

The Croswell City Council met in Special Session January 28, 2009, at Croswell City Hall, 100 N. Howard Ave., Croswell, MI. Mayor Macklem called the meeting to order at 7:30 P.M.

Present: G. Macklem, M. Willis, M. O=Vell, M. McMillan, J. Geiger
Administration: City Administrator Dave Tait, City Clerk Suzanne Dobson
Guests: Electric Supervisor Jack Williams.

I. **BUSINESS:**

a. **Electric Rates:**

Discussion of the electric rates and the information that was presented at the January 19, 2009 meeting from Scott Childs of DaCott Energy. Electric Supervisor Jack Williams submitted a rate comparison of other municipalities from 2006 and the City of Croswell was the 9th best rate at that time. Others have had increases since, the City of Croswell has not. Also rates comparisons from DTE Energy and Consumers Energy.

Scott has also recommended raising the ready to serve charge that is built into the rate.

Most rates will be a 10% increase some may be higher or lower due to the new structure of the rate.

Industrial is 62% of the electric load; Commercial is 21%; Residential 17%.

Consensus of Council is to increase the rates approximately 10%. Hold the public hearing on Tuesday, February 17th.

Place on the next agenda Electric or Utility Committee.

b. **EMS Director Employment Agreement:**

City Administrator Tait presented a job description for an EMS Director.
Discussion of the current Director's work performance and proposed contract.

Place on the February 2nd agenda EMS Director job description and contract.

II. **ADJOURNMENT:**

With no further business Mayor Macklem adjourned the meeting.
Meeting adjourned at 9:45 p.m.

Suzanne Dobson, CMC
City Clerk

Gary Macklem, Mayor