

Workshop

Supervisor Landi called the workshop to order at 7:05PM. Present were: Supervisor Landi, Councilman Gaddy, Councilman Polacco, Councilman Wells, Code Enforcement Officer Bob Cologero, and Highway Superintendent Ed Moore. Councilman Queipo was absent.

Mr. Lutomski representing Boy Scout troop #8 gave a presentation for the 'Run to The Hills' to be held on May 6th. The Board and Highway Department will have everything set-up for the Boy Scouts.

Committee Reports

Councilman Wells talked about the construction projects for Route 209. The project in the Town of Ulster (between Sawkill Road and Enterprise Drive) is scheduled to begin Monday, March 26th. Traffic will be limited to one lane in either direction. The project in the Town of Hurley (near the New York State Troopers Barracks) will begin in late June. Route 209 will be closed in both directions between Route 28 and Wynkoop Road. There will be detours signs posted.

Councilman Wells is planning on going to a meeting being held in the Town of Esopus on March 21. This meeting sponsored by Ulster County will be covering businesses in the Town of Esopus.

The Easter Egg Hunt is scheduled for Saturday, March 24 at 10AM with a rain date of March 25 also at 10AM.

Councilman Wells made the motion, seconded by Councilman Polacco to remove the scheduling of the emergency class from tabled items. All approved.

Councilman Wells stated that the state instructors would not come out here unless there was at least 120 people signed up for the class. No further action will be taken on this subject.

Councilman Wells made the motion, seconded by Councilman Polacco to continue to table the proposed Line of Sight law. All Approved.

Councilman Polacco reported that the Highway Crew will be clearing down branches and trees that are blocking waterways since the last storm.

Code Enforcement Officer Cologero reported that he is considering issuing a 'stop work order' for the Forest Ridge development.

The Highway Crew, Highway Superintendent Moore, Code Enforcement Officer Cologero and Town Councilman Queipo were given information and paperwork on the generator. Tom and Alfie were given a 'hands-on' training session. The generator is now up and running.

Councilman Gaddy has not received any report from the Animal Control Officer.

Supervisor Landi – reported that Town Attorney Grieco had made a few suggestions to the proposed contract between Crawford & Associates and the Town regarding consulting and engineering services. Supervisor Landi hopes to make copies available to the Board as soon as possible.

Highway Department Law #284 - the Highway Department paving project for 2018 will be the repaving of Ruby Road.

Supervisor Landi is scheduled to meet with NYMIR representatives on March 27.

Old Business – A suggestion was made to include in the newsletter a reminder about how addresses should be displayed on homes as well as mailboxes.

New Business – Eileen Weiss is taking the Notary Public class tonight (rescheduled from March 8).

Councilman Wells made the motion, seconded by Councilman Gaddy to purchase 2 additional surveillance cameras. All Approved.

Councilman Polacco read a letter from the Kingston Little League asking for donations. There are 35 kids from the Town of Kingston signed up for the 2018 season. Councilman Polacco made the motion, seconded by Councilman Gaddy to donate \$500 to the Kingston Little League. Roll Call vote: Gaddy – Yes; Polacco – Yes; Wells – Yes; Landi – Abstained; Queipo – Absent. Motion is carried – 3 yes and 1 abstention.

Motion to adjourn was made by Councilman Polacco, seconded by Councilman Wells. All approved. The meeting was adjourned at 8:18PM.

Respectfully submitted, Dennis Weiss