

The Seneca Falls Town Board held a regular monthly Meeting on Tuesday, December 6, 2022 in the Town Hall Meeting Room, 130 Ovid Street, Seneca Falls.

Present were Supervisor Michael Ferrara; Councilpersons Steven Churchill, Frank Sinicropi, Kaitlyn Laskoski and Dawn Dyson. Also present were Patrick Morrell, Attorney for the Town; Peter Soscia, Town Manager; Peter Porcelli, Zoning Officer; Deborah Von Wald, Assessor; JJeremy Wendt, Interim Highway Superintendent; Joseph Tullo, Chief WWTP Operator; Timothy Snyder, Police Lieutenant and Lesen Haracz, Town Engineer.

Supervisor Ferrara opened the regular monthly Meeting at 6:00 P.M. A roll call of Board Members was taken and all were present; the Pledge of Allegiance followed.

Supervisor Ferrara gave the following updates:

- On behalf of the Town Board, he wished everyone a Happy Holiday.
- The It's a Wonderful Life Weekend is this coming weekend. The Kick-Off Ceremony is Friday at 9 A.M. at the Museum.
- The Huntington Building Project has started – Ground Breaking Ceremony will be January 10, 2023 at 11 AM.
- Bids on the Equalization Tank at the WWTP are due back January 5, 2023.
- We had an Employee resignation that put us in a difficult situation. He recognized the Town Manager who picked up a lot of things that was being done from that Office. He thanked Beverly Warfel who agreed to come back, and who is helping out as much as possible.
- He sent an email to Board Members regarding a letter of intent that was sent out by MRB for the Restore New York Grant. With the Restore New York Grant, a municipality has to be involved with the application. The Women's Hall of Fame asked if the Town would partner with them for the Grant. MRB will determine if it is a viable project. They are looking for \$2.5 million for renovations on the third and fourth floor.
- Lesen Haracz has provided the Board with information about the Gravel Road sewer line. Mr. Ferrara said he would like to move in some direction. He asked if the Board had any questions for Ms. Haracz. Mr. Sinicropi asked about the cost of the pipe and installation. Ms. Haracz said the cost estimate is to furnish pipe and installation. Mr. Churchill stated he thought the cost estimate for the E1 grinder pump solution seemed awful high. He would like a representative from the company to come in with a proposal. He would also like to see a map as to what houses it entails and where the manholes are that it will tie into. Brief discussion followed relative to what the cost will be for the homeowners. Mr. Morrell commented that this would be an extension of the sewer within a district. He added going forward, those homeowners need to be a part of the discussion.

#### Petitioners:

Board Member Frank Sinicropi of 2433 Lower Lake Road spoke about the New York State Civil Service Law and the hiring situation in Seneca Falls of Police Officers. He said there us a valid police officer list at the County consisting of 10 names of persons who have passed the written test and physical agility test, three of which are in basic school. With the list of 10 persons, 8 positions can be filled. If you do not like the candidate after the background check and you do not hire that person, the person in question does not come off the list. Only persons who are under Section 50 of the Civil Service Law can be removed from the list.

Mr. Sinicropi said he is tired of persons blaming the State Civil Service Law, the County Officials in charge of Civil Service Law, the Town or whoever for the way the law is currently written. State representatives should be petitioned to make changes.

Mr. Sinicropi suggested two things: ask the Personnel Officer to canvas the list to see who is interested ir working for Seneca Falls; and give them the idea about hiring persons from other agencies with the incentive package. He thinks it's a viable option and will cost less than sending a person o training.

#### Approval of Minutes:

A motion was made to approve the minutes of the regular monthly Meeting of November 1, 2022 by Kaitlyn Laskoski and seconded by Dawn Dyson. No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 naves.

A motion was made to approve the minutes of the Special Meeting of November 15, 2022 by Dawn Dyson and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski. No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 naves.

#### Communications:



Mr. Ferrara noted there were seven Communications submitted by the Town Clerk for the Board's review.

Old Business: There were no items listed under Old Business.

New Business:

Approval of Special Events: Mr. Ferrara stated there is one Special Event – the Ball Drop at the Gould Hotel on New Year's Eve.

A motion was made to approve the Ball Drop at the Gould Hotel on New Year's Eve by Kaitlyn Laskoski and seconded by Frank Sinicropi. No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 nays.

Year-End Meeting Date: The Board agreed to hold a Year-End Meeting at 12:00 Noon on Tuesday, December 27, 2022.

Reorganizational Meeting Date: The Board agreed to conduct a Reorganizational Meeting before the next scheduled Board Meeting on Tuesday, January 3, 2023 at 6:00 P.M.

SFPD – Resignation of Police Sergeant Gentile: A motion was made to accept the resignation of Sergeant Gentile with regret, effective November 27, 2022, by Kaitlyn Laskoski and seconded by Dawn Dyson. No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 nays.

Mr. Ferrara stated on behalf of the Seneca Falls Town Board and the People of Seneca Falls, we wish Sgt. Gentile the best of luck in his future employment with the Geneva Police Department.

Levy Delinquent Water/Sewer Bills on Town/County Tax Bills: A motion was made to levy delinquent Water/Sewer bills on Town/County Tax bills, as per listing of October 31, 2022, by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Dawn Dyson. No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 nays.

W/S Resolution – Purchase F650 Dump Truck: A motion was made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski to adopt the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Water/Sewer Department is seeking to purchase a 2022 Ford F650 Dump Truck pursuant to New York State Contract 23166, Group 40440; and

WHEREAS, the F650 Dump Truck will be purchased from Autosaver Ford of Comstock, New York pursuant to a quote received in the amount of \$104,435.00; and

WHEREAS, it is a budgeted item and the Town Board authorized purchasing a similar truck in January 2022, but that order has been cancelled by the dealer due to supply chain issues. This truck is on the dealer's lot and is available for immediate delivery.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Seneca Falls Town Board hereby authorizes the purchase of a 2022 Ford F650 Dump Truck for the amount of \$104,435.00, pursuant to a quote from Autosaver Ford of Comstock, New York, and pursuant to General Municipal Law Section 104(1).

Mr. Morrell stated this was budgeted for 2022; the Board authorized the purchase in January, and the truck was not available to be delivered. Mr. Tullo went out and found an actual truck. This is a resolution to purchase the truck right off the lot rather than order one.

The above motion made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski to adopt the above resolution authorizing the purchase of a F650 Dump Truck was carried 5 ayes, 0 nays.

W/S Resolution – Declare 2013 F150 Surplus: A motion was made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski to adopt the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Town Board authorized the purchasing of a utility body F250 at the November 2022 Board Meeting; and

WHEREAS, said Pickup has been delivered to the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Department would like to declare the 2013 F150 Pickup surplus and place it on Auctions International for bid.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Town Board declares the Water Department's the 2013 F150 Pickup surplus and authorizes putting the truck on Auctions International for bid.

No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 nays.

Mr. Ferrara mentioned that when the truck is sold, that money will go back into the Equipment Fund.

Advertise for Bids – Annual Heavy Equipment Rental: A motion was made to advertise for bids for the annual heavy equipment rental, bids to be opened at the February 2023 Town Board Meeting, by Michael Ferrara and seconded by Steve Churchill.

Mr. Wendt stated this is done yearly – every year, we have to go out for bids. Mr. Ferrara asked Mr. Wendt if he has the paperwork that goes along with this bidding. The Town Clerk stated Mr. Peterson had the paperwork on his computer. Mr. Wendt indicated that he would look into it.

The above motion made by Michael Ferrara and seconded by Steve Churchill to advertise for bids for the annual heavy equipment rental was carried 5 ayes, 0 naves.

Advertise for Bids – Annual Tree/Stump Removal: A motion was made to advertise for bids for the annual tree/stump removal, bids to be opened at the February 2023 Town Board Meeting, by Kaitlyn Laskoski and seconded by Dawn Dyson. No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 naves.

Highway Resolution – Accept Retirement of Donovan Stilwell: A motion was made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Dawn Dyson to adopt the following resolution:  
WHEREAS, the Highway Department would like to thank Donovan Stilwell for his 12 1/2 years of employment for the Town of Seneca Falls; and  
WHEREAS, Donovan Stilwell will be retiring January 3, 2023.  
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of Seneca Falls accepts the retirement of Donovan Stilwell, with regret, effective January 3, 2023.  
No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 naves.

Resignation of Town Justice Laverne Lafler, Jr.: A motion was made to accept the resignation of Town Justice Laverne Lafler for retirement purposes by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Dawn Dyson.

Mr. Ferrara stated before anyone is appointed, they have to go through school which is offered twice a year; it is offered this week and again in April. He said the only way to circumvent that requirement is a practicing lawyer in New York State doesn't have to go to school. The Board has to make a decision as to whether to appoint someone in March so they can attend school in April, or wait until the Election in November. He added in the interim, the District Court would try to cover Judge Lafler's current schedule.

The above motion made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Dawn Dyson to accept Judge Lafler's resignation, with regret, was carried 5 ayes, 0 naves.

Mr. Ferrara thanked Judge Lafler for his many years of service to Seneca Falls not only as Judge, but as a Police Officer and a County Supervisor at large for 14 years. After discussion as to the options for replacing Judge Lafler, Mr. Ferrara said the Board can think about it and make a decision maybe in January.

Resolution - Establish Fees for Short Term Rentals: A motion was made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski to adopt the attached resolution establishing fees related to Short Term Rentals.

Mr. Sinicropi commented that right now, there are 351 short term rentals in Seneca County; 8 new rentals posted in the last 30 days. There are 79 not in compliance that the County is going after to make them compliant. He talked to Mr. Porcelli and suggested he talk to Les Marquart about maybe sending out one letter for the Town and County.

Mr. Churchill asked how many short term rentals are in Seneca Falls; Mr. Porcelli replied there are 60+ just in Seneca Falls. Mr. Ferrara asked what Mr. Porcelli's rationale was in the fees. Mr. Porcelli replied in looking at other municipalities and what they charge, this is close to that. He added in a meeting today, they said what he is recommending is reasonable. Brief discussion followed.

The above motion made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski to adopt the attached resolution establishing fees for short term rentals was carried 5 ayes, 0 naves.

Highway Resolution – Advertise for MEO Light Position: A motion was made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Steve Churchill to adopt the following resolution:  
WHEREAS, the Town of Seneca Falls Highway Department has a vacancy as a result of the retirement of personnel.  
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Town of Seneca Falls will advertise and recruit qualified individuals to fill the vacated MEO position with an MEO Light with an hourly salary of \$24.00 an hour to start as soon as a

candidate is found.

No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 nays.

Mr. Ferrara commented that this is to cover the retirement of Donovan Stilwell – it is not adding a position. Brief discussion followed.

W/S Resolution – Salary Adjustment for Laborer Position: A motion was made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Dawn Dyson to adopt the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Town of Seneca Falls has developed and utilizes a standard matrix to establish employee salaries; and

WHEREAS, employees of the Town have been identified as being paid below the matrix benchmarks; and

WHEREAS, the position of Water and Sewer Laborer was not included in this adjustment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the position of Laborer currently occupied by Lewis Archer will receive a salary adjustment to \$20.00 an hour. This represents an hourly increase of \$1.62.

Mr. Churchill asked if there were any others; Mr. Sinicropi replied no – they were all put in the Budget, but this one was just forgotten.

The above motion made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Dawn Dyson to adopt the above resolution approving the salary adjustment for a Laborer position was carried 5 ayes, 0 nays.

Resolution – Authorize Lease of Portion of Kingdom Road Pump Station Property: A motion was made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Dawn Dyson to adopt the attached resolution:

WHEREAS, the Town of Seneca Falls owns property located on Route 5 & 20 which is partially occupied by the Kingdom Road Pump Station and is identified as Tax Map ID #33-1-39.2; and

WHEREAS, the Town received a proposal to lease a portion of the property to Park Outdoor Advertising of New York, Inc. of Ithaca, NY for the purpose of placing a billboard on the property; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board finds that this proposal would put the property to some beneficial use and provide fair and adequate compensation to the Town.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Seneca Falls hereby accepts the proposal submitted by Park Outdoor Advertising of New York, Inc. to lease a portion of Tax Map ID #33-1-39.2 to Park Outdoor Advertising of New York, Inc.; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the lease will be for an initial term of 10 years and which could automatically renew for up to 10 more years, at a rate of \$12,000 annually; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution is subject to permissive referendum and will take effect 30 days from the date of adoption or after the permissive referendum process is completed.

Mr. Ferrara stated Park Outdoor advertising reached out and they would like to put a digital sign on Town property. There are potentially some road blocks, but if they are overcome, they would lease the property for \$12,000 a year. They would have to get approval from the Zoning Board of Appeals, as there are stipulations that two billboards have to be 500' away from each other. Mr. Ferrara mentioned that earlier this year, a business applied for a billboard and it was approved; if that billboard is put in less than 500', this cannot happen. Mr. Morrell mentioned that this proposed lease didn't come with a site plan or any plan as to size.

Mr. Churchill asked if this should go through Planning and Zoning first to see if it gets approval, and then it can come back to the Board for lease approval. After brief discussion, Mr. Sinicropi suggested leaving it up to the Planning Board and Zoning Board of Appeals to review it and advise the Town Board.

A motion was made by Steve Churchill and seconded by Dawn Dyson to table action on the above resolution leasing a portion of Kingdom Road Pump Station property as more information is needed. No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 nays.

Resolution – Sale of Town Property: A motion was made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski to adopt the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Town of Seneca Falls solicited a request for proposal (RFP) for the sale of Town owned property located south of Courtland Avenue and California Avenue; and

WHEREAS, three (3) prospective bidders submitted proposals; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board reviewed the proposals and interviewed two (2) of the prospective bidders; and

WHEREAS, the majority of the Town Board believes the proposal from Lakewood Development III, LLC will provide the best long term benefit for the Town of Seneca Falls.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of Seneca Falls approves the sale of approximately 20 acres of real property located south of Courtland Avenue, known as Tax Map ID #16-1-25 to Lakewood

Development III, LLC for \$80,000.00. The sale of the property will be contingent upon Lakewood Development providing the Town their financial ability to ensure the successful completion of the proposed project. In addition, be it understood that a partial section of the property will not be included in the sale located south of Kids Territory for the potential expansion of Kids Territory.

FURTHER, that this resolution is subject to permissive referendum and will take effect 30 days from the date of adoption or after the permissive referendum process is completed.

Mr. Ferrara stated the Board had an opportunity to review the RFPs, and held a Special Meeting and had a discussion with two of the bidders. He noted there are contingencies, one being a portion will be sectioned off for Kids Territory growth. The other contingency is they will have to provide financial ability to make sure they can do the project they are proposing. Mr. Churchill asked how much will be taken off for Kids Territory road; Mr. Ferrara replied he thinks about an acre. Mr. Churchill said he is not supporting this. He saw the proposal which includes a 50-unit apartment complex with Section 8 apartments in there. Mr. Churchill said he thinks we need more single family homes. He added in order to attract more developers, you have to cast a wide net, such as Syracuse or Rochester where developers are.

Mrs. Laskoski stated there are single family homes that are part of this proposal. She said this is strongly supported by Seneca Housing and Generations Bank. There have been meetings about the need for housing within our Community. Mrs. Laskoski said she thinks it would be an asset for the Community. Brief discussion followed.

The above motion made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski to adopt the above resolution approving the sale of Town property located south of Courland Avenue and California Avenue was carried 4 ayes, 1 nay; Councilman Churchill with the dissenting vote.

W/S Resolution – Purchase Dri-Prime CD 1 50S Pump & Trailer Kit: A motion was made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Dawn Dyson to adopt the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Seneca Falls Sewer Department needs to purchase a pump to be utilized primarily at the Kingdom Road Pump Station; and

WHEREAS, the Kingdom Road pumps have failed in recent weeks resulting in the one DEC reportable incident; and

WHEREAS, the bid quote from Xylem for the pump and trailer is \$49,258.69 plus \$450.00 delivery charge. The purchase from Xylem meets the requirements of the Town's Procurement Policy. HGAC contract pricing will be used. (HGAC Contract #CM02-21); and

WHEREAS, the funds would be taken from budget line item G8120.204.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of Seneca Falls approves the purchase of Dri-Prime CD 1 50S pump and Global Series 6 Trailer Kit for \$49,258.69 plus \$450.00 delivery charge.

Mr. Sinicropi said we now have two brand new pumps. Mr. Tullo stated yes, one was purchased earlier this year. They will be able to heat this pump and it can stay out. He added when this project is over and they get the Kingdom Pump Station done, they will surplus their oldest 6" pump.

Mr. Churchill stated he has been told that there is a replacement for that pump station that sits on skids ready to go – can that be used? Mr. Tullo said they can't use that. Mr. Tullo explained why that pump can't be used. Brief discussion followed.

The above motion made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Dawn Dyson to adopt the above resolution authorizing the purchase of a Dri-Prime CD 1 50S Pump and Trailer Kit was carried 4 ayes, 1 nay; Councilman Churchill with the dissenting vote.

SFPD Resolution – Provide Incentives for Current SF Police Officers: A motion was made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski to adopt the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Seneca Falls Police Department ("Department") seeks to provide certain financial incentives to current Police Officers; and

WHEREAS, such incentives are designed to compensate those Police Officers who obtain certain certifications or perform certain tasks that improve and enhance the Department's capabilities; and

WHEREAS, the Town intends for such incentives to be temporary in nature and to be in place for calendar years 2023 and 2024 only, unless agreed to continue thereafter; and

WHEREAS, the Town and the Seneca Falls Police Benevolent Association, Law Enforcement Officers Union, Council 82, Local 3614, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees have preliminarily agreed to language in a Memorandum of Agreement ("MOA") to represent the parties' agreement concerning this issue; and now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of Seneca Falls approves the execution of the MOA by Supervisor Ferrara.

Mr. Ferrara stated Councilwoman Laskoski shared some information through email today. He said if there are any questions, Councilwoman Laskoski or Lt. Snyder can answer them. Mr. Sinicropi said the incentive is for \$500 or \$1,000? Mrs. Laskoski replied yes. Mr. Churchill said there is a 4% differential for night shift; Lt. Snyder replied yes. Mr. Churchill asked if they have a shift differential now; Lt. Snyder replied no. Mr. Churchill asked if this is budgeted; Mr. Ferrara replied no. Mr. Churchill mentioned the Police Department has a Union. Mr. Ferrara said that's correct – there will be an MOA signed by the Union and the Town. Mr. Churchill asked why the Board was doing this. Mr. Ferrara replied this would be for retaining of current positions. He added we are in a serious predicament of recruiting and retaining. After further discussion, Mr. Churchill stated he will not support this – we keep spending money. He added we just went through the budget cycle and this should have been in there.

The above motion made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski to approve the above resolution to provide incentives for current Police Officers was carried 4 ayes, 1 nay; Councilman Churchill with the dissenting vote.

SFPD Resolution – Provide Incentives for Hiring Police Officers by Lateral Transfer: A motion was made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Dawn Dyson to adopt the following resolution:  
 WHEREAS, the Seneca Falls Police Department (“Department”) has certain vacancies it seeks to fill by lateral transfer to the Department of Police Officers employed by other agencies; and  
 WHEREAS, the Department believes that such individuals are more likely to become employed by the Town if the Department is able to provide a financial incentive to join the Department; and  
 WHEREAS, the Town believes a payment of \$20,000.00 is reasonable and appropriate to be paid to an individual who is hired by the Town to be a Police Officer, as a lateral transfer; and  
 WHEREAS, such payment will be made over a three-year period upon terms set forth in a Memorandum of Agreement (“MOA”) preliminarily agreed to by the Town and Seneca Falls Benevolent Association, Law Enforcement Officers Union, Council 82, Local 3614, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees; and  
 WHEREAS, in connection with any such payment to a lateral transfer Police Officer, the individual will be required to execute a promissory note by which he or she agrees to repay the Town for any amounts paid, based upon certain length of service requirements; and  
 WHEREAS, a lateral transfer Police Officer will be required to repay the entire \$20,000.00 payment if he or she separates from service with the Town prior to his or her fourth anniversary of employment with the Town; and  
 WHEREAS, the Town intends for this lateral transfer payment to be temporary in nature and to be in place for calendar years 2023 and 2024 only, unless agreed to continue thereafter.  
 RESOLVED, that the Town of Seneca Falls approves the execution of the MOA by Supervisor Michael Ferrara.

Mrs. Laskoski made a motion to amend the MOA (Paragraph 2) to reflect that the first installment of \$10,000.00 would be issued upon successful completion of their designated field training determined by the Chief of Police, and \$5,000.00 at the end of the Officer's second year and third full year of employment. Mrs. Dyson seconded the motion. No questions. Motion carried 4 ayes, 1 nay; Councilman Churchill with the dissenting vote.

Lt. Snyder stated the Civil Service test will not be given until September 2023, which means the test results will not be back until the end of 2023 or beginning of 2024. In reference to the Civil Service list, two individuals have already signed up with the Sheriff's Department, and two individuals have signed the letter of intent with the Town. He stated that with retirements next year, they will not have anyone to take off the Civil Service list for a whole year. Mrs. Laskoski mentioned that budgeted funds will be used. Mr. Ferrara added it will cost more money to send a new recruit to the Academy than this would cost.

Mr. Morrell stated the Memorandum of Understanding, with the amendment, would have to be approved by the Union. Further discussion followed regarding the beginning salary of a lateral transfer. Mr. Ferrara stated it would be the Town Board's decision as to what the salary would be.

A motion was made to adopt the above resolution with the above amendment to the MOA (Paragraph 2) by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski. No questions. Motion carried 4 ayes, 1 nay; Council Churchill with the dissenting vote.

Resignation of Principal Account Clerk: A motion was made to accept the resignation of Sarah Wright as Principal Account Clerk by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski. No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 nays.

Mr. Ferrara wished Miss Wright the best of luck in her future endeavors.

Any Other New:

Mr. Sinicropi referred to the HPC minutes regarding 216 Fall Street, and said it has four boarded up windows. Mr. Ferrara stated this is the property that the HPC would not give them a permit to put in certain windows; there is an Appeal process in place. Mr. Morrell said it is appealed from the HPC to the Zoning Board of Appeals. Mr. Sinicropi said the windows go 3" off the floor; he has small kids and is worried that they might fall out the second story window. Mr. Morrell stated windows right to the floor are an historical architectural feature. Mr. Sinicropi stated the only thing he could find historic is the lattice on the porch which is falling down. Mr. Ferrara said the only control the Town Board has over this is the Town Board makes the appointments.

Mr. Churchill stated downtown looks awesome. He said in Mrs. Jones' report, she mentioned that Margaret Pannucci, with the Highway Department, redid the wreaths. He wondered if there was an opportunity to expand those decorations. Mr. Ferrara stated he requested that Mr. Soscia start looking into cost of more decorations going down State Street and Bayard Street. Brief discussion followed.

Water/Sewer Credits There were none.

Payment of Bills:

A motion was made by Frank Sinicropi and seconded by Kaitlyn Laskoski to approve and order paid the following bills:

General Fund - \$567,886.64 (Abstract #12)

Recreation Fund - \$31,291.72 (Abstract #12)

Miscellaneous Fund - \$25,974.01 (Abstract #12)

Vince's Park Fund - \$4,046.42 (Abstract #12)

Highway Fund - \$218,101.94 (Abstract #12)

Sewer Fund - \$177,580.02 (Abstract #12)

Water Fund - \$125,906.54 (Abstract @12)

No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 nays.

Being there was no further business, a motion was made to adjourn the Meeting by Dawn Dyson and seconded by Frank Sinicropi. No questions. Motion carried 5 ayes, 0 nays.

Meeting adjourned at 7:22 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,



NICALETTA J. GREER  
Town Clerk