

**PUBLIC COMMUNICATION COMMITTEE
MINUTES
October 21, 2009**

The meeting of the Public Communication Committee was called to order at 7:37 p.m. by Chairman Raynard Spaide. Committee members present, in addition to Mr. Spaide, were Keith Endy, Gene Gabel, and ex-officio member Frank Deery.

Also present were Council member Terry Mest, and a concerned citizen.

A motion to approve the minutes of the September 23, 2009 meeting of the committee was made by Mr. Spaide, seconded by Mr. Gabel, and approved.

Unfinished Business

Monthly News Article – Mr. Spaide asked the committee to review the news article and recommend any changes. The article will be referred to Council for authorization to publish.

New Business

There was no new business to conduct.

Other Comments

Mr. Spaide noted some minor updates required to information posted on the borough website. The office staff will review the website and make any corrections or deletions required.

The Chairman called for public comment and recognized Mr. Leister who addressed the committee on the matter of the Comcast Franchise Agreement. Mr. Leister encouraged the members not to execute a long-term contract with Comcast due to the “flux” in the industry. The current Franchise Agreement with Comcast is due to expire in 2011.

There being no further business to conduct a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:47 p.m. was made by Mr. Endy and seconded by Mr. Gabel. The next meeting of the Public Communication Committee is scheduled for Tuesday, November 24, 2009 beginning at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia A. Spaide
Borough Secretary