

February 10, 2016

On February 10, 2016 a regular meeting of the Town Board of Hume, Allegany County, New York was held at 7 PM in the Community Room at the Wide Awake Club Library, 22 N Genesee Street, Fillmore, New York. Officials in attendance were; Town Supervisor Dennis Ricketts; Councilmembers Darlene Mason, and Christopher Austin; Town Attorney Richard Buck; Deputy Clerk Jane Stenzel and Clerk Susan Bodnar.

The meeting was brought to order at 7PM by Supervisor Ricketts by the reciting of the Pledge Allegiance.

MINUTES

Councilman Austin moved to accept the minutes from the January 13, 2016 Board meeting with a correction; Councilman Austin moved to pass Resolution 1 of 2016 and Councilwoman Mason seconded. Councilwoman Mason seconded the correction. 3 ayes. 0 noes.

DOG CONTROL

Dog Control Officer Leslie Clagett was present to request permission from the Board to host a Free Rabies Vaccination Clinic on June 4, 2016 at the Town Pavilion from 10Am to 12PM. Councilman Austin moved to allow the Clinic and Councilwoman Mason seconded. 3 ayes. 0 noes.

Dog Control Officer Clagett said that she would advertise and set up a pre-registration form on her Facebook.

She also wishes to look into a policy or law that would prohibit owners who frequently acquire dogs, do not license them and/or claim them when they are caught running.

WATER/SEWER

Supervisor Ricketts looked into the Septic system problem that occurred at 50 Emerald Street. Ron Pixley explained that an old septic tank was not filled in when the septic tanks were put in for the village years ago. The old tank was not disconnected from the home and when the pumping was done, the newer tank was pumped and the older tank was filled and causing issues. Ron Pixley and John Beardsley disconnected the older tank and filled it in and connected the newer tank to the residence. Councilman Austin moved to pay Joanne Cockle \$275.25 (½ the bill), with the stipulation that any other Sewer emergency like this be handled by the Town. Councilwoman Mason seconded the motion. 3 ayes. 0 noes.

Water/Sewer Operator Scott Willgens talked a little about the price of newer meters that should take the place of those that are now becoming obsolete.

Councilman Austin moved to table the discussion about Water pricing until the next Board Meeting. Councilwoman Mason seconded the motion. 3 ayes. 0 noes.

SUPERVISOR

Supervisor Ricketts motioned to accept Matt Hopkins to serve on the Board of Assessment Review. Councilman Austin seconded the motion. 3 ayes. 0 noes.

Supervisor Ricketts motion to accept Scott McGeorge as a member of the variance committee.
 Councilman Austin seconded. 3 ayes. 0 noes.

Supervisor Ricketts told about a Zoning Consortium meeting that he attended and about new laws that New York State would like the Towns to adopt, these include tougher laws about the number of unlicensed vehicles on a parcel of land; and how to handle code violations move efficiently.

CLERK

Clerk Bodnar shared that Ambit Energy was asking to update the contract with the Town of Hume. Councilman Austin motioned not to renew with Ambit Energy and use Rochester Gas and Electric. Councilwoman Mason seconded. 3 ayes. 0 noes.

BOOKKEEPER

Clerk Bodnar presented a list of Transfers that Bookkeeper Susan Hatch provided for the Board to help her finish bookwork for 2015. After much discussion, Councilman Austin moved to make the transfers. Councilwoman Mason seconded. 3 ayes. 0 Noes.

The transfers are as follows:

General			Highway		
<i>Increase</i>	<i>Decrease</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Increase</i>	<i>Decrease</i>	<i>Amount</i>
A1110.1	A1110.4	.02	DA5120.4	DA5110.1	16515.99
A1315.1	A1315.4	67.27	DA5120.4	DA5112.2	17697.97
A1315.1	A1220.4	26.00	DA5120.4	DA5131.2	14730.48
A1315.1	A1010.4	50.00	DA9030.8	DA9010.8	1237.90
A1315.1	A1110.4	396.44	DA9060.8	DA9010.8	6326.29
A1355.4	A1330.4	150.00	Sidewalks		
A1420.4	A1410.2	315.22	SM5142.1	SM5142.14	1085.70
A1910.4	A1920.4	192.39	SM5410.1	SM5410.14	.08
A1950.4	A1920.4	58.27	Water		
A3120.1	A3120.4	422.60	SW8310.1	SW8310.4	568.14
A6989.4	A5182.4	500.00	SW8320.41	SW8320.4	35237.82
A7310.4	A7310.1	29.99	SW8320.41	SW8320.2	4000.00
A7310.4	A7510.2	240.00	SW8320.41	SW8320.2E	1000.00
A7310.4	A7510.4	42.01	SW8320.41	SW8310.4	4829.85
A7110.4	7110.14	1881.45	SW8320.41	SW8320.44	1760.00
A7110.4	7110.1	.04	SW8320.41	SW8340.1	6560.25
A7110.4	7110.2	1000.00	SW8320.41	SW8340.14	3500.50
A7110.4	A8810.1	1300.00	SW8320.41	SW8340.4	2067.58
A7110.4	A8810.4	870.77	Sewer		
A9050.8	A9010.8	1154.27	SS8110.4	SS8120.2E	1565.62
A9060.8	A9010.8	345.73	SS8120.46	SS8120.2E	156.52
A9060.8	A9030.8	1564.78	SS8130.1	SS8120.1	874.75
A9060.8	A9035.8	327.23	SS8130.14	SS8130.1	937.30
A9060.8	A9055.8	36.16	SS8130.4	SS8120.422	7573.55
A9060.8	A9730.6	2822.80	SS8130.46	SS8130.442	1818.20
A9730.7	A9730.6	1037.27	SS9030.8	SS9010.8	435.75
			SS9035.8	SS9010.8	41.40

PARK GRANT

Deputy Clerk Stenzel shared that we are just waiting to hear back from New York State as the final stages of the Parks Grant.

LEGAL

Councilman Austin moved to accept Richardson and Pullen's yearly contract. Councilwoman Mason seconded the motion. 3 ayes. 0 noes.

The Board discussed proposing a Local Law to Prohibit Peddling in the township. Mr. Buck said he will look it.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Supervisor Ricketts motioned to move into Executive Session for Attorney/Client Discussion at 9:00PM. Councilwoman Mason seconded the motion. 3 ayes. 0 noes.

Supervisor Ricketts motioned to move out of Executive Session at 9:25. Councilman Austin seconded. 3 ayes. 0 noes.

BILLS AND REPORTS

Supervisor Ricketts moved to accept all bills and reports as written. Councilwoman Mason seconded. 3 ayes. 0 noes.

AJOURNMENT

Supervisor Ricketts moved to adjourn. Councilwoman Mason seconded. 3 ayes 0 noes.

The next meeting for the Town of Hume Board will be at the Wide Awake Library Club, 22 N Genesee Street, Fillmore, New York 14735 on March 9, 2016 at 7 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Bodnar

Town Clerk

(General- \$14,896.42;Highway- \$19,449.99,Fire Protection -\$233.39, Lighting District #1-320.20, Lighting District #2-\$350.96, Lighting District #3- \$840.12, Sewer District \$2586.87, Consolidated Water District-\$13,224.82)

