



**VILLAGE BOARD MEETING MINUTES
MONDAY, MAY 10, 2021 – 7:00 P.M.**

A Special Meeting of the Village Board of Trustees was held Monday, May 10, 2021 for the nomination of two police officers and authorization for the Mayor to sign the 2021-2022 tax warrant.

Present: Edward Markunas, Mayor
Steven Alpert, Trustee
Charles Barone, Trustee
Jo Meegan-Corrigan, Trustee
Fred Sauberman, Trustee
Robert Magrino, Attorney
Richard Glickel, Attorney
Kathy Van Sickle, Deputy Village Clerk

CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Markunas called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

A Workshop Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, June 1, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. This meeting was rescheduled due to observance of the Memorial Day holiday. A Regular Meeting of the Village Board of Trustees will be held Monday, June 7, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. The Mayor asked about holding the workshop meeting in person, keeping all social distancing in place according to CDC guidelines. After some discussion, it was decided to hold off on the in-person meeting and to discuss it further.

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

RESOLUTION NO. 79 OF 2021 – AUTHORIZING THE NOMINATION OF CHASE CLASS TO THE POSITION OF POLICE OFFICER FULL-TIME:

Chief Andrew Loughlin recommended to the Board the nomination of Mr. Chase Class as a full-time police officer. Mr. Class will fill an anticipated retirement on May 31, 2021. He comes highly recommended from the Warwick Police Department. A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Charles Barone, seconded by Trustee Jo Meegan-Corrigan, and passed unanimously by the Board.

RESOLUTION NO. 80 OF 2021 – AUTHORIZING THE NOMINATION OF DANIEL WYNNE TO THE POSITION OF POLICE OFFICER FULL-TIME:

Chief Andrew Loughlin said he had a second nomination to the position of police officer full-time. Chief Loughlin nominated Daniel Wynne to fill the second anticipated vacancy on May 31, 2021. Mr. Wynne comes from the NYPD and is a Village resident and a volunteer with the Suffern Fire Department, where he is a Lieutenant with the Hook and Ladder. Chief Loughlin feels that Mr. Wynne would be a great addition to the Suffern Police Department and the Village of Suffern. A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Steven Alpert, seconded by Trustee Jo Meegan-Corrigan, and passed unanimously by the Board.

MAYOR:

RESOLUTION NO. 81 OF 2021 – AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN THE 2021-2022 TAX WARRANT:

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Steven Alpert, seconded by Trustee Charles Barone, and passed unanimously by the Board.

RESOLUTION NO. 82 OF 2021 – ACCEPT RESIGNATION OF VILLAGE CLERK AMY PAFFENROTH, EFFECTIVE FRIDAY, MAY 14, 2021:

The Mayor said he had one other item. He has a resolution for the Village Board to accept the resignation of Village Clerk Amy Paffenroth, effective Friday, May 14, 2021.

The Mayor said he would personally like to thank Amy, a dedicated, hard-working, Village-loving Village Clerk for her great service to the Village of Suffern and to the residents of the Village. She will be greatly missed and he wishes her all the best.

Trustee Jo Meegan-Corrigan also thanked Amy for her service. Trustee Charles Barone said he would like to wish Amy good luck in the next chapter of her life. Trustee Steven Alpert said he would like to wish her good luck as well, as did Trustee Fred Sauberman.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Charles Barone, seconded by Trustee Fred Sauberman, and passed unanimously by the Board.

ADJOURNMENT:

A motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:11 p.m. was made by Trustee Charles Barone, seconded by Trustee Steven Alpert, and passed unanimously by the Board.