

TOWN BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Steven J. Walters	Supervisor
Michael Quinn	Councilman
Thomas Best, Jr.	Councilman

ALSO PRESENT: Catherine A. Rybczynski, Town Clerk
Walter Rooth III, Town Attorney; Mary Dosch, Sr. Account Clerk; Samantha Tarczynski;
Charles Naughton, Human Resources and Contract Negotiations Consultant; Martin Denecke,
Director of Youth, Recreation and Senior Services

Supervisor Walters calls the meeting to order at 5:35 pm.

The Town Board reviews late resolutions that were submitted.

Catherine Rybczynski, Town Clerk, introduces her new Deputy Town Clerk, Brian Wielinski, stating that he was a Deputy Town Clerk in Cheektowaga. He has moved and is now a resident of the Town of Hamburg.

Mr. Wielinski thanks the Town Board for his appointment stating that he is looking forward to working with them.

Ms. Rybczynski then comments that they had an issue over the weekend where our Dog Control Officer, Jean Van Wie, got a call from the Sherriff's Dept. that they had picked up a dog in Boston. Dispatch called her and they checked that they do have a contract with the Town of Boston to cover their DCO when he is not available. However, this contract was made when our previous DCO was full time. She does not have time to be answering calls from Boston now. This is supposed to be just a backup but the DCO they just hired has a full time job. Ms. Van Wie got a call from the Boston DCO stating that he couldn't pick up the dog until after 4:00 pm. Therefore Ms. Van Wie had to take the dog to the Boston Kennel where there was some confusion on the new DCO as they had not been notified of the appointment. She is expecting many more calls in the future.

Ms. Rybczynski and the Town Board discuss the contract with the Town of Boston for DCO services.

Councilman Best questions if they could make an arrangement for the Boston DCO to cover for us, after 4:00 pm, when our DCO is off duty if our DCO covered for them when she is on duty.

Supervisor Walters comments that they should schedule a meeting with the Town of Boston Supervisor at a time when both DCO's could be present. If not then Boston will have to make different plans.

Councilman Best comments that if our DCO is available to help them out then the same situation should be made available to us.

Councilman Best questions if Drew Reilly would be present.

Supervisor Walters responds that he was not available.

Councilman Best states that resolution 15 from the agenda is pulled to make minor changes.

Supervisor Walters comments that he did talk to Sarah to make sure that he would be available at their next meeting to give direction on the Jeffrey Boulevard project based on the conversation they had at the Re-Org meeting.

Councilman Best comments that he met with the Conservation Board and they have concerns about what they should be doing and what should be referred to them for review and opinion. They feel that the Planning Board is acting prior to their giving an opinion. They need to discuss having a working relationship with the Planning Board. They are all volunteer's and feel that their time is not being used properly. They need Drew or Sarah to advise them as to their role. They also need current ID's so they can go on private property to investigate.

Supervisor Walters comments that they asked for ID's and an appropriation of funds for shirts and coats identifying them as the Conservation Board. They did do that for them.

Councilman Quinn comments that they can go out on-line and find the Planning Board minutes and review them.

Councilman Best comments that if an Environmental Assessment needs to get done they are supposed to be notified. They are very knowledgeable people and they are not being used. He then states that he will have them talk to Sean Crotty concerning the ID's.

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On a motion of Supervisor Walters, seconded by Councilman Best, the following resolution was

ADOPTED	Ayes	3	Walters, Best, Quinn
	Noes	0	

RESOLVED, that the Town Board move into Executive Session at 5:50 pm on a real estate matter and several personnel matters, specific persons, specific departments.