

TOWN OF PLATTEKILL
REGULAR TOWN BOARD MEETING
&
2016 TOWN BUDGET - PUBLIC HEARING

November 4, 2015

Time: 7:00 PM

SALUTE TO FLAG

Supervisor Croce opened the meeting with a salute to the American Flag.

ROLL CALL

The following Town Board Members were present:

Supervisor Croce
Councilman Putnam
Councilman Farrelly
Councilwoman Delgado
Councilman DePew

PUBLIC HEARING – 2016 TOWN BUDGET

* Supervisor Croce made a motion to open the Public Hearing on the 2016 Town Budget at 7:05 PM. Councilman Putnam seconded.

On the vote: all ayes.

Supervisor Croce read the Legal notice that was published in the newspaper and then explained the first two pages of the 2016 Town Budget. He stated that he would go page by page, through the rest of the budget, and if anyone had a comment or question, the Town Board would answer it.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick asked about the Light Districts and wondered if these would be paid off soon?

Supervisor Croce stated that the cost is for the electric used to light the street lights. He stated that he is part of a committee looking into changing regular street lights to LED lights. He stated that they are trying to see how much it will cost to convert to LED and there are options as to the maintenance of them. We could opt to take over maintaining the lights but this might not be cost effective as we would have to purchase trucks and other equipment. There has been discussion on joining with other area Towns, but more than likely we would still have the electric company doing the maintenance.

There was more discussion on the Modena and Clintondale Light Districts and that the residents in those areas have a separate Light District charge on their tax bill for those Districts.

Supervisor Croce stated that the street lights are mainly for safety purposes throughout Town. There is usually a light at every intersection to a county or state road.

Councilman DePew stated that all tax payers contribute to the Light Districts.

Mrs. Annette Laskowsky asked what percentage increase was given to the employee's salary?

Supervisor Croce stated that everyone received a 2% increase; however the Supervisor and the Highway Superintendent did not request an increase.

Mr. Dan Conna stated that he thought the County had taken over the Home Relief Program?

Supervisor Croce stated yes, that is why there is nothing budgeted for in that budget line. It shows a reduction percentage because last year there was some money in there to pay the bill for December 2014 which would have arrived in January of 2015 as the last bill to the Town.

Mrs. Laskowsky asked why the Building Dept. had a 50% decrease from last year?

Supervisor Croce stated that last year there was extra money put in the budget line to pay for the new software and laptops for the Building Inspectors. This year we do not have to budget that amount again.

Mrs. Laskowsky asked why there was an increase in the budget line A7310?

Supervisor Croce stated that there was an increase because the Summer Camp Program will be increasing from 5 weeks to 6 weeks. This will mean more money for staff payroll and for busses.

There was discussion that Ms. Doland had done a survey at Plattekill Day and on the internet Recreation Facebook page. She had determined that most parents wanted a sixth week of camp and were willing to pay the extra money for that extra week.

Supervisor Croce stated that he thought she would be taking separate applications for those parents who only wanted the five week program and she would also be taking applications for the six week program. They would be at different costs and we will be adjusting the number of counselors needed to run camp by the applications received.

Councilman DePew stated that he wanted to say "Kudos" to Ms. Doland as she has put a lot of time and energy in researching this program.

Mrs. Coppola asked why the Program for the Aging budget line showed a 100% increase?

Supervisor Croce explained that they have taken the money for the senior trips and events out of the Recreation budget line and they are putting it back into the Program for the Aging budget line. Since there was nothing budgeted in this line last year and now there is something budgeted, the computer program considers the increase as a 100% increase. It does not matter how much; even a dollar would have resulted in the computer saying there was a 100% increase, as there was a zero amount before. It is how the computer program works.

Supervisor Croce stated that he had increased the senior amount from last year to this year by adding \$200.00 more for senior trips and \$250.00 more for each senior event.

Mrs. Coppola thanked Supervisor Croce for his explanation and stated that she would like to request that next year, when the Town Board decides to discuss the senior budget line, that they do it at an earlier time, maybe around 5:00 PM, so that seniors wanting to attend will be able to. This year this budget line was discussed after 8:00 at night and many seniors do not want to be out of their homes at this time.

Supervisor Croce stated that he would keep her suggestion in mind for next year.

Mrs. Laskowsky asked about the 81% increase in the Zoning Board contractual expense?

Supervisor Croce stated that they are anticipating some cases may come before the Zoning Board of Appeals and these extra funds are for attorney costs.

Supervisor Croce stated that he would like to speak about the contractual expense in budget line A8160 – Refuse & Garbage. He explained that the UCRRA has been poorly run for many years and the new person running it is trying to make up for bad business practices in the past. A number of years ago the County Legislature passed a law stating that all garbage and refuse in Ulster County must go to the UCRRA. They own the containers that garbage and recycling items are put in at our Transfer Station and they are picked up by the UCRRA and taken to Kingston. The problem is that the containers are old and they will be charging the Towns \$185.00 per month so that they can afford to purchase new containers. That is an approximate \$4,080.00 extra expense on top of the pull charges and tipping fees that we already pay each month and they also continue to increase.

Supervisor Croce stated that he did not want to be the bearer of bad news, but we have no choice and have to increase our fees to residents. He stated that the Town Board was not looking to make money on the Transfer Station; they just want to break even. He stated that he realizes that not everyone uses the Transfer Station and raising the fees seems to be inevitable. He does not want to have to close the facility down. He stated that they even recently had a resolution before the County Legislature saying that they were not going to continue to pick up the Town's refuse, but they have not adopted it. At this time they will be purchasing new equipment and passing the costs on to the Towns. The Towns will have to increase their fees to cover those increased costs.

Supervisor Croce stated that they would continue to take questions on the Highway Fund Accounts:

Mrs. Laskowsky stated that she would like to go back to ask a question about the Elections budget line. She stated that there are extra elections next year.

Supervisor Croce explained that the Board of Elections was in the process of taking over this budget line since they are the ones in charge of spending the funds. He stated that they have been taking over the funding for the past two years and this year the Town only has to put in enough money for one third of the cost. The Ulster County Board of Elections sends the Town an estimate of how much we should put in the budget line and this year they told us to put in \$11,000.00, so that is what we have budgeted.

Mr. Dan Conna asked about the Workman's Comp. program that the Town uses.

Supervisor Croce stated that the Town uses the Ulster County Self Insurance.

Mr. Conna stated that that program was very expensive.

Supervisor Croce stated that he agreed that it was expensive, however in order to get out of it, we would have to buy-out of it and that is expensive also. They make it so you can't afford to buy-out.

Mr. Conna stated that there was a company out of Buffalo that he would suggest looking into.

Councilwoman Delgado stated that that company is actually out of Binghamton.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick asked about the budget line entitled Public Health?

Supervisor Croce explained that this budget line was used for Highway Dept. drug testing and counselling.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick asked about the Drainage Districts.

Supervisor Croce explained that when a subdivision goes before the Planning Board for site plan review, sometimes they set up a drainage district within the subdivision to make sure that water and rain run-off is not a problem. They create drainage ditches and retention ponds which direct or hold the run-off so as not to impact properties within the subdivision or properties that border the subdivision.

These drainage district systems have to be cleaned and maintained and the property owners within that particular subdivision are charged an amount, on their tax bills, to pay for this maintenance. Our Town Highway Dept. does the maintenance and bills the Drainage District accordingly.

A resident asked if the Town could answer any questions on the Library Budget?

Supervisor Croce explained that the Town does not have anything to do with the Library Budget. The Library gives the Town the amount to be raised by taxes and it is added in on the tax bill. He stated that the Town does not receive a break-down of the expenses.

Ms. Valerie Smith stated that anyone with questions on the Library Budget could come to a Library Trustee meeting or visit the website. She stated that it is the same as the Fire Departments. They do their own budgets and hold their own public hearings and vote.

Supervisor Croce stated yes, if you don't like the size of a Fire Dept. budget, you have to go there and ask questions at one of their meetings. It is the same with the Library Budget.

Mrs. Laskowsky asked why some lines have a minus 100% (-100%).

Supervisor Croce explained that it is the reverse of the plus 100%. That is the way the computer program calculates the deduction. If there was money there last year and we do not have to put money in that budget line this year, it will show as a zero amount or minus 100% (-100%).

Supervisor Croce then reviewed the Revenue Page of the budget. He explained that this revenue page was to show what money is coming in to the Town. He explained how the 2% cap was not really at 2% anymore as last year they had to keep the budget under 1.7% and this year it has to stay under .73%.

Supervisor Croce stated that there are some revenue lines that are known because the Town will be taking in money, as is the example of Rocking Horse Ranch. We sell the tickets and that money comes in on this page and then we pay it out of the Recreation budget line when we pay Rocking Horse Ranch. He stated that then there are other lines, like the mortgage tax that is an estimation of what we think we will be receiving from the County. And their payment to us is not always on a set date. It is possible that we will not receive our payment for this year until months into the following year.

There was discussion on the Town overriding the tax cap.

Supervisor Croce explained that the Town would have to adopt a law to override the Tax Cap and if we did, then residents would not receive the Tax Freeze Checks from the County. He explained that this year the Town and the School District had to stay under the Tax Cap and he had to submit a plan in July showing that the Town was using "shared services". He stated that the plan he submitted was accepted by the State, so residents should be receiving their checks this fall.

Mrs. Laskowsky asked about several 100% increases in the revenue lines.

Supervisor Croce explained that a few budget lines showed no revenue in the 2015 Adopted Budget and this year we are expecting revenue. That makes this line go from a zero amount to something being budgeted. The computer system sees this as a 100% increase. Also, there are a few lines where the amount budgeted for in 2015 is being doubled and the computer also sees this as a 100% increase (as in the dog control revenue line).

There was more discussion on revenues to the Town including court fees, grants and the URGENT Program.

Lieutenant Smith was present and explained that the Police Dept. also puts in for grants every year to help pay for special patrol salaries for the officers. He stated that the Town also receives a grant to continue the DARE program.

Lieutenant Smith stated that the Town is also a partner in the U.R. G.E.N.T. Program to help with narcotics and drug enforcement. He stated that when the Town is involved in an arrest situation using shared services with the County URGENT Program, any money that is confiscated is then disbursed to the involved agencies. He stated that the Town of Plattekill has received money over the past few years and although the money has to be used to combat drug and narcotics issues, this does help pay for equipment, training and other items that the department needs to make our lives here safe from drugs. He stated that drugs are here and it is one of the major issues that our Officers deal with on a daily basis.

Mr. Conna stated that Police Departments need every cent they can get. Every little bit helps.

Supervisor Croce stated that the Town Board tries to be as accurate and as realistic as possible when estimating the revenues for the Town. Sometimes we have documentation to help us make decisions, but sometimes they are educated guesses.

Mrs. Coppola asked if the Supervisor was going to discuss the last two pages on the budget?

Supervisor Croce explained that the last two pages were a report from the Assessor's Office that the Town Clerk attaches to the budget for information purposes.

Barbara Dawes, the Town Clerk, stated that she is required to put that report on the back of the Town Budget and it indicates the amount of exemptions that the Assessor has given for this taxing year.

Supervisor Croce suggested that the best person to ask for questions about this report would be the Assessor as he would be able to give the breakdown on each individual exemption.

There were no further questions from the Public.

* Supervisor Croce made a motion to close the Public Hearing on the 2016 Town Budget at 8:18 PM. Councilwoman Delgado seconded.

On the vote: all ayes.

Supervisor Croce stated that as the Budget Officer, he wanted to thank the Town Board and all the Department Heads for working with him on this budget. He stated that he does not like to hear residents say that they cannot stay here because they cannot afford to pay their taxes. We need to work hard to keep these taxes at a level we can all afford so that we can stay here with our children and grandchildren.

REGULAR TOWN BOARD MEETING

Time: 8:20 PM

MINUTES

* Supervisor Croce made a motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes from the Oct. 7th and October 21st, 2015 Regular Town Board Meetings.

Councilman Putnam seconded.

On the vote: all ayes.

* Supervisor Croce made a motion to accept the minutes from the Oct. 7, 2015 Regular Town Board Meeting.

Councilman Putnam seconded.

On the vote: Supervisor Croce	Yes
Councilman Putnam	Yes
Councilman Farrelly	Abstained (he was absent)
Councilwoman Delgado	Yes
Councilman DePew	Yes

* Supervisor Croce made a motion to accept the minutes from the Oct. 21, 2015 Regular Town Board Meeting.

Councilman DePew seconded.

On the vote: all ayes.

ADDITIONS

Supervisor Croce stated that he had three additions this evening:

1.Nixle.com – Public Notification System:

Supervisor Croce read a memo that he received from the Town of Plattekill Highway Department stating that the Highway Department had partnered with the Plattekill Police Department to set up an e-mail or text message Public Notification System. He read that several other Towns in the area have already put their System into service and these two Town Agencies felt that this would be a good service for our community.

Supervisor Croce read that the system is called Nixle.com and residents can go to this website, search for the Town of Plattekill, and then set up an account with some general information to receive either e-mails or text alerts on their phone to receive public safety messages for things like road closures due to police activity, highway work or fire department activity. A typical message would be to alert the public to avoid travel on a particular roadway or area. Not all activities will be posted on Nixel.com and the Highway Superintendent and Police Chief or Lieutenant will be determining what messages will be listed on the service. Everyone also needs to be aware that they should check with their billing plan because standard text message fees will be charged.

Supervisor Croce stated that he would give this information to the Town Publicist to put on the website and make sure that it reminds people to check their billing plan for additional charges.

Lieutenant Smith stated that people can sign up for service from the State and County Sherriff Dept., not just the Plattekill PD and it does not include the Fire Dept. This is a free service to the Police and then they can piggy-back another Town agency, so he suggested that the Highway Dept. go on too. He stated that this would not be any cost to the Town and there will be three administrators who will be authorized to put messages on the system.

Supervisor Croce thanked Lt. Smith for offering to include the Town in this program.

2.Cablevision Merger With Altice N.V.:

Supervisor Croce read a letter that he received from Cablevision along with two copies of a Merger Agreement whereby Altice N.V. will acquire Cablevision Systems Corporation. He stated that the letter was informing the Town that this takeover was eminent and that the Town is required to give their consent for the change of control. He stated that the FCC rules state that the Town has to fill out "Form 394" assessing the financial, legal and technical capabilities of Altice with regard to the operations of the franchise and then adopt a consent resolution. In reading the letter, it stated that Altice has no current plans to change the terms and conditions of service or operation of the cable system in the community.

Supervisor Croce stated that he has all the information in his office and he would suggest that each Town Board member take the time to come in and review the information so that they can adopt a resolution at a future Town Board Meeting.

Mrs. Coppola asked if the Town could ask these new people for things that we did not get when we spoke with Cablevision on the new contract.

Supervisor Croce stated that he did not think so. The letter states that they were not going to change the conditions of the contract. The Town Board is just assessing the financial, legal and technical capabilities of the new company.

Mr. Conna stated that he has been interested in this type of industry since he was a small child and we need to get them to improve their service. We only have Plattekill and the Town of Lloyd on this side of the Hudson River and they do not pay much attention to us. We should be getting much better coverage for things like news and sports. They forget about us here and only care about what is going on in Dutchess County. Our service from them is terrible.

3.Building Department Request To Return Fees:

Supervisor Croce read a memo from the Building Dept. stating that fees were collected for the issuance of 4 Building Permits and now these jobs have been canceled for various reasons. The company, Solar City, is requesting that the building permit fees be refunded as the projects are not moving forward.

The Town Board agreed that they did not want to keep refunding fees collected for the issuance of building permits. The staff has taken the time to review the project, print the necessary forms and collect the proper payment. They have spent time on issuing the permit and the Town should be compensated for this time.

There was discussion that the company signs people up for getting solar panels and then they are given a grace period to say that they changed their mind and don't want them anymore or they find out that for some reason, they do not have enough room for the panels or just don't want them on their roof. This is part of their business and we should not be involved in how they run their business.

The Town Board was in agreement that they did not want to become a part of Solar City's business and they made the decision not to return the fees to Solar City.

Supervisor Croce stated that he would discuss this matter with Mr. LoCicero, the Town Building Inspector.

PUBLIC INPUT

Mrs. Gladys Figueroa stated that she wanted to congratulate the Town Board members for being re-elected, but she also wanted to know what is being done about the garbage that has been previously discussed at other Town Board Meetings?

Councilman DePew stated that he just spoke to the Building Inspector about the areas where there is still garbage and he stated that letters have been sent to the property owners. There are several other areas in Town too, that were not discussed at a previous meeting.

Mrs. Figueroa stated that the gas station in Plattekill was cleaned up.

Supervisor Croce stated yes, and that is one property where the Building Dept. contacted the owners and the owners cleaned it up.

Mrs. Figueroa stated no, she contacted the owners and had it cleaned up.

Supervisor Croce stated that the Town Building Dept. spoke to the owner's nephew or grandson and he knows that they removed the couches and furniture.....

Mrs. Figueroa spoke up stating no, she was the one who contacted the owner and the corporation and got it cleaned up.

Supervisor Croce stated that he is stating what the Building Dept. told him.

Mr. Jamie Pagan stated that Mrs. Figueroa is the one who got this cleaned up and she has all the paperwork and the e-mails to prove it.

Supervisor Croce asked Mrs. Figueroa if she could provide him with copies of the paperwork so he could discuss it with the Code Enforcement Officer?

Mrs. Figueroa stated yes, she would get him the information.

Mrs. Pearl Morse stated that she wanted to report that all the yellow bows have been delivered so we are ready for Veteran's Day. She stated that she also had a green light bulb for everyone at the meeting tonight to put on for 3 hours on Veteran's Day to show their support.

Mrs. Morse and several other residents handed out the green light bulbs and everyone thanked her for her generosity.

Councilman Putnam asked Mrs. Morse if more signs could be put up around Town notifying people that they can purchase a paver/brick? He stated that he had spoken to several Veterans and they had not heard about purchasing them.

Mrs. Morse stated yes, she could get more put up.

Supervisor Croce stated that he would also check with the Publicist to see if we could get it on the website again.

Mr. Jamie Pagan stated that he also wanted to congratulate the Town Board on their re-election. He stated that he also wanted to bring a few things to light, now that the elections are over.

Mr. Pagan started to speak about a resident and the Supervisor asked him to stop as this was not the time or place to discuss personnel matters.

Mr. Pagan stated that this person was a member of the ZBA and he wanted to know what the Town was planning to do about him. He stated that he stole papers from his campaign and he admitted to taking them.

Supervisor Croce asked him what papers were stolen?

Mr. Pagan stated that he took pamphlets from the board. He stated to the Supervisor that he knew where he was going with this and he knows what he is going to say.

Supervisor Croce stated that he had no plans to do anything with the person he is speaking about.

Mr. Pagan stated that this is an integrity issue and he felt this put the Town in a liability situation and when people come before him on the Zoning Board, they will not know if they are being treated fairly.

Supervisor Croce stated that the ZBA is a seven member Board and he is only one member. Has he been charged with a crime?

Mr. Pagan stated that it doesn't matter if he was charged with a crime or not. What matters is that he was caught on tape while representing the Town and his behavior was highly unethical. He stated that he should be removed from his position. He stated that he admitted to authorities that he took the brochures and he should be completely out. He stated that he has also been going around saying that he has friends in the Police Dept. and that is why he can get away with this. So you guys have a big problem and he was putting the Town Board on notice.

Mr. Pagan stated that another issue is that it is not anyone's business that his brother-in-law was driving him around. Just because he works for the Town, no one should be asking him about it. It is none of their business. He was questioned by two of the Town Board members as to why he was driving me around and it is because he is my brother-in-law.

Mr. Pagan stated that it was also brought to his attention that someone spoke to the owner of the store and stated their displeasure that he was allowed to see the video. He stated that he happens to be an x- police officer and a very good one. So either way, he was going to find out about the video. He stated that he is very good at what he does and he has other issues he could bring up also, but he did not want to bring them up during the campaign. He didn't want to hear that he is this or that, so he waited until after to bring up these things. He stated that whether the Town Board likes it or not, they are working for the people; the people don't work for them. That is the way it is. He stated that he is seeing this man being protected by this Town Board and it is absurd. We all know what he did and he admitted to it. He stated that he also speaks out during Town Board meetings and we are not sure whether he is speaking as a Zoning Board Member or as a private citizen. Sometimes he seems to be representing himself as the whole Zoning Board.

Mr. Pagan stated that another thing he wanted to bring up is about the basketball court. The Town Board has stated that they don't want the liability and the bad element up at the Park. Look at the facility here. There are holes in the blacktop, the backboard is broken and it is not up to specifications. Talk about liability. Thank you for your time.

Officer Zapata stated that he just wanted to make it clear that the State Police, which is where Mr. Pagan worked as an officer, were the ones that investigated this case. He stated that he has known Mr. Castillo for many years and that the papers were on a bulletin board which is set up for people to look at

and they can take off and take it home. There were no signs taken down, pamphlets are there for the taking.

Mr. Pagan stated that just because the Republican DA doesn't want to prosecute someone, that doesn't mean it isn't wrong.

Supervisor Croce stopped Mr. Pagan at this time stating that he had made his point.

Mrs. Laskowsky asked if she could just ask the Town Board one more thing? She wanted to know if the Town had an Ethics Board?

Supervisor Croce stated that there is a provision for one in the Town Code, but he did not think that there has been one in many years. He stated that there has not been an Ethics Board since he has been part of the Town Board.

Mrs. Coppola stated yes, she was on the Ethics Board many years ago. There have been decisions made in the past. She stated that appointing this Board has been neglected in the past few years. She stated that anyone could look up the Ethics Board in the current Town Code or go to the Town Clerk and she can make you copies.

Mrs. Laskowsky asked if the Town Board would be appointing an Ethics Committee in January?

Supervisor Croce stated that he would look into it. He stated that he felt it would not be easy finding someone who is impartial to sit on the Board.

Mrs. Figueroa stated that she just wanted to say something about the Castillo situation. She stated that she does not look at people as whether they are Democrat or Republican or anything else. She stated that she asked Mr. Castillo to call her father in Puerto Rico about a private issue and he said he would call, but he never did. She feels he has not called him because he is a Democrat and she does not understand why this would make calling him a problem. She asked if this made any sense?

Supervisor Croce stated that he was not sure that he agreed with what she was saying, however he did understand what she was saying. He stated that he was not sure any of us have the ability or the right to decide why someone does what they do.

Mr. Conna stated that everyone should learn to get along with others.

Supervisor Croce stated that he has always felt that we can disagree without being disagreeable.

A resident stated that she felt the Supervisor was wrong about not being able to find someone who is impartial. She stated that if this was true, then we would have no one to be on jury duty.

Ms. Valerie Smith stated that she would agree that sometimes Mr. Castillo speaks on issues during the Town Board Meetings as if he is speaking for the entire Zoning Board. She stated that when he is here, he should speak as a private citizen.

* Supervisor Croce made a motion to close the Public Input section of the meeting at 9:05 PM.

Councilman Putnam seconded.

On the vote: all ayes.

SECTION 1 – HUDSON VALLEY HORNETS

Supervisor Croce stated that the Town Board has been trying to deal with a situation at the Old Orchard Airport as they would like to make some improvements. He stated that the Town Board had

tried to use the General Business Law Section 249, by adopting a resolution and asking the DOT for approval as that was the way the original airport was made.

Supervisor Croce stated that he received an e-mail back from Mr. Edmund Buckley from the DOT and he read the e-mail to everyone. The e-mail stated that the improvement, as was explained to him, was for cutting down trees in the area at the end of the runway to provide a safe area at the end of the runway and that this type of improvement does not fit the definition of an Airport Improvement under the General Business Law Section 249. The improvement would have to be changing the runway in some fashion and this is not the case.

Supervisor Croce stated that he has spoken to the Planning Board chairperson about this e-mail and he will be sending a letter to the Planning Board including a copy of the e-mail. He stated that the Town Board will have to direct the Hudson Valley Hornets to go back to the Planning Board to see what they can do. He stated to Mr. Schindler that he was sorry for all the bouncing back and forth between Boards, but hopefully all of this will be figured out.

Mr. Schindler thanked the Town Board for all that they have done.

SECTION 2 – ASSESSMENT BOARD OF REVIEW APPOINTMENT

Supervisor Croce explained that the Board of Assessment Review members have a five year term, starting Oct. 1 and ending on Sept. 30th. He stated that this year Ms. Valerie Smith is up for re-appointment and there is one more meeting that they have to attend to sign off on corrections made during the Grievance process. He stated that Ms. Smith has stated she would like to remain on the Assessment Board of Review.

* Councilwoman Delgado made a motion to re-appoint Ms. Valerie Smith to the Assessment Board of Review for a term to begin on October 1, 2015 and end on Sept. 30, 2020.

Councilman Putnam seconded.

On the vote: all ayes.

SECTION 3 – CUB SCOUT & BOY SCOUT REQUEST

Councilwoman Delgado read a letter from Cub Scout Pack 95 and Boy Scout Troop 195 requesting permission to put a donation box in the Town Hall so that donations can be made for male and female veterans who are both hospitalized and outpatients at Castle Point Hospital in Beacon. They will also hang up a flyer with suggested items to be donated.

* Councilman DePew made a motion to allow Cub Scout Pack 95 and Boy Scout Troop 195 to put a collection box in the Town Hall.

Councilwoman Delgado seconded.

On the vote: all ayes.

SECTION 4 – VOUCHERS

* Councilman DePew made a motion to pay the Voucher Detail Report dated 11/4/2015, which includes: the General Fund amount of \$39,171.93, the Highway Fund amount of \$28,547.72, the Capital Projects amount of \$16,690.03, the Clintondale Street Light District amount of \$686.49, the Modena

Street Light District amount of \$1,247.19 and the Trust & Agency amount of \$500.00 for a total amount of \$86,843.36 recognizing that the Audit Committee has reviewed the claims and found them acceptable for payment.

Councilwoman Delgado seconded.

On the vote: all ayes.

SECTION 5 – ADJOURNMENT

* Supervisor Croce made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:13 PM.

Councilman DePew seconded.

On the vote: all ayes.