

**THE TOWN OF NORTH HUDSON  
PUBLIC HEARING  
AND  
REGULAR TOWN BOARD MEETING  
THURSDAY, MAY 9, 2013**

The Supervisor, Ronald Moore, opened the Public Hearing on the proposed Public Law pertaining to unsafe houses and structures at six-thirty (6:30) PM and led the assembly in the Salute to the Flag.

Present with the Supervisor were Board Members Donald Dresser, Jean Gokey, Marshall Gero and Laureen DeZalia. Also present was the Town Clerk, Sarah Vinskus.

Guests present were Glenn Fiore and Claire Moore.

The Clerk read the notice of the Public Hearing that was placed in the newspaper.

The Supervisor asked if the guests had an opinion on the proposed law and Mr. Fiore said that he was in favor of said law. As there were no further comments or discussions the hearing was closed at six-forty (6:40) PM.

The Regular Town Board Meeting was opened by the Supervisor at 7:00 and the Supervisor led the assembly in the Salute to the Flag.

The guests present were Glenn Fiore, Claire Moore and Jake and Tracey Parent.

The Board Members and the Clerk were the same.

The Clerk read the Minutes of the April 11<sup>th</sup> Meeting.

Laureen DeZalia moved and was seconded by Jean Gokey to accept the Minutes as amended. All voted "Aye".

The Supervisor went over the contents of the Board Members' packets.

The Supervisor's Financial Report as of April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2013 is as follows:

**Checking Accounts:**

General Fund (due to Fire Dist:\$15,937)	.2%	\$730,270.16
Highway Fund	.2%	\$743,505.24
TOTAL ALL FUNDS		\$1,473,775.40

The next Meeting of the Civil War Re-enactment Committee will be held May 16<sup>th</sup> in the North Hudson Fire House.

**Resolution #42 of 2013**

Resolved to adopt Proposed Town Law #1 of 2013 entitled "A Local Law Pertaining to Unsafe Building and Structures".

So moved by Donald Dresser and seconded by Marshall Gero. On roll call:

Donald Dresser.....Aye  
Jean Gokey.....Aye  
Ronald Moore.....Aye  
Marshall Gero.....Aye  
Laureen DeZalia.....Aye

Danial Parent will be interviewed Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 PM for the Summer Youth Program job.

The presentation under the aegis of the Schroon Lake/North Hudson Historical Society on the Fire Towers in the Adirondacks was well attended and very interesting.

The Car Show under the auspices of the North Hudson Ladies Auxiliary was a great success.

The Town Clean-up week will start on Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup> and continue all week. The 2012 truck is good and the skidder is on site.

The Highway Superintendent wishes to rent an excavator.

**Resolution #43 of 2013**

Resolved that the Highway Superintendent, Kevin Duntley, can rent an excavator.

So moved by Laureen DeZalia and seconded by Marshall Gero. On roll call:

Laureen DeZalia.....Aye  
Marshall Gero.....Aye  
Ronald Moore.....Aye  
Jean Gokey.....Aye  
Donald Dresser.....Aye

The Tentative Tax Roll for the Town is completed and a copy is in the Town Clerk's office.

Essex County will be picking up Hazardous Waste such as paint, gas, oil, etc. on August 10<sup>th</sup> and/or 17<sup>th</sup>.

Essex County is holding an on-line auction and the Supervisor would like to bid on a copier.

**Resolution #44 of 2013**

Resolved that the Supervisor place a bid for a copier the county has placed in its on-line auction and the amount of the bid will be at the Supervisor's discretion.

So moved by Donald Dresser and second by Laureen DeZalia. On roll call:

- Donald Dresser .....Aye
- Jean Gokey.....Aye
- Ronald Moore.....Aye
- Marshall Gero.....Aye
- Laureen DeZalia.....Aye

Highway employees Stephen Thompson and Ken Foster have requested permission to donate sick time to Kelly DeZalia if his sick time becomes exhausted.

**Resolution #45 of 2013**

Resolved that Stephen Thompson is allowed to donate up to 20 days sick time and Ken Foster to donate up to 10 days sick time to Kelly DeZalia if his sick time becomes exhausted.

So moved by Marshall Gero and seconded by Donald Dresser. On roll call:

- Donald Dresser.....Aye
- Jean Gokey.....Aye
- Ronald Moore .....Aye
- Marshall Gero.....Aye
- Laureen DeZalia .....Abstained ( a family

member).

On May 27<sup>th</sup> the Veterans’ of Foreign Wars will hold a service at our Veterans’ Memorial at 11:00 AM.

Many of the old stones in the cemeteries have fallen or are broken. The Board’s opinion was that it was up to the families to arrange repair or replacement.

**Resolution #46 of 2013**

Resolved that the Town spend no more that Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000) on road maintenance on Lazy Street and Liberty Road.

So moved by Donald Dresser and seconded by Laureen DeZalia. On roll call:

- Laureen DeZalia.....Aye
- Marshall Gero.....Aye
- Ronald Moore.....Aye
- Jean Gokey.....Aye
- Donald Dresser.....Aye

Laureen DeZalia moved and was seconded by Donald Dresser to approved the audited vouchers. All voted “Aye”.

Jean Gokey moved and was seconded by Donald Dresser for the Board to move into Executive Session for the purpose of Personnel and possible land acquisition at 7:50 PM. All voted "Aye".

Donald Dresser moved and was seconded by Jean Gokey for the Board to move out of Executive Session at 8:28 PM. All voted "Aye".

**Resolution #47 of 2013**

Resolved to amend Resolution # 41 as follows:

Resolved that the Town of North Hudson request that the Essex County Board of Supervisors transfer any or all of the following properties, listed for tax foreclosure, to the Town of North Hudson.

125.1-1-30.100

125.1-1-24.000

125.1-1-25.000

125.1-1-27.000

125.1-1-23.000

So moved by Marshall Gero and seconded by Donald Dresser. Laureen DeZalia voted "Nay". Marshall Gero, Ronald Moore, Jean Gokey and Donald Dresser voted "Aye".

Laureen DeZalia moved and was seconded by Jean Gokey to adjourn the Meeting at 8:30 PM. All voted "Aye"

Respectfully submitted,  
Sarah Vinskus, Town Clerk