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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 06, 2020

7:00 PM MEETING

## 6:30 PM - TENTATIVE SPECIAL DISTRICT ASSESSMENT HEARING

CALL TO ORDER ROLL CALL PLEDGE TO THE FLAG APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES: September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020 Regular Town Board Meeting PUBLIC COMMENT

## **CORRESPONDENCE:**

- Steven H. Mosenson, General Counsel/Corporate Integrity Officer, The Center for Discovery: Letter dated 09/23/20 to Supervisor Rieber Re: 1) Establishment of Individual Residential Alternative (IRA) at 72 Holmes Road, Monticello, 2) Establishment of Temporary Children's Intermediate Care Facility for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities (ICF) at 86 Holmes Road, Monticello, 3) Establishment of Children's (ICF) #1 at 100 Hakihet Circle, Monticello, 4) Establishment of Children's (ICF) #2 at 102 Hakihet Circle, Monticello, 5) Establishment of Children's (ICF) #3 at 104 Hakihet Circle, Monticello and 6) Establishment of Children's (ICF) #4 at 106 Hakihet Circle, Monticello All in accordance with Section 41.34 of the NYS Mental Hygiene Law.
- Deborah S. Shea, President, Sullivan County Assessors Association: Letter dated 02/20/20 to Jeneen M. Hill, Chairwoman NYSAA Awards Committee Re: Nomination of Angela Ruggeri, Assessor Clerk for the Susan U. Howarth Outstanding Staff Assistance Award.
- Town of Lumberland: SEQR Notice of Interested and Involved Agencies of Establishment of Lead Agency & Resolution dated 09/09/20 to Town of Thompson Re: Proposed Local Law No. 2 of 2020, entitled "Town of Lumberland Solar Energy Law".
- Monica Farquhar Brennan, Director of Sullivan County Risk Management and Insurance: Letter dated 09/18/20 to Supervisor Rieber Re: 2021 Sullivan County Workers' Compensation Self Insurance Plan Apportionment Thompson Contribution Calculation is \$179,101.00.
- Sullivan County Treasurer's Office: 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Mortgage Tax Payment, Check #3071, dated 09/21/20 for \$74,719.43
- Joyce Amels, Animal Health Inspector, NYS Agriculture & Markets: Letter dated 09/18/20 to Supervisor Rieber Re: Municipal Shelter Inspection Report – Town of Thompson, Completed on 09/17/20 Rated "Satisfactory".
- **Town Clerk Calhoun:** Letter dated 09/24/20 to Mr. Gary D. Silver, Esq. of Billig Loughlin & Silver, LLP Re: Response to (FOIL) Request for Records Pertaining to Harris Woods Sewer District & Greentree Vacation Homes Development.
- Michael A. Turturro, Managing Partner, RBT CPAs, LLP: Letter dated 09/10/20 to Supervisor Rieber Re: Request to be added to Distribution List for Request for Proposals (RFPs) Relating to Auditing Services.
- **Denise Frangipane, Executive Director, Sullivan Renaissance:** Letter dated 09/24/20 to Supervisor Rieber Re: 2020 Golden Feather Community Impact Grant Application Not Being Awarded.
- Joshua Potosek, MBA, Sullivan County Manager: Letter dated 09/25/20 to Supervisor Rieber Re: County Tower Construction on County Owned Property, SBL #31.-1-1.
- Alex Rau, Sullivan County E-911 Coordinator: Letter dated 09/21/20 to Supervisor Rieber Re: SEQR Lead Agency Request for Sullivan County Emergency Communications New Tower Facility located along Emerald Place, Rock Hill, NY, SBL #35.-1-9.1. The Town of Thompson is listed as an Interested Agency in connection with the project.
- **Town Clerk Calhoun:** Letter dated 09/30/20 to Mr. Louis Kiefer, Planning Board Chairman Re: Letter from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency pertaining to the Keren Fields, LLC Project and federally regulated wetlands and waterways requiring a permit from U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

## AGENDA ITEMS:

1) REVIEW & APPROVE PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH DELAWARE ENGINEERING, D.P.C. FOR EMERALD GREEN LAKE LOUISE MARIE WWTP IMPROVEMENTS

2) REVIEW & AUTHORIZE NYSEG EASEMENT FOR ELECTRICAL SERVICE TO FILE STORAGE BUILDING BEHIND TOWN HALL

- 3) RESCIND RESOLUTION NO. 300 OF 2020 RELATING TO EMPLOYEES CARRYING OVER UNUSED VACATION TIME
- 4) REVIEW & APPROVE REVISED RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EMPLOYEES TO CARRY OVER UNUSED VACATION TIME
- 5) REVIEW & APPROVE RESOLUTION CHANGING VACATION TIME ROLL-OVER POLICY TO MATCH COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENTS SO THAT ALL CARRIED OVER VACATION TIME MUST BE USED NO LATER THAN 6-MONTHS FROM EMPLOYEE ANNIVERSARY DATE
- 6) NYS EFC: APPROVE & AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL CERTIFICATE FOR EMERALD GREEN LAKE LOUISE MARIE SEWER DISTRICT IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT
- 7) NYS EFC: AUTHORIZE SUPERVISOR TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO CLOSE BOND ISSUE RELATING TO THE MELODY LAKE WATER DISTRICT WATERMAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT (PROJECT NO.: D0-18491)
- 8) APPROVE TRANSFERS FROM A FUND TO DA FUND OF \$500,000.00 & FROM B FUND TO DB FUND OF \$200,000.00
- 9) TAX CERTIORARI SETTLEMENT: IDRIZ MUSOVIC (SBL# 35.-1-10.7) FOR 2018, 2019 & 2020
- 10) ESTABLISHMENT OF NO PARKING ZONE AT END OF KATRINA FALLS ROAD, ROCK HILL DUE TO ISSUE NEAR ACCESS TO NYS DEC NEVERSINK RIVER GORGE UNIQUE AREA
- 11) DISCUSS OPENING TOWN BOARD MEETINGS UP FOR LIMITED ACCESS TO STUDENTS AND PUBLIC
- 12) RE-SCHEDULE TUESDAY, 11/03/2020 TOWN BOARD MEETING TO WEDNESDAY, 11/04/2020 DUE TO ELECTION DAY
- 13) BUILDING DEPT.: REQUEST BY KEITH & BARBARA HAGUE FOR EXTENSION OF PERMIT TO ALLOW TEMPORARY SEASONAL RECREATIONAL VEHICLE ON PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2 HARRIS BUSHVILLE ROAD, HARRIS, NY, SBL #4.-1-2
- 14) ZONE CHANGE REQUEST: CATSKILL FOREST PROPERTIES (DAVID ETTENBERG) SBL# 41A.-1-16, MARINA ROAD, MONTICELLO – REVIEW & DISCUSS PLANNING BOARD DETERMINATION AND INFORMATION
- 15) ZONE CHANGE REQUEST: VINCENT STANTON SBL # 4.-1-42, 14 BIG WOODS ROAD, HARRIS REVIEW & DISCUSS REFERRING TO PLANNING BOARD FOR REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATION
- 16) BILLS OVER \$2,500.00
- **17) BUDGET TRANSFERS & AMENDMENTS**
- 18) ORDER BILLS PAID
- **19) UPDATE: CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC**

OLD BUSINESS NEW BUSINESS

**REPORTS: SUPERVISOR, COUNCILMEN, & DEPARTMENT HEADS** 

PUBLIC COMMENT

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**Town Supervisor** William J. Rieber, Jr. **Town Board Members** Deputy Supervisor Scott Mace John Pavese Melinda Meddaugh Ryan Schock

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