

THE TOWN OF CHENANGO TOWN BOARD MET MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2015 AT  
7:00 P.M. IN THE TOWN OFFICE BUILDING 1529 N.Y. ROUTE 12, BINGHAMTON, N.Y.

**PRESENT:**

Harold Snopek, Supervisor  
Gene Hulbert, Councilperson  
Jim DiMascio, Councilperson  
Russell Hemedinger, Councilperson

**ALSO PRESENT:**

Donald G. Walls, Town Attorney  
Rhonda D. Milks, Town Clerk

**ABSENT:**

Terry Kellogg, Councilperson

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG**

Mr. Snopek requested that all present stand and join in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Mr. DiMascio moved, seconded by Mr. Hemedinger that the minutes of the previous meeting be approved as prepared and presented. Motion carried.

**OPEN HEARING, GENERAL TOWN BUSINESS**

Mr. Snopek asked if anyone would like to speak.

Charlotte Schotanus of Port Road had a question. She wanted to know the status of the Comprehensive Plan. Mr. Snopek handed that question over to Mr. Hemedinger.

Mr. Hemedinger told her that at the last meeting it was officially accepted by the Town Board. We declared the Town Board as lead agency, which will prompt us to send it down to the County Planning Department and we will also send it to the Environmental Review Board for review. The 90 day clock for public hearing has started as of our last meeting when we accepted it, so the public hearing will most likely be in January.

Charlotte thanked Mr. Hemedinger for updating her.

**BID OPENINGS:** None

**PUBIC HEARINGS:** None

**COMMUNICATIONS – Town Clerk**

Rhonda Milks received notice that Local Law No. 1 – 2015 was filed with New York State on October 1, 2015.

We also had a resolution on December 1, 2014 stating that the Town Board had been petitioned to request a speed study on West Chenango Road. Today a letter was received from New York State DOT stating that they have ordered 45 MPH as the Maximum Linear speed on West Chenango Road from Upper Stella Ireland Road to Brooks Road, a distance of 0.8 miles +/- . Broome County will be responsible for installing the new speed limit signs in accordance with Title 17B of the NYUS Official Compilation of Rules and Regulations.

The Children's Holiday Party will be held on December 11, 2015 in the Town Hall Community Room from 6-8 p.m. Anyone wishing to extend a helping hand would be greatly appreciated.

**RESOLUTIONS:**

RESOLUTION ADOPTING ASSESSMENT ROLL AND DIRECTING WARRANT FOR COLLECTION OF SPECIAL DISTRICT ASSESSMENT offered by Russell Hemedinger and seconded by Jim DiMascio.

Ayes: 4  
Carried

Nays: 0

Absent: 1 – Terry Kellogg

RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE PRELIMINARY BUDGET FOR THE YEAR 2016, OFFERED BY Jim DiMascio, seconded by Gene Hulbert.

Ayes: 4  
Carried

Nays: 0

Absent: 1 – Terry Kellogg

RESOLUTION DECLARING LEAD AGENCY (Comprehensive Plan), offered by Gene Hulbert, seconded by Russell Hemedinger

Ayes: 4  
Carried

Nays: 0

Absent: 1 – Terry Kellogg

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF AGREEMENT (Smith Hill/Wallace Road-Delta Engineering), offered by Russell Hemedinger and seconded by Jim DiMascio

Ayes: 4  
Carried

Nays: 0

Absent: 1 – Terry Kellogg

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Mr. Snopek - Wreaths Across America – The Veterans are going to be placing wreaths here at the Town on Saturday, December 12, 2015 at Noon. We are going to have coffee and refreshments around 11:00 a.m. gathering in the Community Room. After refreshments we will proceed to the monument outside and the Veterans will place their wreaths. We have arranged to have a Bag Pipe Player. We have been doing this for three (3) years. If anyone wants to attend, come on down, shake their hands and tell them “Thank You”.

Mary Minacci – She just wanted to let everyone know that Bert Adams drop off on Saturdays will no longer be.

Mr. Snopek – That is correct, Bert did contact the Town informing us of his decision and we will place a notice on the website so that our residents can be informed. It is to begin the Saturday after Thanksgiving. The residents can drop their stuff off on Fridays instead.

Being that there is no further business to discuss a motion was made by Jim DiMascio and seconded by Gene Hulbert to adjourn the meeting. Motion was carried to adjourn the meeting at 7:11 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Rhonda D. Milks, Town Clerk  
Town of Chenango