

May 28, 2015

A special Meeting/work session of the Newfield Town Board was held at the Town Hall Board Room May 28, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Jeffrey Hart and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

Present were: Supervisor Jeffrey Hart, Councilperson Roy Trask, Councilperson Joanne James, and Councilperson Christine Laughlin. *Absent:* Councilperson Casey Powers. Also present: Linda Poppleton, Duane Schoen from Ciaschi, Dietershagen, Little, Mickelson and Company, LLP and Nadine Bennett

New Business

Linda Poppleton: Discussion on Email Services

The Board members thanks Ms. Poppleton for her web hosting and email recommendations. Ms. Poppleton recommended using Site Ground and taking advantage of the reduced introductory rate. Motion was made by Councilperson Trask for Ms. Poppleton to proceed moving the Town's webhosting and email hosting to Site Ground from Go Daddy, seconded by Councilperson Laughlin.

Vote	AYES	4	Hart, Trask, James, Laughlin
	NAY	0	
	ABSENT	1	Powers

Carried

It was agreed to use the Town Credit Card to enter into a 3 year contract with Site Ground.

Duane Schoen: Audit Review

Mr. Schoen reviewed the 2014 Financial Report.

Motion was made by Councilperson Trask to approve the draft audit with changes where noted, seconded by Councilperson Laughlin.

Vote	AYES	4	Hart, Trask, James, Laughlin
	NAY	0	
	ABSENT	1	Powers

Carried

Discussion on the placement site for the War Memorial Monument

It was requested that a notice will be put on the Town website seeking additional names for World War 1 and 2 veterans that may not have been included on the original memorial. A request for donations will be added as well. The Town Board members walked to the park area behind the Town Hall to view the area for its possible site. Councilperson Trask will contact Glenn Caslick regarding the Boards suggestion of the memorial placement in the park area behind the Town Hall.

Old Business

Discussion on the Noise Ordinance

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Councilpersons Trask, Laughlin and James agreed with the recommendation from Lt. Donahue from the Tompkins County Sheriff Department and will follow his suggestion. Supervisor Hart agreed but he added that he would also like to have the Noise Control Law more finite rather than subjective. The Board will review the Town of Ithaca Noise Control Law as recommended to formulate a Newfield Noise Control Law.

Cell Tower Application

Supervisor Hart brought up the fact that a building permit to erect a cell tower had never been formulated when the law was written. Motion was made by Councilperson James to approve the cell tower building permit fee of \$750.00 and a colocation fee of \$750.00, seconded by Councilperson Trask.

Vote	AYES	4	Hart, Trask, James, Laughlin
	NAY	0	
	ABSENT	1	Powers

Carried

At 8:17 p.m., a motion was made to move the meeting to the park area behind the Town Hall to discuss the placement of the future World War 1 and 2 Memorial.

At 8:27, the Board returned to the Regular Meeting of the Newfield Town Board, moving to adjournment at 8:27 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

June 1, 2015

Karen Miller Kenerson
Newfield Town Clerk