

**TOWN OF FAYETTE  
BOARD MEETING  
09/09/2021**

**Motion from Zwick and seconded by Goff at 7:01 PM to open public hearing on Local Law #2, 2021 to request the New York State Cannabis Control Board exempt the Town of Fayette from issuance of both retail sales and on-site consumption licenses. 3/0 Carried**

Short discussion with some public comment, are we missing out on business opportunities?

**Motion from Zwick and seconded by Goff at 7:05 PM to close Public Hearing.  
3/0 Carried**

Deputy Supervisor Trout opened Board meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Present- Deputy Supervisor Trout, Councilman Goff, Councilwoman Zwick, Attorney Ricci, Clerk Murray

Absent- Supervisor Lorenzetti, Councilwoman Lowry

**PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR-**Cierra Mastellar- Lives on Seybolt and has had flooding issues. At her own expense she has cleaned the creek (she does not own) , installed burns on her property and is asking for the Town to at the very least to a cost analysis and a possible redesign of the culvert. Town engineer stated that even a new design may not help with flooding. J. Trout to meet with Ms. Mastellar and neighbor. Jay Hoover- was seeking permission from Town Board to install a water line at his expense at his home on Cemetery Road. Attorney Ricci stated that the Town must be named as insured. Town of Seneca Falls to do the install. Pat Nicoletta- presented a map of the potential sewer project in the Town of Fayette. It would be a low pressure system with up to 292 users, using approximately 50,000 gallons a day. The Village has stated in preliminary meetings that they could handle that. The approximate cost is 6.8 to 7.1 million dollars. There will be a informational meeting on Wednesday, September 29<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM, at Three Brothers.

**DOG CONTROL REPORT-** Dallyn- very quiet month, only 3 calls

**CODE ENFORCEMENT REPORT-**Bob- 2 approved permits/0 denied, 1 ticket has been issued. Several complaints are still being monitored

**TOWN ENGINEER REPORT-**Jason-The Meeting with Waterloo has been rescheduled, busy working on potential sewer district.

**TOWN ASSESSOR REPORT-**absent- emailed report- busy month, property transfers and STAR issues.

**HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT REPORT-**Andy-Suit-kote came back and fixed Disinger Road. Chip sealing will begin next week. New Hire Scott Ridley will start on 9/13. Councilman Goff will set up the pre-screening drug testing and physical. Attorney Ricci stated that the

Highway Superintendent can spend the CHIPS money for buying equipment. Deputy Supervisor Trout is ok with Andy pursuing equipment purchase and brings information back to the board.

**TOWN CLERK REPORT-** Nancy- Town took in \$1432 last month and has been busy preparing the postcards for the potential sewer district

**Motion from Zwick and seconded by Goff to approve the minutes from 08/12/2021 with one change, to refer to Sue's resignation as a retirement. 3/0 Carried**

**Motion from Trout and seconded by Zwick to approve the budget and amendments with the addition of the Suit-kote bill from last month. 3/0 Carried**

**Motion from Zwick and seconded by Goff to approve the warrants with the additions. 3/0 Carried**

**Motion from Zwick and seconded by Trout to have the supervisor sign the MEU with the Seneca County Planning Board, per Fayette Planning Board recommendation. 3/0 Carried**

**Motion from Zwick and seconded by Trout to approve the motion to request the New York State Cannabis Control Board to exempt the Town of Fayette from issuance of both retail sales and on-site consumption licenses, per local law #2, 2021. 2/1(Goff Opposed) Failed**

OLD/NEW BUSINESS-\* District #8 Water – still waiting on the response from the New York State Comptroller's office \*Tentative budgets are in folders, please review. J. Trout has a completed data analysis of all highway superintendents county wide and would like to share this information with anyone whom is interested. Key take away (1) Town of Fayette has the most amount of roads by far. (2) Fayette's Highway Superintendent is the lowest paid

#### COMMITTEE REPORTS

WATER- TROUT-Last meeting with Waterloo, likes the concept of the Water Authority  
PLANNING, ZONING, & SAFETY- ZWICK- Planning had a meeting 8/23, ZBA has a meeting 9/21, Working 6 months with the Fire Departments, we are now down to 4 FD with no loss of Fire protection. With a significant savings to the Fayette Residents, a new map is completed, all FD have worked together. All contracts will be drawn up and sent out. Possibility that a sub-station could be built.

HIGHWAY- GOFF- land fill survey is complete, but not in hand yet

**Motion from Zwick and seconded by Goff to adjourn at 8:33 PM. 3/0 Carried**

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy Murray