

**MINUTES OF PERKASIE BOROUGH
SPECIAL FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING
SEPTEMBER 29, 2012**

620 West Chestnut Street
Perkasie, Pennsylvania

ATTENDANCE:

Council Member:

Matt Aigeldinger

Stephen Algeo

Florence Frei

Jim Purcell

Jim Ryder

Justin Stottlar

Mayor:

John Hollenbach

Borough Manager:

Daniel P. Olpere

Finance Director:

Joe Berardi

Public Works Director:

Dan Gilbert

The Finance Committee meeting was opened at 9:00AM by Finance Committee Chairman Steve Algeo. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

PUBLIC FORUM

Susan Green of 624 East Walnut Street addressed the Council and thanked the fire company and police department for their timely response to the fire incident at Benfield Mills this past Thursday.

INTRODUCTION

Borough Manager Dan Olpere introduced Council to the budget, stating there currently is no proposed tax increase or electric rate increase for 2013. There was a challenge to balance the budget this year which was largely accomplished by postponing capital projects to future years. Finance Director Joe Berardi then presented a Power Point presentation regarding highlights of the budget.

PUBLIC WORKS BUDGET

Public Works Director Dan Gilbert then reviewed some highlighted items in his budget and addressed Council concerning the need for additional manpower.

POLICE DEPARTMENT BUDGET

Finance Director Joe Berardi also reviewed a Power Point presentation for the police department budget.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 10:42AM.

Daniel Olpere
Borough Manager/Secretary