

Catskill Town Board Monthly Meeting – December 3, 2019

Catskill Town Hall 6:30 pm

Attendance: Doreen Davis, Supervisor
 Jared Giordiano, Councilman
 Patrick McCulloch, Councilman
 Dawn Scannapieco, Councilwoman
 Paul Vosburgh, Councilman

Supervisor Davis opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. She thanked all in attendance for coming to the meeting and gave a special thank you to our highway personnel and first responders. She stated there are a couple of items on her agenda to discuss and after will be entertaining a motion to enter into executive session on two separate issues.

Ben Gehring and Philip Gehrman of Power Research & Development spoke briefly to the board regarding supplying local communities with clean power and their interest in looking at sites in NY. If the board is interested and they would like further discussion.

MINUTES:

November 7th Town Board Monthly Meeting

November 20th Town Board Committee Meeting

Motion: Councilman McCulloch Second: Councilman Giordiano, carried

CORRESPONDENCE:

CivicPlus notice of increase, web management.

Pitney Bowes, notice of malware attack.

NYS Dept Public Work letter regarding winter outreach and education campaign to help consumers manage their energy bills.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Joseph Izzo expressed his sincere thank you to the outgoing Supervisor for her past four years of service. As a former Town Supervisor, issues that arise can either hurt you or help you. There was great progress made in the town under your tenure these last four years, issues other past Supervisors shied away from. The Town Supervisor takes on more work and responsibility than people understand especially with issues which are highly controversial. Your legacy is and will be greatly appreciated.

Supervisor Davis stated she had learned how to make decisions and stand up for what is right from her past work experience. The Planning Board is not without controversies but has been handled with ethics and integrity.

With no further comment Supervisor Davis asked for a motion to enter into executive session and invited the Town Attorney, Code Enforcement Officer, Town Clerk, NYMIR, and Supervisor Elect Finch into the meeting. Motion to enter into executive session made by Councilman Giordiano second by Councilman McCulloch. Executive session 1 began 7:09 pm.

Executive session ended at 7:13 pm and on motion of Councilman Giordiano second by Councilman Vosburgh, the second executive session began at 7:13 pm. Supervisor Davis invited the Town Clerk, Town Attorney, Leeds Fire Chief and Supervisor Elect Finch into the second executive session.

Motion to exit executive session and end the meeting was made by Councilman Giordiano second by Councilman Vosburgh. Meeting ended 8:07 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth Izzo
Town Clerk