to excuse the absence of Councilwoman McLeod.

Carried unanimously.

Other Officers Present: Robert Cady, City Administrator; Wallace Long, City Attorney; Christine Arnoczki, City Controller; Bruce Vick, Fire Chief; Scott Church, Human Resource Specialist; William Lilienthal, Police Chief; and James Nardone, Deputy Police Chief.

MOTION TO RECESS

At 6:04 p.m.

Moved by Councilman Taylor, seconded by Councilman Gillespie, to recess the meeting to go into closed session for the purpose of discussing negotiations.

Carried unanimously.

MEETING RECONVENED

The meeting reconvened at 6:50 p.m.

COMMUNICATIONS

Framework of Letter of Understanding with the Trenton Police Sergeants, Corporals and Patrol Officer's Association / Michigan Association of Police

Moved by Councilman Teifer, seconded by Councilman Taylor, to agree to enter into a Letter of Understanding with the Trenton Police Sergeants, Corporals and Patrol Officer's Association / Michigan Association of Police, with the following terms: The Union agrees to set aside holiday pay as defined in Article XVI, Section 1, of the Collective Bargaining Agreement, from July 1, 2010, to June 29, 2011, with such benefit restored, without retroactivity, on June 30, 2011; The Union agrees to forego the negotiated 1% wage increase scheduled to take effect on July 1, 2010; The City agrees that upon execution of this Letter of Understanding, all layoff notices issued to bargaining unit members will be immediately

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rescinded; The City further agrees that there will be no layoffs from this bargaining unit from the time of execution of this letter of understanding through June 30, 2011; The City also agrees to incorporate language to the effect that any additional budget savings resulting from negotiated concessions and/or retirements will stay within the Police Department budget. More specifically, any negotiated savings from the Police Department will not be transferred or used to offset any other departmental budgets or employee groups. The additional savings, if any, will not be used to offset or reduce any of the negotiated economic concessions.

Carried unanimously.

MOTION TO ADJOURN BY Councilman Taylor, seconded by Councilman Gillespie,
at 6:51 p.m.

APPROVED BY:

GERALD R. BROWN, MAYOR

KYLE F. STACK, CITY CLERK

MINUTES PREPARED BY: Patricia M. Gearhart, Deputy City Clerk
APPROVED ON: _____