

**THE HONORABLE BODY
Council Chambers
Municipal Building
North Tonawanda, New York 14120
Tuesday, June 8, 2010
7:18P.M.**

SPECIAL SESSION CALLED TO ORDER BY PRESIDENT SCHWANDT

ROLL CALL

**Present: President Schwandt
Aldermen Andres, Pasiak, Zadzilka, Donovan,**

Absent: None

**Also Present: Mayor Robert G. Ortt
City Attorney Shawn P. Nickerson**

**MOVED by Alderman Andres SECONDED by Alderman Schwandt
To convene a Special Session of the Common Council.**

Ayes: Andres, Pasiak, Zadzilka, Donovan, Schwandt (5)

Nays: None (0)

CARRIED.

#1. Police

June 1, 2010

**Mayor Robert Ortt and
North Tonawanda Common Council
216 Payne Avenue
North Tonawanda, NY 14120**

Honorable Body:

The United States Department of Justice has again opened funding for officers under the COPS Hiring Program. This grant will pay for additional police officers, through a specific plan submitted by the police department, for a period of three years. Officers hired under this program must continue to be funded for a period of twelve months by the hiring agency. We had applied for this funding in 2010 and weren't successful in the initial round.

Notification was received this weekend regarding the relatively short window of opportunity to apply for this grant: June 2 – June 16, 2010. This short window necessitates a council resolution prior to that date for us to apply for the funding.

**Respectfully submitted,
Randy D. Szukala**

**MOVED by Alderman Zadzilka SECONDED by Alderman Andres
That the Common Council hereby authorizes Police Chief Randy D. Szukala to apply for funding for Police Officers under the COPS Hiring Program and authorizes the Mayor or City Clerk-Treasurer to execute the grant on behalf of the Department of Police.**

Ayes: Andres, Pasiak, Zadzilka, Donovan, Schwandt (5)

Nays: None (0)

CARRIED.

ADJOURNMENT

MOVED by Alderman Andres **SECONDED** by Alderman Donovan
That this special session of the Common Council be and hereby is adjourned.
CARRIED.

Time of Adjournment: 7:21P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Scott P. Kiedrowski
City Clerk-Treasurer