

VILLAGE OF SAUGERTIES 43 PARTITION STREET, SAUGERTIES, N.Y. 12477

Year End Village Board Meeting Minutes May 28, 2020

Due to COVID19 pandemic and the Governor's Executive Order 202 regarding open meetings, this meeting was held via Webex. Connection information was broadcast online for residents to participate.

Present: Mayor Bill Murphy, Deputy Mayor Jeannine Mayer, Trustees Brian Martin, Don Hackett, Terry Parisian, Treasurer Paula Kerbert

Mayor Murphy called the Village Board meeting to order at 11:00 am.

Mayor Murphy presented the Year End Abstract for May 28, 2020:

General \$ 20,303.42
 Water \$ 3,805.06
 Wastewater \$ 5,215.29

Trustee Hackett made a motion to approve the Abstract for May 28, 2020, seconded by Deputy Mayor Mayer to approve the Abstract. All in favor and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Murphy reported that there has been a positive case of COVID19 in the DPW department. The results were received late yesterday. All Ulster County Health Department guidelines are being followed. The DPW department is closed and all DPW employees are required to contact their doctor and get a COVID19 test within the next 2 days. The DPW buildings and all equipment will be professional cleaned and sanitized. The representative from UCHD will be contacting the positive employee to conduct tracing of contacts. Once the results are back from the DPW employees, if all test results are negatives the department will be able to reopen, or if any positive results, the department will have to close for two weeks while the employees quarantine. The Town of Saugerties DPW is willing to cooperate and will be available for any work that needs to be addressed immediately.

Trustee Parisian stated that employees should sign off before reporting back to work.

Mayor Murphy stated that the employees may have to be tested again in two weeks and monitor results. The County DOH representative and Town Supervisor have been a big help with handling this situation.

The update on the 4th of July parade was discussed. The possibility of having a truck parade was considered. Any parade that was held would attract more crowds which pose a health and safety issue. Mayor Murphy, Chief Singara and a representative from Ulster County are scheduled to have a telephone meeting to discuss any possibilities of what type of parade or celebration to have that would not put the participants, spectators and law enforcement at risk. Safety of everyone is the main concern.

Deputy Mayor Mayer questioned if the Board wanted to participate in the Historical Society annual calendar fundraiser. The Board can choose a photo and month. Paula stated that the \$125 is available in the community funds budget.

Deputy Mayor Mayer made a motion to take the \$125 from community funds for the Historical Society annual calendar fundraiser. Trustee Hackett seconded a motion to take the \$125 from community funds for the Historical Society annual calendar fundraiser. All in favor and the motion carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Trustee Hackett to adjourn, seconded by Deputy Mayor Jeannine Mayor. The motion carried unanimously. The Village Board Meeting adjourned at 11:20 am.

The next Village Board meeting is June 1 at 5:30pm.

Lisa Mayone Village Clerk

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