

Regular Town Board Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Van Buren, held on January 2, 2018 at 7:00 pm at the Van Buren Town Hall, 7575 Van Buren Road, Baldwinsville, New York.

Present:

Mr. Rick Zaccaria	Councilor
Ms. Darcie Lesniak	Councilor
Ms. Mary Frances Sabin	Councilor
Mr. Howard Tupper	Councilor
Mr. Ronald Dudzinski	Councilor
Mr. Claude Sykes	Supervisor

Absent: Ms. Patricia Dickman, Councilor

Also present:

Mr. Kevin Gilligan	Town Attorney
Mr. Jason Hoy	Town Engineer
Mr. Doug Foster	Highway Superintendent
Mrs. Lyn Pinto	Historian
Ms. Lynn Precourt	Town Clerk

Pledge of Allegiance and Roll Call.

Approve minutes of the Regular Town Board Meeting on December 19, 2017:

009-18-000 MOTION BY Ms. Sabin, seconded by Mr. Dudzinski, to approve minutes of the Regular Town Board Meeting on December 19, 2017 as published.

Mr. Zaccaria – Yes, Ms. Lesniak – Yes, Mr. Tupper – Yes, Mr. Dudzinski – Yes, Ms. Sabin – Yes, Mr. Sykes – Yes

All Ayes – Motion Carried & Adopted

Approval of 2018 Canton Woods Senior Center Agreement:

010-18-044 MOTION BY Mr. Tupper, seconded by Ms. Lesniak, to approve the 2018 Canton Woods Senior Center Agreement.

Mr. Zaccaria – Yes, Ms. Lesniak – Yes, Mr. Tupper – Yes, Mr. Dudzinski – Yes, Ms. Sabin – Yes, Mr. Sykes – Yes

All Ayes – Motion Carried & Adopted

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Appointment of Matthew Woodcock as Highway Mechanic effective January 15, 2018 with benefits to commence per collective bargaining agreement:

011-18-038 MOTION BY Mr. Dudzinski, seconded by Ms. Sabin, to approve the appointment of Matthew Woodcock as Highway Mechanic effective January 15, 2018 with benefits to commence per collective bargaining agreement.

Mr. Zaccaria – Yes, Ms. Lesniak – Yes, Mr. Tupper – Yes, Mr. Dudzinski – Yes, Ms. Sabin – Yes, Mr. Sykes – Yes

All Ayes – Motion Carried & Adopted

Councilor Committee Reports and Comments: None

Highway Superintendent Comments:

Mr. Foster reminded residents there is no on street parking between 2:00 am and 6:00 am. He urged people to park in their driveways and not on the street. He said it makes snow plowing operations easier, safer and more effective when the plows do not have to swerve to avoid parked cars.

Mr. Foster said the town will replace mailboxes that have clearly been hit by a plow. Those that fall over due to the heavy weight of the snow being pushed toward them will have to be replaced by the homeowner.

Mr. Foster said with the freezing temperatures the salt/sand mixture is not as effective on the roads and they are slippery. He asked that residents drive with caution, watch their speed and be patient.

Supervisor Comments: None

Engineer Comments: None

Attorney Comments: None

Citizen Comments: None

012-18-000 MOTION BY Mr. Zaccaria, seconded by Mr. Dudzinski, to adjourn to the next Regular Town Board Meeting on January 16, 2018 at 7:00 pm.

Mr. Zaccaria – Yes, Ms. Lesniak – Yes, Mr. Tupper – Yes, Mr. Dudzinski – Yes, Ms. Sabin – Yes, Mr. Sykes – Yes

All Ayes – Motion Carried & Adopted

Meeting closed 7:12 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Lynn Precourt, Town Clerk