

BOARD OF TRUSTEES
INC. VILLAGE OF EAST WILLISTON
REGULAR MEETING
MONDAY, MAY 9, 2022

Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Incorporated Village of East Williston was held on Monday, May 9, 2022 at 7:30 pm at the Village Hall, 2 Prospect Street, East Williston, New York.

There were present: Mayor Bonnie L.S. Parente, Trustees James Iannone, James Lark, Anthony Gallo, Village Clerk Marie L. Hauser, Village Attorney Jeffrey Blinkoff.

Excused from meeting: Deputy Mayor/Trustee Raffaella Dunne

Also present: Henry Yuen

RESOLUTION 2022-19 A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE DATE FOR THE VILLAGE-WIDE TAG SALE FOR SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2022 WITH NO RAIN DATE

On the motion of Mayor Parente, seconded by Trustee Lark, and with Mayor Parente and Trustees Iannone and Lark all voting "aye", the Board approved the date for the village-wide tag sale for Saturday, September 17, 2022 with no rain date.

On the motion of Trustee Lark, seconded by Trustee Gallo, and with Mayor Parente, and Trustees Iannone, Lark and Gallo all voting "aye", the Board approved the minutes of the annual organizational meeting and budget hearing of April 4, 2022.

On the motion of Trustee Iannone, seconded by Trustee Gallo, and with Mayor Parente and Trustees Iannone, Lark and Gallo all voting "aye", the Board approved the minutes of the agenda meeting of April 25, 2022.

On the motion of Mayor Parente, seconded by Trustee Iannone, and with Trustees Iannone, Lark and Gallo all voting "aye", the Board unanimously approved the abstract of claims for April 2022 (20210547 - 20210618).

TRUSTEE REPORTS

DEPUTY MAYOR/TRUSTEE RAFFAELA DUNNE

Deputy Mayor Dunne was absent from the meeting.

The next upcoming event for the Recreation Committee is the antique and exotic car show on May 14th.

MAYOR BONNIE L.S. PARENTE
RESOLUTION 2022-20 A RESOLUTION SETTING A DATE FOR A PUBLIC HEARING ON A PROPOSED LOCAL LAW AMENDING THE VILLAGE CODE ARTICLE XV SECTION 160-63 ENTITLED “TREES” FOR JUNE 13, 2022

On the motion of Mayor Parente, seconded by Trustee Gallo, and with Mayor Parente and Trustees Iannone and Lark all voting “aye”, the Board set a date for a public hearing on a proposed local law amending the Village Code Article XV Section 160-63 entitled “Trees” for June 13, 2022.

Mayor Parente stated that the village will once again hold its Memorial Day parade and ceremony on May 30, 2022.

Mayor Parente invited the members of Tzu Chi to participate in the parade if they wished to do so.

She further noted that she attended a wonderful ceremony on Sunday, May 8th at Tzu Chi celebrating Buddha’s birthday, Mother’s Day and Tzu Chi’s anniversary.

She hoped that the Tzu Chi Youth Orchestra will perform a concert on the village green this summer.

TRUSTEE JAMES IANNONE

The Village Justice Court for April 2022 reported 27 parking violations, one moving violation and four village ordinance violations. \$1635.00 total fines collected with \$25.00 in New York State surcharges.

The East Williston Seniors will meet on Thursday, May 19, 2022 at 1pm. Pizza and dessert will be served.

Trustee Iannone noted that the Wheatley High School senior will be hosting a dinner and jazz concert on May 18th at the Wheatley School. The RSVP has been extended to May 11th.

TRUSTEE JAMES LARK

Trustee Lark stated that there is nothing to report for the East Williston Little League, other than they are in the midst of their playing season.

Trustee Lark commended the work of public works employees for working in the rain to remove a large tree branch that fell onto the Devlin little league field.

TRUSTEE ANTHONY GALLO

Trustee Gallo presented the East Williston Fire Department report for April 2022. There was a total of four calls. Two general alarms and two emergency calls.

Trustee Gallo noted that the New York Power Authority reached out to the village with regard to the high voltage line under Roslyn Road. NYPA will need to shut down the line during the summer and install a new manhole near Robbins Drive and tie back into the line.

The car show taking place this coming weekend (May 14th) with proceeds going to benefit the East Williston Fire Department. Judging will take place at 2pm.

Trustee Gallo noted that a Boy Scout Eagle Scout Project of the construction of a game table is taking place on the village green. Residents can bring their own game pieces or visit the library to borrow pieces.

VILLAGE CLERK MARIE L. HAUSNER

The police report for April 2022 noted three auto accidents, five aided cases, no reports of burglary, robbery or criminal mischief. One moving violation and no parking violations were issued.

Building Department report for April 2022:

53 Lee Avenue, solar panel installation. 201 Earl Street, addition to home. 43 Orchard Drive, driveway installation. 78 Weeks Road, fence installation.

The Mayor opened the meeting to residents. No one wished to speak.

There being no further business, on the motion of Trustee Iannone, seconded by Trustee Gallo, the meeting was adjourned at 8:14 pm.