

At 6:45 p.m., Deputy Supervisor Carges called to order a public hearing at the Town Hall, 18 State Street, Brockport, New York, on August 24, 2004. The purpose of the public hearing was to hear all persons for or against the proposed amendment of Local Law 2 of 2003 Garage sales.

Town Board members present were Deputy Supervisor Carges, Councilperson Connors, Councilperson Ferris, and Councilperson Windus-Cook. Also present were Building Inspector Bill Weber, Finance Director Leisa Strabel, and Deputy Town Clerk Marleen Cain. Visitors present were Jim Hamlin from 50 Park Avenue, Charles McCullough from 7365 Fourth Section Road, Julie and Frank Lapinski from 4016 Sweden Walker Road, Valerie Sarsfield from 5070 Lake Road South, Karen Neibel from 407 Holley Street, Dog Control Office Kathy Beaumont, and Robbi Hess from the Suburban News.

Deputy Supervisor Carges called the public hearing to order and at this point asked if anyone had any comments.

Valerie Sarsfield asked for clarification of what the proposed change will be. She asked how many abused the law and how many complained. Why should everyone suffer because of a few?

Frank Lapinski asked how many permits have been issued since the law went into effect. He suggested trying enforcement rather than penalizing everyone for the few that abuse the law.

Charles McCullough stated he has a neighbor that sells constantly in his yard. He distributed pictures.

Bill Weber suggested changing the number of items in the exception to two. He said enforcement is difficult but possible.

There was no further discussion for or against the proposed amendment to Local Law 2 of 2003 Garage Sales. The Deputy Supervisor closed the public hearing at 7:06 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Marleen M. Cain, Deputy Town Clerk