Village Board Public Hearing May 4, 2009

Present: Mayor Robert Yerick, Trustees Suzanne LeBlanc, Michael Campbell, Kelly Myers, Bill Murphy, Jeanine Dirie, Richard Moore
Others: students from SHS Government Class, Richard Frisbee, Ron LeBlanc, Maryanne Wrolsen, Alex Wade, Don Hackett, Ed Quirk, Heather Plonchak – New Sau Times, Airel Zanglia – Freeman and others

Mayor Yerick called the Public Hearing to order at 6:45pm. The purpose of the Public Hearing was to receive comment on Local Law #2/2009. This law updates the Village's previous law regarding flood damage prevention. The updates are mandated by FEMA and the NYS DEC.

Alex Wade explained that this law makes it tougher for new construction to be built and locate the 1st floor below the flood plain level. Areas in the Village that will be affected are Lighthouse Drive, Ferry Street, Esopus Creek Drive and a portion of Washburn Terrace. Homeowner insurance rates are also impacted.

There was no one from the public who wished to comment on this law.

Motion was made by Trustee Moore, seconded by Trustee Murphy, to close the Public Hearing. Carried. The Public Hearing was closed at 6:55pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Frank Village Clerk