

The regular monthly meeting, of the Town Board of the Town of Livingston, County of Columbia, and the State of New York was held at the town hall, 119 County Route 19, Livingston, NY on the 11th day of February, 2021.

Present:

Supervisor James Guzzi
Deputy Supervisor Will Yandik
Councilperson William Bender
Councilperson Phil Massaro
Councilperson Thomas Shumsky

Supervisor Guzzi opened the meeting with the pledge to the flag, at 7:00 p.m.

Resolution # 39

Motion to approve the monthly minutes

A motion was made by Deputy Supervisor Yandik, seconded by Councilperson Bender, to approve the minutes of the February monthly town board meeting.

Votes: 5 Ayes, 0 No

Communications: None

Supervisor's Report

The following reports were read by Supervisor Guzzi:

Town Supervisor

Town Clerk- Total local shares remitted to town of \$5402.61 for January

Highway- Cut dead trees along roads, hauled sand, grinded stumps, snow and ice operations

Building Dept- 9 permits, 0 C/O, 3 Abstract C/O's, 0 Mobile Home. 0 Fire Violations, 0 Fire Inspections \$ 5,429.30 month-Total \$5,429.30 The Code Enforcement Officer submitted a report on Fire Inspections completed for 2020.

Dog Control- no report

Assessor- 21 hours, 3 parcel transfers, 6 building permits processed, 36 calls. Exemption forms are out and being returned. The deadline is March 1st.

Resolution # 40

Motion to approve the monthly reports as read

A motion was made by Councilperson Shumsky, seconded by Councilperson Massaro to approve the monthly reports as read.

Votes 5 Ayes, 0 no

Old Business

Deputy Supervisor gave an update on Twin Lakes and said that a grant had been submitted through the Columbia County Land Conservancy for \$500 for environmentally inclined projects, to cover lab fees for the water quality testing that is going to be done.

New Business

The Town board discussed updating the Code of ethics and adopting one based on the resolution that Columbia County has adopted.

Resolution # 41

Motion to adopt an updated Code of Ethics

A motion was made by Councilperson Shumsky, seconded by Councilperson Bender to adopt an updated Code of Ethics, a copy of which is to be posted publically in the Town Hall Lobby on the Official Bulletin Board.

Votes 5 Ayes, 0 no

Committee Reports

Buildings- no report

Senior Citizens Advisory Council- The Elizaville Nutrition site is still closed due to Covid-19 numbers.

Planning and zoning- no report

Ethics- no report

Highway- as per the supervisor's report

Communications- no report

Office Support- no report

Historian- History Barn has re opened. The Historian and his deputies filmed and interviewed Deputy Supervisor Yandik.

County Environmental Management- no report

Emergency Management- no report

Special Projects- no report

Twin Lakes: no report

Audit Committee:

Resolution # 42

Motion to pay bills

A motion was made by Councilperson Massaro, seconded by Councilperson Bender, to pay the bills as presented.

8-20 Highway

19-46 General

Vote 5 Ayes, 0 No

Public Comment

Councilperson Shumsky commended the Livingston Fire Dept. for their work at a structure fire on Snyderville Rd recently.

Deputy Supervisor Yandik thanked Supervisor Guzzi for his family's business that has been in the Town for 40 years and that will soon be closing.

Fire Chief Jahns requested that a tree at North Twin Lakes, in the way of their trucks getting to the water, be removed, for easier access.

Resolution # 43

Motion to adjourn the meeting

A motion was made by Councilperson Bender, seconded by Deputy Supervisor Yandik to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:26 pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Tammy Molinski

Town Clerk

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