

Special membership meeting of Holy Shoghagat Parish Council was called to order by chairman Zabelle Vartanian and let in prayer by Deacon Manoog. The meeting was held in the office of the American Cancer Society, 10200 West Main Street, Belleville, Illinois with twenty-seven members present.

The following reports were presented:

Deacon Manoog on the Diocesan Assembly

Finance Committee treasurer, Harry Vartanian reported a total of \$19,329.05 on hand August 31 and a mortgage balance of \$16,699.32. The accounts at Illini Federal and Southern Illinois National Bank are under the withdrawal signatures of Harvey Noubarian and Harry Vartanian.

Hrant Norsegian chairman Finance committee explained the function of his committee and progress made to date. Suggestions and discussion followed on various ways to raising the funds needed for our building program.

Len Mooradian, chairman Architectural Committee, reported that the State Highway department had offered to buy our land for \$16,050. Discussion followed. Approval was given for the committee to use it's own good judgement on the best "deal" offered.

Discussion was also held on the type of possible construction to be put up for our religious home. The consensus was to build an "over-under" type building.

As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned in prayer led by Deacon Manoog.

Respectfully submitted,

*Liberty Tourjigian*  
Liberty Tourjigian, Secretary  
Parish Council

Signatures, Parish Council Members

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*Zabelle N. Vartanian*  
*Charles Tavorogian*  
*Charlotte Tatorian*  
*Mike Bohagian*  
*Armen Norsegian*  
*Helen Nersesian*  
*Liberty Tourjigian*