

Re-Organization Meeting
January 4, 2010
Minutes

The biennial reorganization meeting of Clarion Borough Council was held on Monday, January 4, 2010, in the Assembly Room of the Clarion Free Library. Mayor Estadt called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Those present included Councilmembers Zerfoss, Vavrek, and Hopkins.

Mayor Estadt welcomed everyone and stated that she had been sworn in this morning at 8:30 a.m. by President Judge James G. Arner. Mayor Estadt then asked for the Certificates of Election from Ms. Leonard, Mr. Walters, and Mr. Noto. Ms. Dédé was absent. The Mayor then administered the Oath of Office to the newly-elected Councilmembers and invited them to take a seat at the table.

Mayor Estadt then called for nominations for President of Council. Mr. Zerfoss nominated Ms. Vavrek and moved that the nominations be closed. Mr. Hopkins asked that Ms. Vavrek be elected by acclamation. Ms. Vavrek was elected by a vote of six yeas.

Mayor Estadt then called for nominations for Vice President of Council. Mr. Hopkins nominated Ms. Leonard. Mr. Zerfoss moved that the nominations be closed. Ms. Leonard was elected by a unanimous vote.

Mr. Hopkins made a motion, seconded by Ms. Leonard that the following appointments be made:

President Pro Tem of Council: Mr. Zerfoss
Vacancy Board: Orv Lerch
Solicitor: Steven French, Esq.
Auditor: Zelenkofske Axelrod
Borough Manager, Secretary, and Treasurer: Nancy Freenock
Borough Assistant Secretary: Linda LaVan

The motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, Mr. Walters made a motion to adjourn the meeting. It was seconded by Mr. Hopkins and carried unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 7:07 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy K. Freenock
Borough Secretary