

The Regular meeting of the Town of Rockland was held on March 3, 2016 at 7:00 P.M. in the Town Hall, Main Street, Livingston Manor, New York with the following members:

PRESENT: COUNCILPERSON GLEN CARLSON
COUNCILPERSON PETE DEVANTIER
COUNCILPERSON JOANN RYDER
COUNCILPERSON EDWIN EDWARDS

ABSENT: SUPERVISOR ROBERT EGGLETON

OTHERS PRESENT: Caroline Devoe, Deputy Town Clerk, Theodore Hartling, Highway Superintendent, Glenn Gabbard, Code Enforcement and several members of the public:

Councilperson Pete Devantier called the meeting to order with the pledge to the flag.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

On a motion of Mr. Carlson, seconded by Ms. Ryder and Mr. Edwards abstaining, the minutes of February 18, 2016 were approved as distributed.

CORRESPONDENCE

- Sullivan Renaissance Annual Conference, Saturday, March 5 at 10:00 in Bethel
- Sisters of Bethlehem sent notice of new caretaker Deacon Donald Prendergast
- Ag & Market inspection report - passed
- Response from Senator Bonacic - working on lowering some taxes

Presentation by Dan Snider on Emerald Ash Borer, part of Catskill Region Invasive Species Partnership "CRISP" and funded through the DEC

OLD BUSINESS

- **Updates on Projects** Councilperson Pete Devantier gave updates on the following projects: Highway Barn/Office (electrical work to be finished next week), Livingston Manor Sewage Treatment: (poles are up for covering over the drying beds and the project is on schedule with construction) electrician is not Sullivan County licensed but that situations is currently being corrected, Solar Project: looking at alternate sites in the Town of Rockland (airport) to allow for tax exempt status.
- High usage water & sewer bill - on hold until next meeting

NEW BUSINESS

- Roscoe Chamber would like to install a collage plaque of the 1916 fire & to relocate the carved two-headed trout.
- Sullivan Renaissance \$10,000 grant will be used towards the River Walk Project
- Water & Sewer Weekend Duty Schedule
- Town Clerks Monthly Report
- Mowing Bid: to review or modify LM Sewer Plant #9 & add Town Hall yard #4, will have more information for next meeting.

DEPARTMENT HEADS

Highway - Ted Hartling

Water/Sewer - Bob Wolcott

Assessor - Cynthia Theadore

Code Enforcement - Glenn Gabbard

APPROVAL OF BILLS

On a motion of Mr. Carlson, seconded by Mr. Edwards, the following resolution was ADOPTED - VOTE - AYES 4, NAYS 0 - RESOLVED - to approve the bills on the abstract #5 in the following amounts:

Barn Highway Project	8	2,665.00
General Fund	72 to 91	68,496.37
Highway	69 to 86	23,604.85
Liv. Manor Sewer	26 to 33	2,610.73

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Roscoe Rockland Water	27 to 34	2,928.25
Liv Manor Water	26 to 33	3,540.18
Roscoe Sewer	33 to 40	1,843.93
Roscoe Rockland Light	5 to 6	1,260.08
Livingston Manor Sewer Construction	6 to 8	138,582.60
Roscoe Rockland Light	7	119.30

PUBLIC COMMENT None

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion of Mr. Carlson, seconded by Mr. Edwards and carried, the meeting was adjourned at 7:57 PM.