

**June 22, 2018**

A Public Meeting started at 8:00 AM in the Town Board Room with the following persons in attendance:

David Storandt	Mary Zovistoski	Donna Patchen
Nolan Knapp	John Buker	Nancy Hyde
Richard Ingerson	Dale Maclaughlin	Marcus Wolf
Pam McDowell		

Supervisor Storandt opened the meeting concerning present Zoning issues. A short history of Zoning followed. History on Zoning is the policing on people that had been okayed by the people. If we don't ask the people for the power then we don't have the power to police them.

The Town & Village Boards have received complaints from the public on inconsistencies of handling a Zoning issues. This meeting to make sure that we are following the Town & Village Ordinance and Law as adopted.

The question had to do with a sign NAPA removed from their former location and moved to their new location within the same district.

The Zoning Officer doesn't have interpretive power of the ordinance. He reads what is presented to him and sends the information to the ZBA/PI. Bd. If the ZBA/PI. Bd. has questions, they will ask the applicant at the pre-meeting and/or public hearing. He doesn't have unilateral ability to interpret, only enforce the laws of the Town & Village Ordinance and Law.

Trustee Buker stated that he has to follow the rules and so does the rest of the Village & Town.

The Mayor had influence on the due process by expressing a personal opinion on the decision to the ZEO. The Village doesn't have unilateral ability to interfere in the enforcement. The ZBA & PI. Bd. determine the outcome and the ZEO Enforces what the Boards have determined.

This Committee will meet again in 30 days to evaluate adherence to the Zoning Ordinance. In the meantime, this group will check to see what gaps there may have been in the enforcement in both the Town & Village. This group is at the issues and how best to correct any loopholes in procedures.

\*As a side Note: Supervisor Storandt stated that Doug Rogers, Chair of the Joint Planning Board, had already been reviewing the Town & Village Ordinance/Law which is the driving process for recommending improvements to help us come forward. This will be a long process, from anywhere up to about 9 months to finish said review and offer changes/amendment to both the Town & Village to adopt.

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Kathleen E. La Clair, Town Clerk

Minutes were produced after the fact, as no minutes were required at the time of meeting.