

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 8th day of April, 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 # 49

Motion to approve the monthly minutes

A motion was made by Councilperson Shumsky, seconded by Councilperson Massaro, to approve the minutes of the March 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 \$3325.06 for March

Highway- Sweeping roads, patching blacktop roads and dirt roads, painted and removed wings, did the front brakes on the water truck, and did storm clean up from winds

Building Dept- 8 permits, 0 C/O, 8 Abstract C/O's, 2 Mobile Home. 0 Fire Violations, 0 Fire Inspections, 0 Weddings \$ 3463.43 month-Total \$10,412.73

Dog Control- no report

Assessor- 31 hours, 18 parcel transfers, 12 building permits processed, 17 calls. Getting ready for the tentative tax roll in May and Grievance Day.

Resolution # 50

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

The Town is working on a pass program for town residents for using the North Twin Lakes park area for summertime. It would be free for town residents and there would be a lottery for non residents to get a pass for \$165 for the season and another lottery for \$25 seasonal passes for fishermen to be able to fish at certain times of the day. The board decided to amend the hours open to 10 am to 7 pm. The tree that is blocking access for fire apparatus still needs to be removed and it will be looked into.

The Summer Youth Program will not be operating this year but they may do another virtual one. Renovation work has started on the rec park building.

Requests are being worked on for putting in an updated phone system for the town hall building.

New Business

Resolution # 51

Motion to approve section 284 of Highway Law in relation to the CHIPS program for the Highway Dept in the amount of \$186,414.50 for Roads commencing at CR 19 leading to lower development at Twin Lakes

A motion was made by Deputy Supervisor Yandik, seconded by Councilperson Bender, to approve section 284 of Highway Law for the CHIPS Program for the Highway Dept in the amount of \$186,414.50 for Roads commencing at CR 19 leading to lower development at Twin Lakes. A roll call vote was taken:

Supervisor James Guzzi-Aye

Deputy Supervisor Will Yandik-Aye

Councilperson William Bender-Aye

Councilperson Phil Massaro-Aye

Councilperson Thomas Shumsky-Aye

Resolution # 52

Motion to support the Columbia County Board of Supervisors adopting a Local Law allowing youth hunters ages 12-13 to hunt deer with a firearm or crossbow, under supervision of an experienced adult hunter

A motion was made by Councilperson Massaro, seconded by Councilperson Bender to support the Columbia County Board of Supervisors adopting a Local Law allowing youth hunters ages 12-13 to hunt deer with a firearm or crossbow, under supervision of an experienced adult hunter.

Resolution # 53

Motion to hold a public hearing at 6:45, May 13th prior to the regular Town Board meeting to change the date of Grievance Day to the second Thursday following the fourth Tuesday of May commencing in 2021.

A motion was made by Councilperson Shumsky, seconded by Deputy Supervisor Yandik to hold a public hearing at 6:45, May 13th prior to the regular Town Board meeting to change the date of Grievance Day to the second Thursday following the fourth Tuesday of May commencing in 2021.

Votes 5 Ayes, 0 no

Committee Reports

Buildings- no report

Senior Citizens Advisory Council- no report

Planning and zoning- no report

Ethics- no report

Highway- as per the supervisor's report

Communications- no report

Office Support- no report

Historian- The Historian is working with his deputy, Michael, teaching him some of the basics in regards to the history of the town and the historian's role.

County Environmental Management- no report

Emergency Management- no report

Special Projects- no report

Twin Lakes: no report

Audit Committee:

Resolution # 54

Motion to pay bills

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

30-35 Highway

69-91 General

Vote 5 Ayes, 0 No

Public Comment

Fire Chief Jahns said he has a date for a class board members can take in regards to emergency management coming up the end of May, early June timeframe. He also asked if it can be arranged for the planning board/ZBA to make more use of the projector at their meetings.

Resolution # 55

Motion to adjourn the meeting

A motion was made by Councilperson Bender, seconded by Councilperson Massaro to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:31 pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Tammy Molinski

Town Clerk

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