REGULAR MEETING

VOLNEY TOWN BOARD MEETING

VOLNEY MUNICIPAL CENTER

OCTOBER 21, 2021 at 5:00PM

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Supervisor G Hartranft opened the meeting at 5:00 PM asking everyone to stand to salute the flag and then asked for roll call

**Roll Call**: Councilor G Stanard Here; Councilor E Wavle Absent;

Councilor M Rusaw Here; Councilor A Hamblin-Smith Here; Supervisor G Hartranft Here

**Announcements:**

**2 Public Hearing’s: Fire Department Contract and Town Budget Thursday November 18th @5:00**

**All Offices will be closed on the following dates in November:**

**Tuesday November 2nd for Election Day**

**Thursday November 11th for Veterans Day**

**Wednesday and Thursday November 24th-25th for Thanksgiving**

**Department Reports:**

**Volney VFC: NO REPORT PROVIDED**

**Assessor: NO REPORT PROVIDED**

**Building Inspector/Fire Marshall:** was submitted by John Parrish and reported by Don Ryan

Monthly report and verbal report were different,

Code Office Monthly System Report stated, Don Ryan did, 1 inspection due to complaints.

Don Ryan verbally reported he did 10 Building inspections, 1 inspection due to complaints, and 1 water hook up. William Hamacher did 29 Re-inspections and 2 fire inspections.

**Dog Control:** was submitted by Don & Pam Mason and reported by Councilor A Hamblin-Smith

7 calls received, 0 dogs housed at the kennel, 2 dogs reported lost, 0 dog redeemed, 0 dog transferred, 0 dog bites reported and, 6 appearance ticket issued. 17.6 miles reported, Inside of kennel has been painted

Phone is down still trying to get the old number up and working.

**Highway:** submitted and reported by Roger Dunsmoor

Supplies & maintenance-$68,857.92 Payroll-$28,750.00 for a total of $97,607.92.

Machinery Repair-150 hours,

Mowing-30 hours

Paving & cold patch-320 hours,

Drainage & Culverts-440 hours,

803 gallons of diesel fuel and 173 gallons of gas were used.

**Historian:** was submitted by Debra Allen and reported by Councilor M Rusaw

We dedicated the Great Bear Legends and Lore sign on August 12th and the Bristol Hill Historic Roadside marker on September 5th. I scanned eight scrapbooks this month bringing the total scanned to fifteen. There are over 100 in the collection. I attended the Association of Public Historians of the State of New York conference September 13-15th. Some of the things I got out of it included: Learned how to safely clean headstones. I have put together a kit and will be working on cleaning some of the stones in our cemeteries. 2027 is the 250th anniversary of the end of the Revolutionary War; Country wide commemorations are being planned. Wayne County has a database of historical places accessible on line. I would like to see Oswego County do the same. I have been talking to promotion and tourism about it. They are interested. Attended a session on creating a digital library. I have started working on it.

**Recreation:** was submitted and reported by Karen Kio

I have 2 trips planned for the remainder of this year. Bowling @ Lakeview Lanes in November and Lights on the Lake in December. I have submitted the proposal for 2021-20 to the Oswego City / County Youth Bureau for matching funds for $1,000.00

**Planning:** was submitted by Karen Ridgeway and reported by Brad Chesbro

Planning Board

October 5, 2021

Attending: Chairperson Brad Chesbro, Victor Runeare, Jim LaDue, Jerry Seguin and Vicki Leroux.

The Planning Board Meeting was opened at 6:30 PM.

Old Business:

The first item discussed was the single split subdivision approved for Angel Ridgeway for her property located at 199 Town Line Road Fulton, NY 13069.   Chairperson Chesbro stated the board did not take into consideration the third parcel that was created by the split.  He stated that since there was another subdivision coming before the board, on that same property next month, the board could clean up the parcels at that time.

Chairperson Chesbro stated that the Town Attorney, Rebekah Prosachik, had determined that there was currently no time restriction for a site plan approval therefore it was ok for Amp Solar to pull a permit for the Scudder Solar Project. Chesbro stated that the project would remain exactly the same as what the Planning Board had previously approved.

Chairperson Chesbro said that he had received an email, from the town attorney, in regards to The Tillman Tower, recommending that the board formalize something stating that the project was no longer being pursued.

New Business:

There was no new business discussed.

 Minutes:

Victor Runeare made a motion to accept the September 2021 minutes as written.

Jim LaDue  seconded the motion.  Vote was held as follows: Brad Chesbro-aye; Victor Runeare-aye; Jim LaDue-aye; Vicki Leroux-aye; and Jerry Seguin-aye. Motion carried.

Brad Chesbro made a motion to close the meeting at 6:40PM.

Jerry Seguin seconded the motion.  Vote was held as follows: Brad Chesbro-aye; Victor Runeare-aye; Jim LaDue-aye; Vicki Leroux-aye; and Jerry Seguin-aye. Motion carried.

The next Planning Board Meeting with be held on Tuesday November 2 at 6:30 PM.

**Zoning:** was submitted by Karen Ridgeway and reported by Supervisor G Hartranft

Zoning Board

October 4,  2021

Attending: Chairperson Greg Hartranft, Gary Roik, Holly Carpenter, Richard Forbes, and Jared Bellinger.

The Zoning Board meeting was open at 6:00 PM.

New Business:

Chairperson Hartranft informed the board members that the Town Board would like the Zoning Board to come up with a general write up describing  the duties of a Zoning Board Member. Hartranft said that the information would be posted on the town’s website and be used for hiring in the future.

Old Business:

Chairperson Greg Hartranft stated that he had heard from the Town Attorney, Rebekah Prosachik, regarding SBA and the Zwolinski Cell Tower.  According to Prosachik, The Zoning Board needed to say that the project was abandoned due to the failure to communicate with The Zoning Board and is officially cancelled.  Hartranft said that she would be sending the paperwork to them.

Chairperson Hartranft stated that there was an issue, due to a building permit not being obtained for over a year, for a solar site plan approval.  Hartranft stated that there needed to be a Zoning Law stating that a building permit had to be issued within one year of an approval.

Chairperson Hartranft informed the board that he did not have any new information about when the next training session would occur.

Minutes:

Gary Roik made a motion to accept the August 2021 minutes as written.

Jared Bellinger second the motion. Vote was held as follows; Greg Hartranft-aye; Gary Roik-aye; Holly Carpenter-abstain; Jared Bellinger-aye; and Richard Forbes-aye.  Motion carried.

Gary Roik made a motion to accept the September 2021 minutes as written.

Jared Bellinger second the motion. Vote was held as follows; Greg Hartranft-aye; Gary Roik-aye; Holly Carpenter-aye; Jared Bellinger-aye; and Richard Forbes-aye.  Motion carried.

Greg Hartranft made a motion to close the Zoning Board Meeting at 6:07 PM.

Richard Forbes seconded the motion.  Vote was held as follows: Greg Hartranft-aye; Gary Roik-aye; Holly Carpenter-aye; Jared Bellinger-aye and Richard Forbes-aye. Motion carried.

The next Zoning Board Meeting is scheduled for November 1, 2021 at 6:00 PM

**Town Clerk:** was submitted and reported by Sandra Austin

44 Certified Copies for $440.00

8 Park Rentals for $240.00

1 Returned Check Fee for $27.00

7 BINGO Proceeds for $112.05

95 Dog Licenses for $1,021.00

1 Marriage License for $17.5

5 Code Transactions for $737.00

1 Redemption for $65.00

**Total Revenue** in Sept 2021 was $2,746.05

Paid out to NYS Dept. of Ag. & Markets (Dog Licenses) $129.00

Paid out to State Health Dept for Marriage License $22.50

Total Revenue for the Town of Volney $2,594.55

**Resolutions:**

**RESOLUTION #2021-96-APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**RESOLVE to approve the Regular Meeting, and the Public Hearing for Local Law Tax Cap Over-ride minutes of September 16, 2021, Public Hearing for Cannabis Local Law minutes on September 28, 2021 and a Special meeting held October 1, 2021 for town attorney as presented to the town board**.

Moved by Councilor G Stanard Seconded by Supervisor G Hartranft

Roll Call: Councilor E Wavle \_A\_ Councilor G Stanard \_Y\_ Councilor M Rusaw \_Y\_

Councilor A Hamblin-Smith \_Y\_ Supervisor G Hartranft \_Y\_

**Motion Carried** \_\_4\_\_\_to\_\_0\_ **Absent** \_\_\_1\_\_\_\_

**RESOLUTION #2021-97-PAYMENT OF VOUCHERS**

**RESOLVE to pay the following vouchers from the appropriate accounts as presented**

**to and verified by the town board on October 18, 2021.**

Vouchers # 243-281, General Fund in the amount of $29,613.19;

Vouchers # 156-175, Highway Fund in the amount of $90,430.75;

Vouchers # 105-122, Trust & Agency in the amount of $25,040.51

**Monthly Payroll Totals for September 2021**

**Highway Gross $not provided Net $not provided**

**General Gross $not provided Net $not provided**

Moved by Councilor A Hamblin-Smith Seconded by Councilor M Rusaw

Roll Call: Councilor E Wavle \_A\_ Councilor G Stanard \_Y\_ Councilor M Rusaw \_Y\_

Councilor A Hamblin-Smith \_Y\_ Supervisor G Hartranft \_Y\_

**Motion Carried** \_\_4\_\_\_to\_\_0\_ **Absent** \_\_\_1\_\_\_\_

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

**L Lockwood stated the county is working on budget and that there are 2 building up for remodeling or new.**

**Future Meetings:**

NOVEMBER 1, 2021---Zoning Board Meeting -6:00 PM

NOVEMBER 2, 2021---Planning Board Meeting -6:30 PM

NOVEMBER 16, 2021---Bill Signing Meeting - 2 PM

NOVEMBER 18, 2021---Public Hearing Fire Department Contract - 5 PM

NOVEMBER 18, 2021--- Public Hearing Town Budget

NOVEMBER 18, 2021---Town Board Meeting-

Having no more business, Supervisor G Hartranft asked for a motion to adjourn.

Motion to Adjourn by Superviosr G Hartranft Seconded by Councilor M Rusaw

**Motion Carried** \_\_\_4\_\_\_\_to\_\_\_\_0\_\_\_ **Absent** \_\_1\_\_\_\_

The meeting was adjourned at 5:23 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra L Austin

Volney Town Clerk