

**MINUTES OF THE HARDYSTON TOWNSHIP COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON
APRIL 5, 2011**

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Kula at approximately 7:00 P.M. with the opening statement that the meeting had been duly advertised and met all the requirements of the Sunshine Law. Also present were: Deputy Mayor Miller, Councilwoman Hamilton, Councilman Kievit, Councilman Ross, Manager/Deputy Clerk Marianne Smith and Township Attorney Fred Semrau.

SALUTE THE FLAG

AWARD OF APPRECIATION: Police Department - Captain Lee Gordon

Mayor Kula presented a plaque to Captain Lee Gordon in recognition of her years of exemplary service to the Hardyston Township Police Department.

**SWEARING IN CEREMONY: Police Department - Scott Lobban – Lieutenant
Police Department - Rob Yetter - Sergeant**

Mayor Kula administered the oath of office to Scott Lobban for his promotion to Lieutenant and to Rob Yetter for his promotion to Sergeant.

NEW BUSINESS:

- A. Limousine/Operator License Application – Paul Mayol – Core Limousine, Inc., 27 Black Bear Court, Hardyston, NJ

Township Attorney Fred Semrau stated that in order for the applicant to obtain the required vehicle registrations, he first needs to provide the Motor Vehicle Commission with a Limousine/Operator license from the Township. Mr. Semrau stated that it is his recommendation to approve the license subject to the applicant immediately registering the vehicles and demonstrating proof of said registration to the Township within 10 days of approval. Bret Aley, Chief of Police, stated that all of the required paperwork is in order and concurred with Mr. Semrau's recommendation. A motion was made by Kievit to approve the license subject to demonstrating proof of registration to the Township within 10 days of approval, seconded by Ross. All in favor. Motion carried.

- B. 2011 Junkyard/Auto Auction License Renewal – Central Auto Liquidators, Inc.

Aristotle Mirzaian, Esq., Legal Counsel to Central Auto Liquidators, Inc. and Vincenzo Lasorsa, owner of Central Auto Liquidators, Inc. were present at the request of the Township Council. Township Attorney Fred Semrau stated that the paperwork is in order, except for consent from the owner of the property to approve the business license. Township Attorney stated that since the applicant has shown proof through stock ownership certificates that Central Auto Liquidators, Inc. is, in fact, the owner of the business and the premises, no further consent is needed. A motion was made by Ross to approve the license subject to the applicant improving the landscape buffer along the fence line in front of the property by May 15, 2011 and approval of Zoning Officer or Township Engineer, as recommended by the Township Engineer, seconded by Kievit. All in favor. Motion carried.

- C. Appointment of Public Agency Compliance Officer (P.A.C.O.)

Township Manager stated that she is currently the appointed Public Agency Compliance Officer. She further stated that it is her recommendation that since we now have a Qualified Purchasing Agent, it would be more appropriate to appoint him as the Public Agency Compliance Officer. A motion was made by Ross to appoint Grant Rome as the Public Agency Compliance Officer, seconded by Hamilton. All in favor. Motion carried.

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PUBLIC PORTION: A motion was made and seconded to open the meeting to the public. All in favor. Motion carried. No public comment. A motion was made and seconded to close the meeting to the public. All in favor. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT: A motion was made by Ross to adjourn at approximately 7:30 p.m., seconded by Miller. All in favor. Motion carried.

Jane Bakalarczyk, RMC/CMC
Municipal Clerk