

The Special Meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Washington was called to order by Mayor Short at 6:30 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Comm. Popper, Tobin, Walsh, Mayor Short, CFO Lifer,
Administrator/Clerk Gallets, Assistant Administrator Burd

MEMBERS ABSENT: Comm. Harmon

Adequate notice of this meeting was sent to The Observer Tribune and The Morristown Daily Record on March 26, 2009 and was posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building on the same date. This meeting is being held at the Washington Township Senior Citizen Center, East Springtown Road, Long Valley, New Jersey. Notices of this meeting were sent, as there were requests.

PUBLIC PORTION

Mayor Short opened the meeting to the public. There being no comments or questions, Mayor Short closed the meeting to the public.

BUDGET DISCUSSION:

2009 MUNICIPAL BUDGET DISCUSSION

First Aid Squad Captain Hagen Sniffen advised the Township Committee that he would continue to search for a used generator for the First Aid Squad Building as opposed to purchasing a new appliance. The funds originally designated for the generator will be removed from the 2009 capital budget.

The overall salary increase for Township employees was discussed in addition to the Municipal Judge's salary.

The Township Committee decided to postpone the introduction of the budget until May 2009, as there are several outstanding issues to be resolved.

The meeting adjourned at 7:40 P.M.

Dianne S. Gallets, Clerk