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TOWN OF GALWAY PROPOSED LOCAL LAW AMENDING THE REGULATION OF NOISE

REGULATION OF NOISE Notice is hereby given that the Town Board of the Town of Galway will hold a Public Hearing on September 8, 2020 at 6:45 p.m. at the Galway Town Hall, 5910 Sacandaga Road, Galway, NY. The purpose of Public Hearing is to receive comments from the public and take action on Proposed Local Law Amending the Regulation of Noise". At said Public Hearing any person may be heard in favor or against Proposed Local as compiled, or for or against Proposed Local as compiled, or for or against any item or items as there in contained. Copies of Proposed Local Law are available for inspection by any interested person during regular Town Clerk hours or on Town of Galway website: townofgalwayn.org on home page under "Quick Links". By order of the Galway Town Board. Margaret L. DeFoe Town Clerk 8/14

### TOWN OF GALWAY TOWN BOARD MEETING

## **September 08, 2020**

Call to order - Supervisor Smith

Roll Call - Town Clerk DeFoe

Pledge to the flag - Ali

Approval of the minutes for the meeting held August 11, 2020

Communications Received - Town Clerk DeFoe

Reports of Committees:

#### **Budget**

Approval of Abstract Fund A

Approval of Abstract Fund B

Approval of Abstract Fund DA

Approval of Abstract Fund DB

Approval of Abstract Fund SL

Supervisor's Report

**Budget Amendments-**

DA1640 to DA5142.41—\$3612.34 fuel reimbursement from ambulance

#### Resolutions:

1. Approving revisions to the Solar Law Noise Law

#### Other Business:

Budget work shops-set dates for workshops Aug 20 at Ribbon Cutting was well done. Need another candidate for Board of Assessment Review

Priviledge of the Floor:

<u>Adjourn</u>

PUBLIC HEARING SEPTEMBER 8, 2020 GALWAY TOWN HALL

Supervisor Smith called the meeting to order at 6:47 p.m. The following Town Board Members were present:

PRESENT: Supervisor

Supervisor Michael Smith

Councilman Fred Arnold

Councilwoman JoAnne Peregrim-Grant

Councilman Ryan Flinton

Councilman J.D. Arnold

OTHERS PRESENT: D. Sowle, Youth Commission Chair; T. Gilday, Code Enforcement; J. Trainor, Attorney; P. Keeler, Historian; D. Neahr; T. O'Brien, Dog Control Officer & M. DeFoe, Town Clerk.

Town Clerk stated Legal Notice was placed in the Daily Gazette on August 14, 2020 and posted at Town Hall; Post Office; Bank & on Town Website advising the public of a Public Hearing to be held on September 8, 2020 at 6:45 p.m. The purpose of Public Hearing is to receive comments from the public and take action on Proposed Local Law No. 3 of 2020 a Local Law Amending the Regulation of Noise. The Clerk stated no written or oral comments were received regarding Proposed Local Law. Attorney, James Trainor stated that this amendment redefined what qualifies as unreasonable noise and how the Town addresses issue. He noticed today while reviewing law that current regulations address penalty for noncommercial enterprise & commercial enterprise a definition was needed regarding Commercial Enterprise. Councilman Fred Arnold questioned if someone had a Blue Grass Festival one weekend a year if that would qualify as a commercial enterprise if the band was not getting paid for performing but a tip jar was put out for donations. Attorney Trainor stated he believed this would apply. There were no further comments or questions from public. Councilman Fred Arnold made a motion, seconded by Councilwoman JoAnne Grant to close the Public Hearing on Proposed Local Law No. 3-2020 at 6:52 p.m.

REGULAR MEETING SEPTEMBER 8, 2020 GALWAY TOWN HALL

Supervisor Michael Smith called the Regular Meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. The same Town Board Members were present. Audience was the same as Public Hearing.

#### Pledge to Flag

A motion was made by Councilman Ryan Flinton seconded by Councilman Fred Arnold to approve the minutes of the August 11, 2020 Regular Meeting as submitted.

All ayes.

MOTION CARRIED

<u>Communications</u> – Town Clerk stated Board Members received copies of the following correspondence: Assessor Report for September; email correspondence from FEMA notifying Town of the engineering data models being used for ongoing flood risk projects

in Saratoga County; notification from the Associations of Towns regarding 2020 Planning & Zoning School (this was given to their Clerk to hand out to Board Members, copy of schooling notification also given to Building Administrator); County 2020 Salary Survey for Town's; annual fund drive notification from Saratoga Plan & budget amendment. Nick Fisher a Senior at Galway dropped off a picture he took of Town Hall with his drone. Supervisor Michael Smith stated that Town received over \$8,000 back from NYS for credit for successfully completing the 2019 revaluation project.

COMMITTEES/DEPARTMENT HEADS/LIASON - Historian - Phyllis Keeler stated that she has numerous boxes of Galway Family History to review and file. Phyllis has been working with a Kristen McTeague who has applied for membership in the Society of Mayflower Descendants. Phyllis shared information with her regarding her family in Galway but they were unable to located the burial site to support information in the History file. Chuck Quinlan, the caretaker for Village Cemetery called and advised her that he located the headstone. It had completely sunk into ground making it unable to locate. She and her helper Darby will be working together on Saturday's to work on the many boxes of Galway Family History. Youth Commission - Donna Sowle advised that Summer Recreational Soccer would begin on Saturday, September 12th and run thru October 17th for children pre-K thru 6th grade. COVID regulations will be in place, soccer will consist of drills and skill building. Junior Riffle will start at end of September with Social Distancing Regulations in place. There will be no basketball this year or open swim. Ski tickets will be given. Donna wanted to thank the Highway Department for the great job they do on our Town Recreational Fields. Supervisor Michael Smith advised that he held a workshop with Councilman J.D. Arnold; Councilman Ryan Flinton; RuthAnn Daino, Planning Chair; Andy Decker, ZBA Chair; T. Gilday, Code Enforcement to discuss code issues/revisions.

Councilman Fred Arnold made a motion, seconded by Councilman J.D. Arnold to approve the August General Abstract of Vouchers (A) for a total of \$58,981.84.

All ayes.

MOTION CARRIED

Councilman J.D. Arnold made a motion, seconded by Councilwoman JoAnne Grant to approve the August General Abstract of Vouchers (B) for a total of \$6,388.41.

All ayes.

MOTION CARRIED

Councilwoman JoAnne Grant made a motion, seconded by Councilman Ryan Flinton to approve the August Highway Abstract of Vouchers (DA) for a total of \$9,194.84.

All ayes.

MOTION CARRIED

Councilman Ryan Flinton made a motion, seconded by Councilman Fred Arnold to approve the August Highway Abstract of Vouchers (DB) for a total of \$6,263.00.

All ayes.

MOTION CARRIED

Councilman Fred Arnold made a motion, seconded by Councilman J.D. Arnold to approve the August Special District Abstract of Vouchers (SL) for a total of \$116.19.

All ayes.

MOTION CARRIED

Councilman J.D. Arnold made a motion, seconded by Councilwoman JoAnne Grant to approve the August Tri-Town Abstract of Vouchers (TT) for a total of \$2,766.42. All ayes. MOTION CARRIED

Councilman Fred Arnold made a motion, seconded by Councilman Ryan Flinton to approve the Supervisor's Report for the period ending 08/31/20.

All ayes.

MOTION CARRIED

RESOLUTION #: 47-2020 - Budget Amendments. On a motion of Councilman Fred Arnold, seconded by Councilman J.D. Arnold the following Resolution was adopted: AYES - 5 NAYS - 0

RESOLVED that the Galway Town Board authorize the following Budget Amendments:

DECREASE DA1640 AMBULANCE CHARGES \$3,612.34 INCREASE DA5142.41 SNOW REMOVAL (GEMS GAS BILL FOR AUG-DEC OF 2019 & JAN-JUNE 2020)

\$3,612,34

All ayes. MOTION CARRIED

RESOLUTION #: 48-2020 - Local Law No. 3-2020. Amend Chapter 67 of the Town of Galway Code regarding the Regulation of Noise within the Town. On a motion of Councilman Ryan Flinton, seconded by Councilwoman JoAnne Grant the following Resolution was adopted by ROLL CALL VOTE:

Supervisor Michael Smith - AYE

Councilman Fred Arnold - AYE

Councilwoman JoAnne Grant - AYE

Councilman Ryan Flinton – AYE

Councilman J.D. Arnold - AYE

RESOLVED that the Galway Town Board approve Local Law No. 3-2020 entitled "A Local Law Amending the Regulation of Noise" with the addition of the definition for Commercial Enterprise.

All ayes.

MOTION CARRIED

#### Other Business

**RESOLUTION #: 49-2020** – 2021 Budget Workshops. On a motion of Councilman Fred Arnold, seconded by Councilwoman JoAnne Grant the following Resolution was adopted: AYES - 5 NAYS - 0

RESOLVED that the Galway Town Board set the following budget workshop dates: September 23, 2020, September 29, 2020 and if needed October 7, 2020 all at 7:00 p.m. All ayes. **MOTION CARRIED** 

Supervisor Michael Smith stated that the Ribbon Cutting Ceremony was held on August 20, 2020 for the new Paul Lent Emergency Services Building. Paul would have been very proud to see how building turned out. Several people from Town Hall along with Highway Superintendent attended Ceremony. Sheriff's Office will be moving in within the next week or so. Project came in under the budgeted figure.

Privilege of the Floor - Donna Sowle advised that resident Beulah Klementowski would be turning 100 on Sunday. Councilman Ryan Flinton questioned on a historical note if

we knew how many residents were over 100. Historian, Phyllis Keeler stated she had no idea, she was a lot younger!

RESOLUTION #: 50-2020 – Compensate three Youth Commission salaries for work done during COVID. Councilman Fred Arnold stated that the Town Board has talked about adjusting the three members of Youth Commission Board's salary to compensate them for the work they did during COVID shut down. Councilman Fred Arnold stated even with COVID going on these Board Members worked to plan programs in anticipation of restrictions being lifted and also created alternative programs for limited numbers. Councilman Fred Arnold stated that this was a total of \$540.00 for three months of pay for the Youth Commission Board On a motion of Councilman Fred Arnold, seconded by Councilman Ryan Flinton the following Resolution was adopted:

AYES – 5

NAYS – 0

RESOLVED that the Galway Town Board authorize the payment of the three month stipend reimbursement from COVID for Youth Commission Board Members Donna Sowle, Chair \$270.00; Nyrelle Horton, Secretary \$135.00 & Samantha Price, Treasurer \$135.00 for a total of \$540.00 to be charged to B7310.4 Youth Programs.

All ayes.

MOTION CARRIED

Supervisor Michael Smith stated for the future, this will be corrected in 2021 Organizational Meeting.

Supervisor Michael Smith stated that Wes Baxter was up for renewal on Board of Assessment Review this month but told Supervisor Smith due to health reasons he didn't want to be reappointed. So, we will need to find a candidate willing to serve on this Board. Mandatory training is required and they meet one time a year for Grievance Day in June.

Councilman Fred Arnold made a motion, seconded by Councilwoman JoAnne Grant to adjourn the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

All ayes.

MOTION CARRIED

Respectfully submitted,

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Margaret L. DeFoe

Town Clerk