

Present: Mayor Bill Murphy, Trustees Don Hackett, Jeannine Mayer, Patrick Landewe, Terry Parisian, Vince Buono and Brian Martin  
Others: Robert Ford, Willy Neumann and others

Mayor Murphy called the Village Board to order at 5:00pm. Trustee Mayer led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Privilege of the Floor

Willy Neumann advised the Board that he has observed trucks rounding the turn at the corner of Main and Market traveling too fast. He is afraid someone will eventually get hurt. He wonders if signage can be posted. Mayor Murphy said he has never witnessed trucks going too fast in that area. Willy replied this occurs between 7:30am and 8:30am. The Mayor said he would ask Police Chief Sinagra to monitor the area.

Mayor Murphy presented the Minutes of November 18, 2013. Motion was made by Trustee Buono, seconded by Trustee Hackett, to approve the minutes. Carried unanimously.

Trustee Buono presented the Abstract for December 2, 2013: General - \$404,289.78; Water - \$50,644.14; Wastewater - \$67,865.62. Motion was made by Trustee Martin, seconded by Trustee Hackett, to approve the Abstract. Carried unanimously.

Trustee Martin reported all is quiet in the Water Department. Everything back to normal on the Tree Commission.

Trustee Buono had nothing to report.

Trustee Parisian reported that the tree will go up tomorrow. Please do not put any more leaves in the street – all leaf pick up will be completed by December 6<sup>th</sup>. Mayor Murphy advised the Board that this year's tree is being donated by Mike and Nancy Campbell; J&J Tree Service offered their help for removal and set up of the tree. Trustee Parisian also advised residents that overnight parking rules go into effect the night of December 14<sup>th</sup>.

Trustee Landewe had nothing to report.

Trustee Mayer participated in the Advent Walk on December 1<sup>st</sup>. Holiday in the Village is December 8<sup>th</sup> from 12noon to 600pm. Tree lighting at Seamon Park is at 500pm. Lezette's will provide bus transportation from Sawyer Savings Bank to Seamon Park for the event. Mayor Murphy asked that the DPW provide extra trash receptacles. The Chamber meeting is December 18<sup>th</sup>. Holiday lights have been proposed for the bridge over the Esopus – a power source will have to be located – start small and build every year.

Willy Neumann spoke again saying he would like to create a sculpture of a water chestnut located at the Village Beach. Mayor Murphy asked him to return to the Board with a detailed plan. Willy also said he wants to be “a cheerleader” for the Village. He will work with the schools to get students involved.

Trustee Hackett met with Johnson Controls. Topics for the Wastewater Department included energy inspections, Main Street broken sewer line, rebuilding heating arc in main plant sewer building. Topics for the Fire Department included confined space and safety grants. Grant writer Victor Cornelius and Chief Mason are working on a FEMA grant for a new truck. Trustee Hackett attended a meeting along with Water Super Mike Hopf on new water meters. Saugerties Emergency Services Association would like to build a 3 story tall concrete and steel training building on DPW property on North Street. The next Association meeting is January 8<sup>th</sup> 700pm at the Saxton Fire House. The Board requests more info regarding the training building.

Motion was made by Trustee Hackett, seconded by Trustee Martin, to adjourn. Carried. The Board adjourned at 5:30pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Helene King  
Treasurer

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