

November 3, 2010

A regular Meeting of the Village Board of the Town of Harrison, Westchester County, New York was held at the Municipal Building, 1 Heineman Place, Harrison, NY, Westchester County, on the 3rd day of November, 2010 at 7:30 PM, Eastern Daylight Savings Time. All members having received due notice of said meeting:

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Joan B. Walsh Mayor

Joseph Cannella)
Fred Sciliano) Trustees
Patrick Vetere)
Marlane Amelio)

ALSO ATTENDING:

Frank Allegretti Town Attorney
Robert Paladino..... Village Attorney
Jonathan KrautDeputy Village Attorney
Maureen MacKenzie Treasurer
Michael Amodeo Village Engineer

FILED THIS
26 DAY OF
November 2010
Angela J. Tomucci, Deputy
Town Clerk, Harrison, New York

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PRESENTATION OF THE 2011 TENTATIVE BUDGET
FOR THE VILLAGE OF HARRISON

Mayor Joan Walsh presented the 2011 Tentative Budget for the Village of Harrison.

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APPROVAL TO ACCEPT DONATIONS FOR FIREWORKS FOR
"IT'S GREAT TO LIVE IN HARRISON" CELEBRATION

On motion of Trustee Cannella, seconded by Trustee Sciliano,

it was

RESOLVED to approve the request by Treasurer Maureen MacKenzie for authorization to accept the following donations for Fireworks for "It's Great to Live in Harrison" celebration:

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| George Skinner/Old Well Associates, Inc. | \$500 |
| Greater New York Chamber of Commerce, Chairman Mark Jaffe | \$500 |
| Greater Westchester Orchid Society | \$ 50 |
| Garden Club | \$100 |
| Total: | \$1,150 |

FURTHER RESOLVED to forward a copy of this Resolution to the Treasurer and the Recreation Department.

Adopted by the following vote:

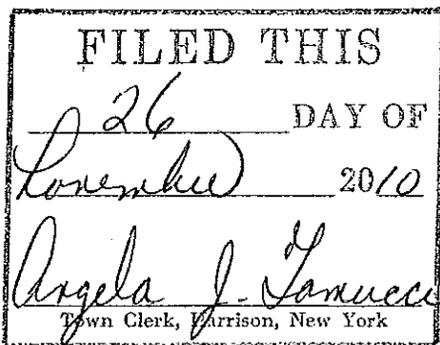
AYES: Trustees Amelio, Cannella, Sciliano and Vetere
Mayor Walsh

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

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APPROVAL TO ACCEPT THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE NYS DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION AND THE TOWN OF HARRISON TO INSTALL
TWO SCHOOL ZONE WARNING BEACONS

On motion of Trustee Amelio, seconded by Trustee Cannella,

it was

RESOLVED to accept the Agreement with the NYS Department of Transportation (NYSDEC) to install two school zone warning beacons on Route 127 in the vicinity of Harrison Avenue School. The NYSDEC will maintain the signal for an annual fee of \$1,251.62.

FURTHER RESOLVED that funding is available in Account #001-3310-100-0407, Traffic.

FURTHER RESOLVED to forward a copy of this Resolution to the Treasurer and the Chief of Police.

Adopted by the following vote:

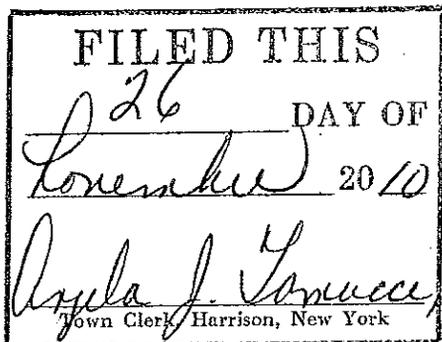
AYES: Trustees Amelio, Cannella, Sciliano and Vetere
Mayor Walsh

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

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APPROVAL TO ADD THE COMMERCIAL GARBAGE PROGRAM ARREARS AND ASSOCIATED PENALTIES TO THE 2010 ASSESSMENT ROLL

On motion of Trustee Vetere, seconded by Trustee Cannella,

it was

RESOLVED to add the Commercial Garbage Program arrears and associated penalties to the 2010 Assessment Roll.

FURTHER RESOLVED that, as all properties with outstanding charges were notified by the Law Department on September 10, 2010 of the Resolution that was adopted by the Town Board imposing a \$150 penalty and the authorization to impose a lien on the property of those who failed to pay their outstanding charges by October 1, 2010, the Receiver of Taxes is hereby directed to impose such lien on these properties on the 2011 assessment roll.

FURTHER RESOLVED to forward a copy of this Resolution to the Commissioner of Public Works, the Law Department, the Treasure and the Receiver of Taxes.

Adopted by the following vote:

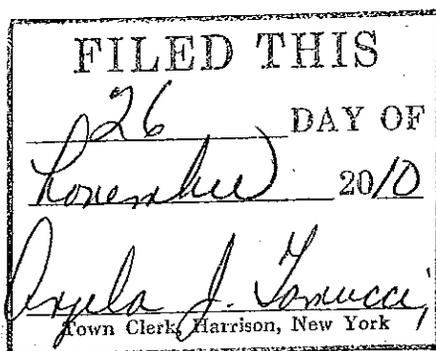
AYES: Trustees Amelio, Cannella, Sciliano and Vetere
Mayor Walsh

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

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AUTHORIZATION TO PLACE LIENS ON THOSE RESIDENTS WHO HAVE NOT PAID
FOR THE COMMERCIAL GARBAGE PROGRAM

Village Attorney Robert Paladino addressed the Board stating he would like to continue the discussion regarding this item. He further stated that the Board did authorize the Law Department imposing a \$150 fine. Reviewing the worksheet 59 properties continue to not pay, totaling around \$60,000. To date DPW has collected about \$185,000 in total revenues from commercial sanitation with an additional \$60,000 of original fees plus \$8,850 of fines. Mr. Paladino went on to say that these 59 properties continue to receive garbage services but are not paying. Some residents are sending letters asking to opt out of the program which was an option they were given in May for \$100, all the residents had to do was to file their papers for the \$100 and opted out. Also, they also had the benefit of approximately six months of their garbage being collected. Mr. Paladino asked for the Board's opinion as to what if residents opt out mid year and he asked if the Board wanted to discontinue sanitation pick up to any properties that continue to not pay the Town.

Mayor Walsh asked if he meant to discontinue services effective immediately.

Mr. Paladino answered: Another letter will be sent to residents indicating that they have a lien on their property and fines have been assessed. He continued, asking if the Board would like to include in that letter a notification that if the outstanding amount is not paid by December 1, 2010 that sanitation services will be discontinued.

Mayor Walsh asked if these were mostly stores.

Mr. Paladino responded that there are stores, Post Office, Co-ops in town and a variety of owners that are now six months in arrears. They are still receiving garbage services but they are not paying. It is his suggestion that the Board make the decision to terminate sanitation pick up.

Trustee Cannella suggested January 1, 2011.

Trustee Amelio asked if ample letters were sent out.

Mr. Paladino answered: three letters were mailed to those residents.

On motion of Trustee Vetere, seconded by Trustee Cannella,

it was

RESOLVED to authorize to impose a lien on the property for those that failed to pay outstanding charges by January 1, 2011.

FURTHER RESOLVED to forward a copy of this Resolution to the Law Department, the Treasurer and the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the following vote:

AYES: Trustees Amelio, Cannella, Sciliano and Vetere
Mayor Walsh

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

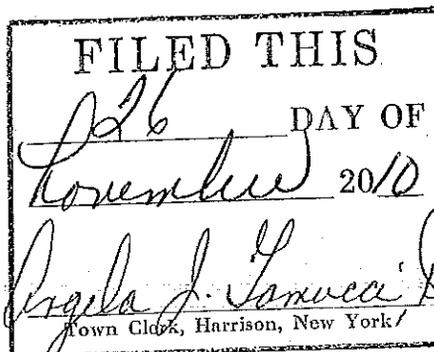
On motion duly made and seconded,
with all members voting in favor,
the Meeting was recessed at 8:55 PM.

On motion duly made and seconded,
with all members voting in favor,
the Meeting was reconvened at 9:50 PM

There being no further matters to come before the Board,
the Meeting was, on motion duly made and seconded, with
all members voting in favor declared closed at 9:50 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Angela J. Tamucci
Deputy Village Clerk



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