

TOWN OF FRIENDSHIP MEETING MINUTES

APRIL 15, 2020

7:00PM VIA Zoom conference internet

Supervisor calls meeting to order via Zoom conference.

Roll call: Supervisor Russell Hall-present
Councilperson- Jill Hoopes-present
Councilperson-Carolyn Carney-present
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Councilperson-Steve Ritter-present

Also present: Patricia Schurr-Town Clerk

Public works-Oakley Sortore

Motion to approve the Minutes from March 18, 2020, offered by Jill Hoopes, seconded by Linda Mascho. All approve, motion carried.

Motion to approve the Supervisor's report from March 2020, offered by Steve Ritter, seconded by Carolyn Carney. All approve, motion carried.

Motion to approve the audited bills in the amount of \$88,451.01, offered by Jill Hoopes, seconded by Carolyn Carney.

Roll call vote: Russell Hall-aye
Jill Hoopes-aye
Carolyn Carney-aye
Linda Mascho-aye
Steve Ritter-aye

SUPERVISOR'S CONCERNS-

Supervisor Hall advised as of midnight tonight anyone dealing with the public must wear masks, Per Gov. Cuomo, however you cannot get masks.

Per the Supervisor anyone in a public place is less than 6 ft. from someone they need to have some kind of mask, even if you should cover your face pulling your shirt up over, the covering can be cloth or a bandanna.

Supervisor Hall also advised that the Town employee's Insurance is up for renewal the end of May. Per Tiffany Bencoter, she has given all board members and Dell Baker (the Union Rep.) a copy of the insurance comparisons. It has increased with Blue cross/Shield by about 2%. Other Insurances are a lot more. The out of pocket also increased by \$500.00. There is also the question on Dental Insurance that can be added to the policy. After Board discussion the following motion was put forth.

Motion to have a committee of Russell Hall and Carolyn Carney along with Dell Baker to negotiate and to authorize the signature and renewal of Town Employee Health Insurance, offered by Steve Ritter, Seconded by Linda Mascho. All approve, motion carried.

Reports received:

Town Clerk report March 202

Shared Services report

Dog Control report March 202

There was a question what was going on at the old Duckies, they were taking out the tanks. Oakley Sortore only knew about the dig because he had to mark the water/sewer out for the dig Safely. No other information was known. No Building permit was obtained from the Town. It was mentioned that maybe the DEC was involved.

Motion to adjourn was offered by Jill Hoopes, seconded by Steve Ritter.

Adjourned 7:36pm

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia Schurr
Town Clerk