

A regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Sweden was held at the Town Hall, 18 State Street, Brockport, New York, on Tuesday, March 23, 2010.

Town Board Members present were Supervisor John Milner, Councilperson Rob Carges, Councilperson Pat Connors and Councilperson Michael Myers. Councilperson Danielle Windus-Cook was absent. Also present were Director of Finance Leisa Strabel, Superintendent of Highways Fred Perrine, Buildings and Grounds Todd Dobson and Town Clerk Karen M. Sweeting.

Visitors present were residents Timothy Bates, Cora Schrader, Annie Crane, Bernie LoBracco and George Wohlers.

Supervisor Milner called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. and asked everyone present to say the Pledge to the Flag. Supervisor Milner then acknowledged the presence of the visitors and asked if there was anyone that would like to speak.

Resident Cora Schrader complimented the Town on the recent changes to the lounge and computer areas at the Senior Center. She stated that the seniors realize the need for more change and understand that the next generations of seniors have different interests. Ms. Schrader is concerned with the lack of input and involvement requested of the seniors at the center from the board in making these changes.

Resident Bernie LoBracco presented his opinion of possible impacts to the Town of Sweden relative to Village dissolution and asked how he could obtain a copy of the Sweden Town Code. The board explained that anyone can purchase a copy of the code and it is also available to view at the Town Hall and Seymour Library.

No other comments.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Councilperson Connors made a motion that was seconded by Councilperson Myers to accept the minutes of the regular meeting held on March 13, 2010. All voted in favor of the motion – four ayes. Motion adopted.

No correspondence noted.

REPORTS

Superintendent of Highways Fred Perrine reported crews are busy removing snow fence and completing seasonal repairs due to snowplow damage.

Councilperson Myers attended a fundraising event at Seymour Library.

Councilperson Connors reported that the final county Pre-Disaster Mitigation Plan meeting for this year would be held on April 9th. The county plan will be approved and submitted to the state.

Councilperson Carges presented options for the sign at the Sweden Clarkson Community Center.

Supervisor Milner met with Fred Perrine, Craig McAllister and representatives from the Department of Transportation to discuss several community concerns.

RESOLUTIONS

RESOLUTION NO. 36

Appoint Seasonal Laborer – Garrison

WHEREAS, there is a need for seasonal labor for cemetery operations; and

WHEREAS, the Superintendent of Highways has recommended hiring Kevin Garrison for seasonal cemetery operations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

- Sec. 1. That the Town Board of the Town of Sweden does hereby appoint Kevin Garrison as a seasonal laborer for cemetery operations.
- Sec. 2. That this appointment does not constitute an offer of permanent employment or any benefits that are normally attached to permanent appointments.
- Sec. 3. That the rate of pay will be \$9.50 per hour.
- Sec. 4. That the start date will be April 12, 2010 and that the appointment will end on or before November 19, 2010.
- Sec. 5. That this resolution shall take effect immediately.

MOTION for adoption of this resolution by Councilperson Connors
Seconded by Councilperson Myers

Discussion:

VOTE BY ROLL CALL AND RECORD:

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| Councilperson Carges | <u>Aye</u> |
| Councilperson Connors | <u>Aye</u> |
| Councilperson Myers | <u>Aye</u> |
| Councilperson Windus-Cook | <u>Absent</u> |
| Supervisor Milner | <u>Aye</u> |

Submitted – March 23, 2010

Adopted

APPROVAL FOR PAYMENT OF BILLS

All of the Board members reviewed the invoice audit journal. Councilperson Carges made a motion that was seconded by Councilperson Connors authorizing payment of the bills in Abstract 3 dated March 24, 2010 in the amount of \$223,717.05. All voted in favor of the motion – four ayes. Motion adopted.

General Fund: In the amount of \$50,495.57 as set forth in Abstract 3 dated March 24, 2010.
Highway Fund: In the amount of \$90,541.54 as set forth in Abstract 3 dated March 24, 2010.
Special Fund: In the amount of \$82,679.94 as set forth in Abstract 3 dated March 24, 2010.

DISCUSSION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

No discussion or announcements.

ADJOURNMENT

As there was no further business to come before the Board, Councilperson Connors moved to adjourn the March 23, 2010 meeting of the Sweden Town Board at 7:50 p.m. Councilperson Myers seconded the motion. All voted in favor of the motion – four ayes. Motion adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen M. Sweeting, Town Clerk