

# ***Caroga News Flash***

## ***Town Board Meeting Highlights***

**January 6, 2021**

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This 2021 organizational meeting at Town Hall and via zoom lasted 43 minutes.

### **Resolutions / Local Laws:**

#### **1. Elected Officials — (5-0 vote)**

- Supervisor: Scott Horton
- Highway Superintendent: Larry Voght
- Town Clerk/Tax Collector/Registrar/Records Management Officer: Linda Gilbert
- Town Justice: James Subik
- Council Members: John Glenn, James Long, Richard Sturgess, Donald Travis

#### **2. Organizational Business — (5-0 vote)**

- Financial Institution is NBT Bank.
- Regular Board meetings will be the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday at 7:00pm plus 12/29/21 at 7:00pm.
- Supervisor is authorized to invest money, pay fixed bills, pay officials' monthly salaries.
- 2021 Gas Mileage will be \$0.58/mile. Detailed logs shall be kept and submitted monthly.
- Highway Superintendent is authorized to spend within budget up to \$2,000 without authorization, \$2,000-5,000 with Supervisor approval, over \$5,000 with Board approval.
- The official newspaper is *The Leader Herald*.
- If an official will be out of town more than 48 hours, the Town Clerk should be notified.
- Holidays will be: New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, General Election Day, Columbus Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas.

#### **3. Appointed Positions – (5-0 vote)**

Sanitation Inspector/Code Enforcement Officer: Anthony Fancher; Registrar of Vital Statistics: Linda Gilbert; Dog Control: Howard Dutcher; Youth Director: Colleen Ricciardi; Historian: Richard Nilsen; Building Maintenance Staff: Robert Thompson, alt. Robert Nellis; BTI Coordinator: John Delesky; Weed Harvesting Coordinator: Gene Centi; Sole Assessor: Leigh Anne Loucks; Golf Professional/Greens Keeper/Manager: under negotiation; Planning Board Chairman: Al Kozakiewicz; Zoning Board of Appeals Chairman: Douglas Purcell; Alternate Members to the Planning Board: to be announced; Alternate Member to the Zoning Board of Appeals: to be announced; Code Building Safety Inspector and Code Clerk: Jennifer Blowers; Deputy Town Supervisor: Dr. John Glenn; Deputy Highway Superintendent: Henry Snell; Deputy Town Clerk: Judith Aldinger; ZBA/Planning Clerk: James McMartin Long; Bookkeeper/Budget Officer: Joanne Young; Court Clerk: Thelma Subik; Clerk to the Highway Superintendent: Kim Satterly; Trail Manager: Jeremy Manning

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### **4. Yearly Salaries & Hourly Rates — (4-1 vote)**

- Highway is by contract. All other positions will be reviewed. Pay increases will be retroactive to January 1, 2021, and decreases, if any, will be effective on resolution.
- Salaries Paid Quarterly — Budget Officer \$2,920; Weed Harvesting Coordinator \$16,000
- Salaries Paid Monthly — Town Justice \$15,810; Dog Control Officer \$5,869; Town Attorney (as billed); Court Clerk \$3,535; 4 Town Board Members \$3,043.75 each; Supervisor \$10,232; Bike Trail Manager \$10,000
- Salaries Paid Annually — Historian \$700; Deputy Superintendent of Highways \$2,208
- Salaries Paid Bi-Weekly — Bookkeeper to Supervisor \$25,505; Town Clerk/Tax Collector \$37,031; Registrar of Vital Statistics \$812; Superintendent of Highways \$50,000; Greens Keeper/Manager/Golf Pro (per contract); BTI. Coordinator \$16,475; Youth Director \$5,875; Youth Teacher \$1,635
- Appointed Employees Paid Hourly — Sole Assessor \$26.00; Supervisor's Confidential Secretary \$18.00; Code Enforcement Officer \$26.00; Building Safety Inspector/Code Clerk \$20.00; Highway Motor Equipment Operator (by contract); Highway Mechanic (by contract); Deputy Town Clerk \$15.45; Laborer (Golf Course I) \$14.99; Laborer (Golf Course II) \$14.56; Golf Pro Assistant (Pro Shop) \$12.50; BTI Technician (I) \$13.54; BTI Technician (II) \$12.88; Diver (Senior) \$24.00; Diver (First Year) \$22.64; Tender (Senior) \$13.62; Tender (First Year) \$13.23; Laborer (Janitorial) \$14.05; Boat Wash/Lake Steward \$12.50; Summer Youth Rec \$12.50; Summer Youth Rec Bus Driver \$16.50; Summer Youth Rec Life Guard \$13.00; Lead Bike Trail Builder \$25.00; Assistant Lead Bike Trail Builder \$20.00; Bike Trail Laborer \$15.00

### **5. Planning Board — (5-0 vote) Reappointed Karen Dutcher (1/1/2021-12/31/2027)**

### **6. Zoning Board of Appeals — (5-0 vote) Reappointed Frank Malagisi (1/1/2021-12/31/2025)**

### **7. Attorneys for the Town — (4-1 vote) Appointed Christopher Langlois (of Girvin & Ferlazzo) as Attorneys for the Town as Independent Contractors with a \$1,050 monthly retainer for non-litigation services plus \$195 per hour for litigation/legal services over 72 hours per year.**

### **8. Parks, Lakes, Recreation, & Tourism (PLRT) —**

- Appointed Gene Centi (1/1/2021-12/31/-2028) as Chair (1/1/2021-12/31/2021) (4-1 vote)
- Appointed Amanda French (to Karen Dutcher's vacant seat, 1/1/2021-12/31/2025) (5-0 vote)
- Appointed Barb DeLuca (1/1/2021-12/31/2027) (5-0 vote)

### **Next Meeting:**

#### **Monthly Meeting**

**Wednesday January 13, 2021 7:00pm (Town Hall & zoom)**

Join zoom.us or dial 929-205-6099 Meeting ID: 687 640 4445 Passcode: 427903

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