

**Minutes
City Of Martinsburg
Special City Council Meeting
Friday, May 17, 2013
5:00 P.M.**

With a quorum present, the special session of the Martinsburg City Council was called to order by Mayor George Karos at 5:00 p.m. The following Council Members were present: Donald Anderson, Dennis Etherington, Kevin Knowles, Max Parkinson, Roger Lewis and Jason Baker. Not present was Gregg Wachtel. Also present were: Kin Sayre, City Attorney and Gena Long, City Recorder.

3. Canvass the Saturday, May 11, 2103 Special Police Levy Election

Motion made by Councilman Knowles, seconded by Councilman Baker to set the bond for recount at \$300.00. Motion carried unanimously.

City Recorder, Gena Long, announced the following election results.

Precinct One had twenty-five (25) Election Day votes and four (4) early votes, with twenty-one (21) being for the levy and eight (8) being against. There were no provisional ballots.

Precinct Two had seven (7) Election Day votes and eight (8) early votes, with six (6) being for the levy and nine (9) being against the levy. There were no provisional ballots.

Precinct Five had fifteen (15) Election Day votes and nine (9) early votes with seven (7) being for the levy and seventeen (17) being against the levy. There were no provisional ballots.

Precinct Six had twelve (12) Election Day votes and six (6) early votes with eleven (11) being for the levy and seven (7) being against the levy. There were no provisional ballots.

Precinct Seven had eighteen (18) Election Day votes and ten (10) early votes with fourteen (14) being for the levy and fourteen (14) being against the levy. There were no provisional ballots.

Precinct Eight had twenty (20) Election Day votes and twenty-four (24) early votes with thirty-one (31) being for the levy and thirteen (13) being against the levy. There were no provisional ballots.

Precinct Nine had forty-three (43) Election Day votes and thirty (30) early votes and one (1) absentee vote with fifty-nine (59) being for the levy and fourteen (14) being against the levy. There was one ballot checked neither for nor against the levy. There was one provisional ballot cast by a poll worker working out of precinct.

Motion made by Councilman Etherington, seconded by Councilman Lewis, to count the provisional ballot in Precinct Nine. Motion carried unanimously.

After counting the provisional ballot, there were sixty (60) votes for the levy and fourteen (14) votes against the levy.

Precinct Ten had forty-two (42) Election Day votes and eleven (11) early votes and one (1) absentee vote, with thirty-seven (37) being for the levy and seventeen (17) being against the levy. There were no provisional ballots.

Precinct Eleven had thirty-five (35) Election Day votes and nine (9) early votes and two (2) absentee votes with forty-one (41) being for the levy and five (5) being against the levy. There were no provisional ballots.

Precinct Fourteen had seven (7) Election Day votes and zero (0) early votes with two (2) being for the levy and five (5) being against the levy. There were no provisional ballots.

Precinct Fifteen had two (2) Election Day votes and six (6) early votes with zero (0) being for the levy and eight (8) being against the levy. There were no provisional ballots.

Precinct Seventeen had thirty-one (31) Election Day votes and nine (9) early votes with twenty-four (24) being for the levy and sixteen (16) being against the levy. There were no provisional ballots.

All ballots were accounted for in all precincts and early voting, with one ballot being spoiled.

Precinct seven was hand-counted to meet the state code requirements and was found to be consistent with Election Day tallies.

4. Declare the May 11, 2013 Special Police Levy Election results

Motion made by Councilman Knowles, seconded by Councilman Etherington to declare the May 11, 2013 Special Police Levy Election results. Motion carried unanimously.

It was announced that the results, unless there was a request for a recount, would be certified on Tuesday, May 21, 2013 at 5:00 PM.

5. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned by unanimous consent at 5:40 PM.



Gena Long, City Recorder



George Karos, Mayor