



**VILLAGE OF SUFFERN
BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING MINUTES
MONDAY, AUGUST 1, 2022**

Present: Michael F. Curley, Mayor
Jo Meegan-Corrigan, Deputy Mayor
Steven Alpert, Trustee
Frank Hagen, Trustee
Melissa B. Reimer, Village Clerk
Michael A. Genito, Village Treasurer

Absent : Fred Sauberman, Trustee

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Curley called the meeting to order and led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance. The Mayor requested a moment of silence for loved ones and friends.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

A Regular Meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 12, 2022, at 7:00 P.M.

A Regular Meeting is scheduled for Monday, October 3, 2022, at 7:00 P.M.

RESOLUTION NO. 154 OF 2022

APPROVAL OF MINUTES BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING OF JUNE 27, 2022

RESOLVED, the minutes of the Board of Trustees Meeting of June 27, 2022, be and are hereby approved.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Hagen and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 155 OF 2022

**AMENDING THE STANDARD SCHEDULE OF FEES WITH RESPECT TO
DEMOLITION PERMITS**

BE IT ENACTED, by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern as follows:

Section 1. The Standard Schedule of Fees of the Village of Suffern is hereby amended to provide that the fee for a Demotion Permit is Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) plus One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per One Thousand (1,000) Square Feet of Gross Floor Area of a Building or Structure to be demolished.

Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Alpert and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 156 OF 2022

AUTHORIZING THE APPROVAL OF AN AMENDMENT TO THE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE VILLAGE OF SUFFERN AND LOCAL 445, INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF TEAMSTERS

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern as follows:

WHEREAS, certain issues have arisen with respect to the appropriate pay schedules for the full-time Police Department Dispatchers and Police Record Clerks of the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, resolution of the issues necessitated renegotiation of a portion of the collective bargaining agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Village and Local 445 have negotiated the relevant portion of the collective bargaining agreement and wish to set forth the amendment to the collective bargaining agreement and appropriate pay sales in an amendment to the collective bargaining agreement in accordance with the Memorandum of Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern that the Mayor is authorized to execute the Memorandum of Agreement between the Village of Suffern and Local 445, International Brotherhood of Teamsters with respect to an amendment to the collective bargaining agreement for the full-time Police Department Dispatchers and Police Record Clerks of the Police Department subject to and conditioned upon the provision of executed releases from the affected individuals in a form acceptable to the Village Attorney.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Corrigan and seconded by Trustee Alpert and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 157 OF 2022

AUTHORIZING THE NOMINATION OF DAVID ECKERT TO THE POSITION OF POLICE OFFICER PART TIME

RESOLVED, Mayor Michael F. Curley and the Board of Trustees hereby nominate David Eckert to the position of Police Officer Part Time, at a rate of \$32.00 per hour, pending final certification of qualifications by Rockland County Personnel.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Corrigan and seconded by Trustee Alpert and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 158 OF 2022

AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF APPLICATION NO. 12 TO PITINGARO & DOETSCH CONSULTING ENGINEERS FOR THE BACKUP POWER FOR CRITICAL FACILITIES PROJECT

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern as follows:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern that payment of Application No. 12 to Pitingaro & Doetsch Consulting Engineers, P.C. in the amount of \$2,151.30 for Project 2021-006 GOSR NYCR-0256 Backup Power for Critical Facilities is hereby authorized, subject to approval by the Governor's Office of Storm Recovery.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Hagen and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 159 OF 2022

AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF APPLICATION NO. 12 TO PITINGARO & DOETSCH CONSULTING ENGINEERS FOR THE HARDENING OF WATER TREATMENT PLANT PROJECT

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern as follows:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern that payment of Application No. 12 to Pitingaro & Doetsch Consulting Engineers, P.C. in the amount of \$16,694.40 for Project 2021-005 GOSR NYCR-0255 Hardening of Water Treatment Plant is hereby authorized., subject to approval by the Governor's Office of Storm Recovery.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Hagen and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 160 OF 2022

AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF APPLICATION NO. 6 TO TAM ENTERPRISES, INC. FOR THE HARDENING OF WATER TREATMENT PLANT PROJECT

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern as follows:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern that payment of Application No. 6 to TAM Enterprises, Inc. in the amount of \$169,503.75 for Project 2021-005 GOSR NYCR-0255 Hardening of Water Treatment Plant is hereby authorized, subject to approval by the Governor's Office of Storm Recovery.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Hagen and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 161 OF 2022

AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF APPLICATION NO. 5 TO MEHL ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR THE HARDENING OF WATER TREATMENT PLANT PROJECT

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern as follows:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern that payment of Application No. 5 to Mehl Electric Company in the amount of \$3,325.00 for Project 2021-005 GOSR NYCR-0255 Hardening of Water Treatment Plant is hereby authorized, subject to approval by the Governor's Office of Storm Recovery.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Hagen and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 162 OF 2022

AUTHORIZING CHANGE ORDER NO. 2 TO MEHL ELECTRIC FOR THE HARDENING OF WATER TREATMENT PLANT PROJECT

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern as follows:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern Change Order No. 2 to Mehl Electric in the amount of \$8,381.56 for the Hardening of Water Treatment Plant Project 2021-005 GOSR NYCR-0255 is hereby authorized.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Hagen and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 163 OF 2022

AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF APPLICATION NO. 7 TO DEWBERRY ENGINEERS FOR THE BACKUP POWER FOR CRITICAL FACILITIES PROJECTS

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern as follows:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern that payment of Application No. 7 to Dewberry Engineers in the amount of \$1,628.90 for the Backup Power for Critical Facilities Project 2021-006 GOSR NYCR-0256 is hereby authorized, subject to approval by the Governor's Office of Storm Recovery.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Hagen and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 164 OF 2022

AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF APPLICATION NO. 7 TO DEWBERRY ENGINEERS FOR THE HARDENING OF WATER TREATMENT PLANT PROJECT

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern as follows:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern that payment of Application No. 7 to Dewberry Engineers in the amount of \$ 1,989.30 for the Hardening of Water Treatment Plant Project 2021-005 GOSR NYCR-0255 is hereby authorized, subject to approval by the Governor's Office of Storm Recovery.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Hagen and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 165 OF 2022

AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES TO PITINGARO & DOETSCH CONSULTING ENGINEERS FOR THE PREPARATION OF ENGINEERING REPORT, PLANS, DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS AND EQUIPMENT DOCUMENTS, CONTRACT DOCUMENTS/ASSISTANCE IN BIDDING & AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR THE UV DISINFECTION SYSTEM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$34,300.00

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern as follows:

WHEREAS, the current wastewater treatment plant UV Disinfection System has reached the end of its useful life and requires replacement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern that the mayor is authorized to sign a contract for professional services to consist of the preparation of an Engineering Report, Plans, Design Specifications and Equipment Documents, Contract Documents/Assistance in Bidding & Award of Contract with Pitingaro & Doetsch

Consulting Engineers, P.C. in the amount of \$ 34,300.00, subject to approval of the terms of the contract by the Village Attorney.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Hagen and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 166 OF 2022

CLOSE CAPITAL PROJECT 2021-001 POLICE CARS & CAMERAS

RESOLVED that the Village Board authorizes the Village Treasurer to close capital project 2021-001 Police Cars & Cameras after transferring the unexpended and unencumbered project funds financed by the 2021 Serial Bonds in the amount of \$11,161.93 to the Debt Service Fund.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Alpert and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 167 OF 2022

AMENDING RESOLUTION 142 OF 2022 AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF APPLICATION NO. 6 TO DEWBERRY ENGINEERS FOR THE HARDENING OF WATER TREATMENT PLANT PROJECT

WHEREAS, on June 27, 2022, the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern adopted Resolution 142 of 2022 authorizing the payment of Application No. 6 to Dewberry Engineers for Project 2021-005 GOSR NYCR 0255 Hardening of Water Treatment Plant (“Application No. 6”) in the amount of \$11,777.95; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that the correct amount for Application No. 6 is \$6,043.25.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Suffern that Resolution 142 of 2022 is hereby amended to reflect that the authorized amount for the payment of Application No. 6 to Dewberry Engineers is \$6,043.25, subject to approval by the Governor’s Office of Storm Recovery.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Alpert and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 168 OF 2022

TRANSFER FUNDS FROM WATER FUND CONTINGENCY TO WATER FUND SOURCE OF SUPPLY CONTRACTUAL

WHEREAS, a major electrical service line servicing the Village of Suffern water treatment plant required emergency replacement in June 2022 at the cost of \$46,403.26; and

WHEREAS, the cost associated with the replacement was not anticipated when the 2022-2023 Water Fund budget was adopted; and

WHEREAS, the Water Fund Contingent Account currently has an available balance of \$200,000.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees authorizes the Village Treasurer to transfer \$46,500 from Water Fund Contingent Account to F8320.4 Source of Supply Contractual.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Alpert and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 169 OF 2022

AMEND 2022-2023 GENERAL FUND BUDGET FOR POP STATE AID

WHEREAS, the 2022-2023 New York State Budget has allocated Pave Over Potholes (“POP”) state aid in the amount of \$25,701.12 to the Village of Suffern; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Suffern 2022-2023 Adopted General Fund Budget did not anticipate POP state aid.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the 2022-2023 General Fund Budget be amended as follows:

Increase State Aid – POP	\$25,701
Increase Street Maintenance Contractual	\$25,701

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Alpert and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 170 OF 2022

AMEND 2021-2022 ADOPTED BUDGET FOR SUFFERN DAY

WHEREAS, in fiscal year ended May 31, 2022, donations of \$10,801.01 were received and expenditures of \$8,316.46 were made for Suffern Day activities; and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid receipts and disbursements were not included in the 2021-2022 General Fund Budget as adopted or amended.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Village of Suffern Board of Trustees hereby amends the 2021-2022 General Fund Budget effective May 31, 2022, by increasing Estimated Revenues – Suffern Day and Appropriations – Recreation Suffern Day, each in the amount of \$8,317.00.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Alpert and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

RESOLUTION NO. 171 OF 2022

AMEND 2021-2022 ADOPTED BUDGET FOR DARE

WHEREAS, in fiscal year ended May 31, 2022, donations of \$20,267.58 were received and expenditures of \$20,832.40 were made for Suffern DARE Program; and

WHEREAS, \$6,000.00 of aforesaid receipts and \$6,000.00 of the aforesaid disbursements were included in the 2021-2022 General Fund Budget as adopted or amended.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Village of Suffern Board of Trustees hereby amends the 2021-2022 General Fund Budget effective May 31, 2022, by increasing Estimated Revenues – DARE and Appropriations – DARE, each in the amount of \$14,833.00.

A motion to approve the foregoing resolution was made by Trustee Alpert and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Adopted: August 1, 2022

GRANT PROGRAM:

Mr. Fred Rella, Grant Writer for the Village explained that the Village was awarded a \$200 thousand dollars Community Development Block Grant for the paving of Parking Lot A. All contracts were signed with the County of Rockland for the grant. The repaving work will be done during Spring or Summer of 2023. This project was selected by the Village's Citizen Advisory Committee. The total cost of the project is estimated to be \$220,000. As per the grant requirements, the Village will contribute \$20 thousand to the project cost and the grant will cover the remaining \$200 thousand.

Another grant that Mr. Rella is working on with Michael Genito and Charles Sawicki is a grant for an iron and manganese drinking water filtration system. Too much manganese in water can cause discoloration of sinks and laundry and can make the water at times look brown or rust colored. Very high levels of manganese in water can cause effects on the human neurological system, but that is at extremely high levels. This grant is through the New York State Environmental Facilities Corporation ("EFC"). The application is due September 9th and Mr. Rella will need the Suffern Village Board to hold a Special Meeting on or before September 9, 2022. Mayor Curley confirmed that the Board will hold a Special Meeting to pass the needed resolution(s) in order to follow EFC protocol for the grant process.

Mayor Curley mentioned another grant that he brought to the attention of Mr. Rella. It is a grant from the County of Rockland regarding Recreation. This grant was on a first come, first serve basis.

Mayor Curley also discussed with Mr. Rella that Senator Elijah Reichlin-Melnick has a New York State grant allocated for Suffern to be used for the Village Municipal Building (Village Hall). The mayor met with Mr. Sawicki and was told that the boiler is in need to be replaced or rehabbed, before concentrating on the roof. The roof was repaired not so long ago and is not in need of immediate repair like the heating system.

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Chief Andrew Loughlin reported the month of July statistics. In 2021, the Suffern Police Department was awarded \$6,000 "Discovery Reform Grant." The Discovery Reform Grant is a New York State grant that is passed through to Rockland County for further distribution to the Police Departments within the County. It was developed by New York State to provide some relief to police departments for the additional costs associated with changes to law involving public safety reforms. This year the Police Department was granted a 2022 Discovery Reform Grant of approximately \$11,200.

The Suffern Police Department hosted a Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Class. Officer Dunn instructed the course. Five of the Suffern police officers attended the class and become certified by the New York State Department of Criminal Justice Services to enforce commercial vehicle enforcement and safety regulations. After completion of the

course, all went for a hands-on commercial vehicle safety check on Route 202 and Route 59. This enforcement action was extremely successful and resulted in 57 summonses issued for violations, 10 unsafe commercial motor vehicles being taken out of service and off the road, and one arrest.

PUBLIC COMMENT: (limited to 4 minutes per speaker)

A motion to open the public comment was made by Trustee Hagen and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Three members of the audience made comments.

Peggy Kurtz Rockland County Power/Joule Program. Ms. Kurtz, Community Coordinator, spoke about how the Rockland County Power is beginning the bidding process for the energy prices and since the Village of Suffern voted to take part in the program, she was giving the dates. The Village will need to give approval on several items. RFPs are going out to the energy companies this week and the final bids will be in on August 19th. That is the day that an Energy Service Agreement will be signed by the communities, if they are satisfied with the bids.

The Energy Service Agreement is a three-way contract between the actual energy supplier, the Village and Joule. If the Village decides to participate, a letter will go to every household. This process would launch November 1st. It is possible that there may be a delayed launch or Joule would say “the bids are not advantageous.”

Ms. Kurtz said that three things need to be approved in August – 1) Energy Service Agreement – this is pending the final bids (per Ms. Kurtz, if Village does not like final bids, then there is nothing to sign). This is the legal document that needs to be signed if the Village is satisfied with the bids. Need final comments by August 15th. 2) Need a person designated to participate in negotiations on August 19th, it can be more than one person. Has to be one person who is authorized to sign on behalf of the Village, from 12 P.M. noon – on. (The letter informing the Village of these requirements was sent at 7 P.M. during the meeting). 3) There is a letter that goes out to every household from the Village (usually the mayor) on Village letterhead.

Mayor Curley asked if each municipality is separate and apart from the other 12 allowed to vote NO.

Ms. Kurtz answered, yes, but the idea is that they all come together and agree on an agreement, as well as the length of the agreement - two years or three years.

The Mayor asked who pays for the mailing. Ms. Kurtz said that Joule pays for the mailing. She said that the Village has the mailing list. Then she said that the new supplier has the mailing list. She apologized and said she was not sure of this part of the process. She said it is a blind list. The printer has the listing. Joule is not allowed to see the list, and neither is the Village. Mayor Curley said that he did not want to minimize exposure. He wanted to maximize it. He wants to ensure that all Orange & Rockland customers know that their electricity will be changed. He asked, “Where am I getting the list to advise those people that I am going to give them a different electric company?”

Ms. Kurtz said, “First off, it is not up to you to advise them. Anybody that pays their own electric bill will get, unless they are on a third-party supplier, they will get the mailing from us. It will look like it came from the Village.” Ms. Kurtz said that they will do more outreach sessions. Mayor Curley expressed that he did not have a problem with the program, he had a problem with the outreach. The Mayor would like a copy of the names and addresses of everyone who is getting a copy of the letter that has his name on the letter. Ms. Kurtz said that she would have to ask, because she is not sure if Joule is even seeing them. Mayor Curley stated that he will not put his name on a letter that he does not know who the letter is going to. Ms. Kurtz explained that it is to maximize the confidentiality and security of the accounts, which is tightly regulated by the Public Service Commission. She said that she would ask if she can give the Mayor the mailing list. Mayor Curley reiterated that he is the mayor of the village, and he has to protect his residents and ensure that everyone is given all of the information. The Mayor spoke about transparency and the need for all Orange & Rockland customers (not taxpayers) to get the information. He spoke about how Clarkstown and other municipalities signed up with Joule. When it happened, phones were ringing off the hook. Mayor Curley is trying to avoid “Uproar.”

Ms. Kurtz said that she reached out to the Suffern Rotary Club, the Suffern Senior Club, Facebook, and Email lists. The Mayor told Ms. Kurtz, two Village residents are in the Rotary, 35 out of 110 are in the Suffern Senior Club, Facebook and email does not reach Village residents like you think it does. The Mayor explained that he has a responsibility to the residents, not to Joule. Ms. Kurtz stated that the average savings is only about \$8.94/month over 19 months.

Trustee Alpert asked about the amount of money that Joule makes. Joule makes \$6/customer switched.

Jim Giannettino, Suffern resident and President of the Suffern Seniors, addressed Peggy Kurtz. Mr. Giannettino stated that the seniors do not like the “opt out” option. The Suffern seniors are very upset; they would rather “opt in.” The Mayor should not sign a letter that he doesn’t know who is getting it. Mayor Curley agreed with Mr. Giannettino that he felt it should be an opt in program not an opt out one.

Ms. Kurtz reiterated that when people get the letter in the mail, the rate will be stated in the letter. She explained that the nature of the program is to be an opt out one. It is structured this way by the Public Service Commission because no one would opt in. Opt-in programs just don’t work. If offering a substantial discount to your residents/constituents, it has to be an opt-out program. That is the only way a supplier will give a better price.

Trustee Alpert asked about the last rate that was obtained. It was 7.167/kilowatt per the contract. The Orange and Rockland rate with no discount was an average of 7.169/kilowatt. Ms. Kurtz explained that beating O&R’s rate was very difficult because it was so low.

Mayor Curley reiterated that the rates given in the RFP maybe lower than the current rate, but still maybe higher than the rates will be in the future. He said he does not want to play the stock market with the residents’ money. Ms. Kurtz said that we rely on the expertise of the people of Joule.

Bruce Simon congratulated cast and crew of Clifford Theater. They performed Dreamland and it was outstanding. Several hundred people attended the show, and he thanked all that worked on the show.

A motion to close the public comment was made by Trustee Alpert and seconded by Trustee Corrigan and passed by the Board. Absent: Trustee Sauberman

TRUSTEES

Trustee Jo Corrigan commented about the busy July month. Ms. Corrigan stated that it was wonderful to see that there was something every week.

Trustee Frank Hagen thanked the Village and the Lions Club for the Taste of Suffern. The Lion's Club is doing a dog show September 10, 2022, from 11 A.M. to 2 P.M., across from the Leo Lydon Building.

Trustee Steven Alpert thanked the Recreation Department for the Family Day at the Pool.

MAYOR

Mayor Curley thanked the Fire Department for all the night calls that they answer and everything that they sacrifice for the Village residents.

Mayor Curley spoke of the Clifford Theater and that the show went off without a hitch. It was a huge success. The concert series at Avon Park included Kurt Gallagher Kid's Concert last week. This weekend we have the Vincent Crotty Memorial Softball Tournament August 3-August 7, 2022. On August 17, 2022, we have Movie in the Park at Avon Park featuring Space Jam. The Suffern Seniors' Picnic is going to be held at the Mahwah Elks on Thursday, August 25th. Ms. Mills has the swimming pool scheduled to close on Labor Day, but the Mayor said, "We'll see about that!" We want another Family Day. A bonfire with the Football League will take place either [MONTH] 9th or 10th, the actual date is still to be determined. The 9/11 Ceremony will be Sunday, September 11, at 2 P.M. outside Village Hall and Suffern Day will be September 24th, 2022. The Suffern Street Fair will be the week before on September 17th, 2022. The Mayor said that Family Day at the Pool was so good, we are going to have another. Mayor Curley said that he will be thinking up more events for Recreation; they get very excited when he comes up with ideas. We will have more concerts and he thanked all Village Departments and workers. He said that everyone is making Suffern a better place to live.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

A motion to go into executive session for litigation at 8:15 P.M., was made by Trustee Hagen, seconded by Trustee Alpert, passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

A motion to exit executive session at 9:35 P.M., was made by Trustee Corrigan, seconded by Trustee Hagen, passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

ADJOURNMENT:

A motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:35 p.m. was made by Trustee Alpert, seconded by Trustee Corrigan, passed by the Board.

Absent: Trustee Sauberman

Respectfully,

Melissa B. Reimer, CPA
Village Clerk