



TOWN OF SENECA FALLS

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Where the Town Board Shares a Snapshot of Monthly Business With YOU

JUNE 2022

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1. The Town of Seneca Falls Comprehensive Plan update was discussed. The current plan in place was executed in 2006 and now more than 15 years later, it is necessary to reshape the goals, objectives, principles, guidelines, policies, standards, and strategies for the growth and development of the community with an updated plan that coincides with ongoing updates to Town Zoning regulations as well.
2. The Town established Cannabis Advisory Committee discussed various points of oversight regarding the use and sales of Cannabis as it relates to the community's welfare.
3. The Town is working with the grant writers at MRB Group to secure grant monies for planning purposes related to Local Waterfront Revitalization Program. A Local Waterfront Revitalization Program (LWRP) is a land and water use program that expresses a vision for the waterfront area and provides the means to achieve that vision. It is the only planning and regulatory tool that allows a local community to refine Statewide coastal policies to apply to the local situation.
4. Discussion of the Town's interest in applying for the Microenterprise Assistance Program made available through NYS Community Development Block Grant Program. CDBG is a federally-funded program that provides financial resources to assist in the development of viable communities by providing decent housing and a suitable living environment and by expanding economic opportunities, principally for persons of low- and moderate-income (LMI). The MAP program specifically creates opportunities for the development of microbusinesses that promote employment opportunities for persons of low- to moderate income families.
5. The Town Board approved repair work to the expansion joints on Veteran's Bridge in the amount of \$122,000.00.
6. Thank you to volunteers Ted Novak, Fred Capozzi, Susan Souhan, Brad Jones, Kay Ireland and Bob McKeveny for all of their hard work with the landscaping in Cady Stanton Park and upkeep of the area around the statues on Bayard Street.