## Town Board Town of North Greenbush Regular Meeting June 11, 2020

Supervisor Bott called the meeting to order and asked everyone present to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### Roll Call:

Supervisor BottCouncilwoman HoffmanCouncilwoman SaboCouncilman RogersPresent
Present

Supervisor Bott mentioned that Chief Keevern was also present via Zoom.

#### **Comments from Residents:**

No public was at the meeting due to Covid-19

An email was received by the Town Clerk from Andy Mair with questions about Resolution 2020-6-38 Authorizing Purchases from Green Space. The email was forwarded to the Comptroller who answered his questions and listed what was being purchased.

#### **Announcements:**

Supervisor Bott started off the meeting with a few announcements, starting off with congratulating the Graduates of 2020.

He then thanked our Police for helping out with a Peaceful Protest Rally with our neighboring Police Force. He spoke of the RFP for Rt. #4 project and said that we should be getting our bids mid to late July. He also thanked Anthony Germano for heading this process.

Moving onto an unfortunate decision, the town board agreed that for the safety of staff and campers the decision to cancel our Summer Camp Program was made due to the Covid-19 situation.

He concluded that we will have our Summer Concerts in the Park. He will have it placed on Facebook, the town's website and it was mentioned already through Rensselaer County with thanks to Vito Ciccareli for his help.

Supervisor Bott mentioned that we are looking to open up the Beach for our town residence with 50% capacity following the CDC Guidelines due to Covid-19.

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#### **New Business**

Resolution 2020-6-37: Councilwoman Sabo made a motion in the Matter of Appointment of Summer Staff, seconded by Supervisor Bott. Councilman Rodgers asked for clarification on why we were appointing staff if we still do not know if the beach will be opened.

Mike Miner explained the reason for appointing the staff during Covid-19.

Supervisor Bott asked for a vote, all board members present voted. Councilman Rodgers opposed the vote. The remaining town board voted Ayes and the motion was approved.

Resolution 2020-6-38: Councilwoman Hoffman made a motion in the matter of Authorizing Purchases from Green Space, seconded by Supervisor Bott. Councilman Rogers asked for clarification on why we were buying for the beach if we again still did not know the outcome of the beach being opened. Mike Miner explained the reason for the purchase of equipment and supplies and where the money comes from and the reason why it can only be used for beaches and parks. Councilman Rodgers opposed the vote. The remaining town board all voted Ayes and the motion was approved.

#### **Discussion**

There were no more emails received during the meeting pertaining to the agenda. Town Clerk, Janice Kerwin had her laptop at the meeting open to see if any submissions were received.

#### **Committee Reports**

Supervisor Bott asked the board to look over the May Department reports.

#### **Approval of Minutes**

May 2020 Meeting

Councilman Rogers made a motion to accept March 2020 minutes as written, seconded by Councilwoman Sabo. The remaining town board voted and the motion was approved.

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### Adjournment

Councilman Rodgers made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Councilwoman Hoffman. All present voted and approved and meeting ended at 7:46 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Janice Kerwin Town Clerk Town of North Greenbush