

Minutes of the Public Hearing for the approval of the New Zoning Book held December 8, 2020, by computer Zoom conference call, commencing at 5:30 P.M.

Present by Zoom: Dr. Guy Ruoff, Supervisor
Neeca Root, Councilwoman
Louis Martin, Councilman

Recording Secretary: Tamara Congdon, Town Clerk

Other Present: Daniel J. Ellis II, Town, Attorney
Russ Phelps, Court Justice
Teri Phelps, Court Justice Clerk

Town Residents: Shirley Clark
Paula Arnold

Supervisor Guy Ruoff opened the meeting with the pledge of allegiance and asked for a moment of silence for Councilman Andrew Fuller. Supervisor Guy Ruoff spoke of Councilman Fuller's long history with the town and how he will be greatly missed. He also asked that the park remain in Councilman Andrew Fuller's name.

Supervisor Ruoff explained he wanted to have a couple of more eyes proofread it before sending to the county for approval.

Town Attorney Dan Ellis asked that the Board read it over and make sure they know what laws they are passing.

No Public Comments

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Scott held December 8, 2020, by computer commencing at 6:00 P.M.

Zoom meeting was held because of the Covid-19 pandemic.

Present by Zoom: Dr. Guy Ruoff, Supervisor
Neeca Root, Councilwoman
Louis Martin, Councilman
Trevor Adams, Councilman

Recording Secretary: Tamara Congdon, Town Clerk

Other Present: Daniel J. Ellis II, Town, Attorney
David Putnam, HWY Superintendent
Kevin Fitch, District 8, County Legislator
Russ Phelps, Court Justice
Teri Phelps, Court Justice Clerk

Town Residents: Shirley Clark
Paula Arnold

The Regular meeting of the Town of Scott was called to order at 6:00 pm by Supervisor Dr. Guy Ruoff and followed with the Pledge of the Allegiance.

Legislator Report: Present but signed off before speaking.

Approval of December 2020 Minutes:

Councilwoman Neeca Root made a motion to approve the September minutes and was seconded by Councilman Trevor Adams. All in favor, none opposed, the motion carries.

Approval of Abstracts #12:

Councilwoman Neeca Root made a motion to approve the General Abstract #12 totaling \$5,548.51 and was seconded by Councilman Trevor Adams. All in favor, none opposed, the motion carries.

Councilwoman Neeca Root made a motion to approve the Highway Abstract #12 totaling \$8,915.97 and was seconded by Councilman Trevor Adams. All in favor, none opposed, the motion carries.

Councilwoman Neeca Root made a motion to approve the Water Abstract #12 totaling \$626.69 and was seconded by Councilman Trevor Adams. All in favor, none opposed, the motion carries.

Town Supervisor (Treasurer) Report:

Councilman Trevor Adams made a motion to accept the November Supervisors Reports and was seconded by Councilman Louis Martin. All in favor, none opposed, the motion carries.

Town Clerk Monthly Report:

Councilwoman Neeca Root made a motion to accept the November Clerk Reports and was seconded by Councilman Trevor Adams. All in favor, none opposed, the motion carries.

Revenue:

Dog License	\$ 15.00
Building Permits	\$336.00
Sub-Division Fees	\$150.00
Boat Launch Donations	\$ 87.00
DECALS	\$254.00
Variance Application Fee	\$100.00
Total Revenue	\$942.00

Disbursements:

Paid to the Supervisor	\$699.98
Paid to the NYSDAM for the ACP	\$ 2.00
DECALS	\$240.02
Total Disbursements	\$942.00

CEO Report:

Building Permits:

1. Mr. Donnelly- 613 Long Road- Storage Barn- \$192.00
2. Mr. Sweet- Glen Haven Road- Storage Barn- \$117.00 Note: I credited Mr. Sweet the \$100 ZBA fees that he paid in March because of no action from the ZBA on the application.

Zoning Complaints:

1. Fair Haven Road for 2 structures too close to the road and blocking the lake views. These were both approved by the ZBA and are legal building permits. I had complaints on these as one is a seasonal Cottage, and the other is a storage garage. No zoning issue with Town.

Supervisor Guy Ruoff state we are all going to miss Kim Fairchild and thanked him for his many years of service to the Town.

Highway Report:

They have been busy plowing and salting the roads.

Park:

Town Clerk Tamara Congdon told the Board, Councilman Andrew Fuller had turned into her \$87.00 for the Boat Launch Donations. That brings the total for the year to \$9,477.84.

Old Business:

Supervisor Guy Ruoff explained he had received a Quote from Richard Maricle for replacing the siding at the pump house. He will be replacing the existing siding with steel siding for the cost of \$1,975.00.

Town Attorney Dan Ellis said that he is writing up a letter to both parties asking them to both pay half of this quote. If they do not pay the Sergeant that filled the claim will go forward with the prosecution.

Supervisor Guy Ruoff asked if anyone had any discussion about the Solar Resolution. Town Lawyer Dan Ellis told the Board they would need to come up with a price per wattage for the resolution. Supervisor Ruoff is going to look into this.

Attorney Dan Ellis advised the Town Board to start working on the Emergency Pandemic Plan.

Supervisor Guy Ruoff said he would look at some of the other town's plans. Councilwoman Neeca Root said if they gave her some guild lines she would write something up.

New Business:

Town Clerk Tamara Congdon asked if they could make a list for the Grant Writers Thoma in hopes to get some playground equipment and possibly some help with the water system at County Acres Park. The Board will be looking into this for next month.

Supervisor Guy Ruoff added a picture to his PowerPoint showing the property damage at the town turnaround on his property. He has had to call the police twice. Trespassers have torn down his posted signs, left garbage, and dug up the stone that the town had put there. He asked Highway Superintendent David Putnam if he could put up two metal signs in this area. Superintendent Putnam said he had a guy that makes his sign, and he will get them to put up.

Adjournment:

Councilman Trevor Adams. motioned to adjourn the meeting at 6:50 pm and was seconded by Councilwoman Neeca Root. All in favor, none opposed, the motion carries.

Supervisor Dr. Guy Ruoff thanked everyone for logging in and their input.