

At 7:25 P.M. Supervisor Lester called to order a public hearing at the Town Hall, 18 State Street, Brockport, New York on July 22, 2003. The purpose of the public hearing was to hear all persons in favor of or against the adoption of Local Law No. 3 2003 – Property Maintenance.

Present: Town of Sweden Supervisor Lester, Councilperson Carges, and Councilperson Connors, Councilperson Wheat and Councilperson Windus-Cook.

Also present: Alan Bader, Assessor, Charles Sanford, Fire Marshal, Julie and Frank Lapinski, 4016 Sweden Walker Road, Jim Hamlin, 50 Park Ave., Gayle Winzenried, 5044 Lake Rd. S., David Marciano, 5044 Lake Rd. S. #3, Tony Zappone, 132 Hollybrook Rd., John Stirk, 4690 Lake Rd. S., Jesi Geil, 6448 Rte. 31, Eduardo Galan, 6 Sweden Lane, Valerie Sarsfield, 5070 Lake Rd. S., Karen Neibel, 407 Holley St., Tom Schmidt, 17 Tudor Rd., Fred Watt, 75 Sweden Hill Rd., and Thomas Ferris.

Supervisor Lester called the public hearing to order. The Town Clerk read the legal notice of the hearing.

Supervisor read over the proposed Local Law No. 3 2003. He then called on residents to speak.

Eduardo Galan: He is opposed to the Property Maintenance law. There already are laws on the books to take care of this. The Health Department already has laws. Passing another law is creating a beauracracy.

D. Marciano: The law seems vague. It opens doors to harassment. Contractors leave debris and it doesn't get taken care of (Talamora Trail). He is against the law. Work on and enforce the rules we already have.

J. Geil: He has been asked to remove vehicles. And he did so. He had three and now he has two. Do not carry this too far. Compromise.

Fred Watt: He is favor of this law. There are four properties in Sweden Village that have junk vehicles.

Mr. Bader: The town is just creating stronger standards than the current state laws. The Town has a right to adopt the law and make this a better community to live in.

Jim Kent: He is against the law. What about farmers that have various pieces of equipment on their land?

Tom Schmidt: In favor of the law because it benefits everybody.

Tony Zappone: Is in favor of the law.

Charles Sanford: A Property Maintenance law is good. This will be more specific than the state law.

Mr. Giel: Not everybody is in the same circumstances. Individuals need to be taken into consideration.

There was no further discussion for and against Local Law No. 3 2003 - Property Maintenance. The Supervisor closed the Public Hearing at 8:00PM.

Respectfully submitted

Gail A. DeToy, Town Clerk