# Minutes – Organizational Meeting April 7, 2021

Minutes of the Organizational Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Incorporated Village of Mineola held Wednesday April 7, 2021 at Village Hall, 155 Washington Avenue Mineola, New York 11501.

**PRESENT:** Mayor Scott P. Strauss

Trustee Paul S. Cusato

Trustee Paul A. Pereira (via teleconference)

Trustee George R. Durham Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

**ALSO PRESENT:** Village Attorney John P. Gibbons, Jr.

Village Clerk Joseph R. Scalero Deputy Village Clerk Linda Pardo Village Treasurer Giacomo Ciccone

Superintendent of Public Works Thomas J. Rini

Press Observer: None

**Sunshine Observers:** None

Mayor Scott P. Strauss called the Organizational Meeting to order at 6:35 PM.

# Resolution No. 74-21

Resolved to confirm the Mayor's appointments of Village Officials:

# **2021 APPOINTMENTS**

VILLAGE CLERK JOSEPH R. SCALERO

DEPUTY VILLAGE CLERK LINDA PARDO

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS THOMAS J. RINI

DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS LEONARD M. PALUMBO

SUPERINTENDENT OF THE

BUILDING DEPARTMENT DANIEL B. WHALEN

TREASURER GIACOMO A. CICCONE

DEPUTY TREASURER EGIDIO BELLI

SECRETARY TO THE ZONING BOARD

OF APPEALS PETER SMITH

SECRETARY TO THE PLANNING BOARD DONNA THOMPSON

ACTIVITIES COORDINATOR MARTA DE SOUSA

ASSISTANT ACTIVITIES COORDINATOR ANNA ATHAN

PARKING SUPERVISOR THOMAS WINTERS

COURT CLERK OF THE JUSTICE COURT ELIZABETH BERNARDES

ASSOCIATE VILLAGE JUSTICE STEVEN BARNWELL

VILLAGE ATTORNEY JOHN P. GIBBONS, JR.

DEPUTY VILLAGE ATTORNEY BENJAMIN J. TRUNCALE, JR.

DEPUTY VILLAGE ATTORNEY PETER S. TRENTACOSTE

VILLAGE PROSECUTOR PETER S. TRENTACOSTE

DEPUTY PROSECUTOR BENJAMIN J. TRUNCALE, JR.

SPECIAL RETAINED COUNSEL SPELLMAN GIBBONS POLIZZI

TRUNCALE & TRENTACOSTE, LLP

COUNSEL TO THE LIBRARY BOARD RUSSELL BURCHERI

COUNSEL TO THE ZONING BOARD

OF APPEALS BENJAMIN J. TRUNCALE, JR.

COUNSEL TO THE PLANNING BOARD/

ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW BOARD BENJAMIN J. TRUNCALE, JR.

VILLAGE ENGINEER D&B ENGINEERS AND

ARCHITECTS PC

ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR ELECTRICAL INSPECTORS, INC.

FINANCIAL ADVISOR CAPITAL MARKETS ADVISORS, LLC

BOND COUNSEL HAWKINS DELAFIELD

AND WOOD, LLP

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS RYNKAR VAIL & BARRETT, LLP

POOL RECREATION BOARD

ANNE KEARNS 160 GARFIELD AVENUE MINEOLA, NY 11501 CONNIE ALTVATER 26 RICHLEE COURT MINEOLA, NY 11501

LIBRARY BOARD

BARBARA WALSH

138 ALBERTSON PLACE

MINEOLA, NY 11501

KAREN SMITH

159 ELDERBERRY ROAD

MINEOLA, NY 11501

LAURA KERN

142 WELLINGTON ROAD

MINEOLA, NY 11501

PLANNING BOARD / ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW BOARD

NELSON INES 169 WARDWELL RD MINEOLA, NY 11501 NICHOLAS PENNACCHIO 241 COLUMBUS PARKWAY MINEOLA, NY 11501 PLANNING BOARD / ARB CHAIRMAN

NICHOLAS PENNACCHIO 241 COLUMBUS PARKWAY MINEOLA, NY 11501

**BOARD OF ETHICS** 

BERNADETTE PIZZARDI 12 SHORTRIDGE DRIVE MINEOLA, NY 11501 ELIZABETH BERNARDES 359 BURKHARD AVENUE MINEOLA, NY 11501 RUSS SUTHERLAND 3 BIRCHWOOD COURT MINEOLA, NY 11501 CHET EASTON 182 MAIN STREET MINEOLA, NY 11501 LISA DALFONSO-VALENTE 366 MINEOLA BLVD MINEOLA, NY 11501

**ZONING BOARD** 

JAMES SHERRY 334 MARCELLUS ROAD MINEOLA, NY 11501

ZONING BOARD ALTERNATE

JANINE SARTORI 47 WEYBRIDGE ROAD MINEOLA, NY 11501 TARA RYAN 180 ANDREWS ROAD MINEOLA, NY 11501

ZONING BOARD CHAIRMAN

JAMES SHERRY 334 MARCELLUS ROAD MINEOLA, NY 11501

**ASSESSORS** 

RICHARD MAHER 143 WALKER ROAD MINEOLA, NY 11501 EUGENE MARTONIK 158 NUGENT STREET NEW HYDE PK, NY 11040 PAUL WOTZAK 6 RAYMOND STREET GLEN COVE, NY 11542

Motioned by Trustee Paul S. Cusato Seconded by Trustee George R. Durham

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss Trustee Paul S. Cusato Trustee Paul A. Pereira Trustee George R. Durham Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

Resolution No. 75-21

Resolved to appoint Trustee Paul A. Pereira as Deputy Mayor.

Motioned by Trustee Paul S. Cusato Seconded by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

# Resolution No. 76-21

Resolved to approve the list of public meetings and public hearings.

# INCORPORATED VILLAGE OF MINEOLA BOARD OF TRUSTEES

# Dates of Meetings for 2021-2022

2021:	Wednesday	April 14	6:30 pm	Public Hearing/Work Session
	Wednesday	April 21	6:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting or Public Hearing
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	Wednesday	May 5	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting
	Wednesday	May 12	6:30 pm	Public Hearing/Work Session
	Wednesday	May 19	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting or Public Hearing
	Wednesday	June 2	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting
	Wednesday	June 9	6:30 pm	Public Hearing/Work Session
	Wednesday	June 16	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting or Public Hearing
	Wednesday	July 7	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting
	Wednesday	July 14	6:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting or Public Hearing
	Wednesday	Aug. 4	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting
	Wednesday	Aug. 11	6:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting or Public Hearing
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	Wednesday	Sept. 1	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting
	Wednesday	Sept. 8	No Meeting in Obser	vance of Rosh Hashana
	Wednesday	Sept. 15	No Meeting in Obser	vance of Yom Kippur
	Wednesday	Oct. 6	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting
	Wednesday	Oct. 13	6:30 pm	Public Hearing/Work Session
	Wednesday	Oct. 20	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting or Public Hearing
	Wednesday	Nov. 3	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting
	Wednesday	Nov. 10	6:30 pm	Public Hearing/Work Session
	Wednesday	Nov. 17	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting or Public Hearing
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	Wednesday	Dec. 1	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting
	Wednesday	Dec. 8	6:30 pm	Public Hearing/Work Session
	Wednesday	Dec. 15	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting or Public Hearing
2022:	Wednesday	Jan. 5	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting
	Wednesday	Jan. 12	6:30 pm	Public Hearing/Work Session
	Wednesday	Jan. 19	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting or Public Hearing
	Wednesday	Feb. 2	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting
	Wednesday	Feb. 9	6:30 pm	Public Hearing/Work Session
	Wednesday	Feb. 16	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting or Public Hearing
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	Wednesday	Mar. 2	6:30 pm/7:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting
	Wednesday	Mar. 9	6:30 pm	Public Hearing/Work Session
	Wednesday	Mar. 16	6:30 pm	Work Session/Public Meeting/Certify Election Results
	Monday	April 4	7:00 pm	Organizational Meeting

NOTE: Work Sessions of the Board of Trustees ordinarily commence at 6:30 pm and continue after Public Meetings and Hearings. Additional Public Hearing dates may be set by the Board of Trustees from time to time. All Work Sessions and other Special Meetings of the Board of Trustees are open to the public for observation in accordance with law unless a motion shall have been passed to go into Executive Session or a conference with counsel is requested. On evenings when Public Hearings are scheduled prior to a Public Meeting, the Public Meeting will begin at 7:30 pm or after the Hearing, whichever is later. All dates are subject to change.

Motioned by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh Seconded by Trustee Paul S. Cusato

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss Trustee Paul S. Cusato Trustee Paul A. Pereira Trustee George R. Durham Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

#### Resolution No. 77-21

Resolved to authorize the Village Officials listed below for undertakings in the amounts as follows:

VILLAGE CLERK	\$150,000.00
DEPUTY VILLAGE CLERK	\$75,000.00
VILLAGE TREASURER	\$150,000.00
DEPUTY VILLAGE TREASURER	\$75,000.00
VILLAGE AUDITOR	\$75,000.00
VILLAGE JUSTICE	\$50,000.00
ACTING VILLAGE JUSTICE	\$25,000.00

Such undertakings will be in the form of a Bond of a Surety Company authorized to transact business in the State of New York and the expense thereof shall be a charge upon the Village of Mineola.

Motioned by Trustee George R. Durham Seconded by Trustee Paul S. Cusato

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss
Trustee Paul S. Cusato
Trustee Paul A. Pereira
Trustee George R. Durham
Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

# **Resolution No. 78-21**

Resolved, under Section 82 of the Village Law designating the Village Clerk as COLLECTOR OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENT and for the Village Clerk to be authorized to collect taxes and assessments of the Village.

Motioned by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh Seconded by Trustee Paul A. Pereira

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

## Resolution No. 79-21

Resolved, under Section 126A of the Village Law authorizing the Village Clerk and Collector of Taxes to be credited unpaid and uncollected taxes, if any, for the year 2021/2022.

Motioned by Trustee Paul S. Cusato Seconded by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss
Trustee Paul S. Cusato
Trustee Paul A. Pereira
Trustee George R. Durham
Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

## Resolution No. 80-21

Resolved that the Mayor be authorized and directed to affix his signature as MAYOR of the Incorporated Village of Mineola upon all checks drawn upon the Village funds, in addition to the signature of the Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer for the official year 2021/2022.

Motioned by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh Seconded by Trustee Paul A. Pereira

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss
Trustee Paul S. Cusato
Trustee Paul A. Pereira
Trustee George R. Durham
Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

# Resolution No. 81-21

Resolved that in the absence or incapacitation of the Mayor, the Deputy Mayor be authorized to sign all checks in the place and stead of the Mayor, in addition to the signature of the Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer for the official year 2021/2022.

Motioned by Trustee Paul S. Cusato Seconded by Trustee George R. Durham

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

## **Resolution No. 82-21**

Resolved to authorize the Treasurer as custodian of the Length of Service Award Program and the following persons as officers of the Length of Service Award Program:

Scott P. Strauss, Mayor Paul S. Cusato, Trustee Paul A. Pereira, Trustee George R. Durham, Trustee Dennis J. Walsh, Trustee

Motioned by Trustee Paul S. Cusato Seconded by Trustee Paul A. Pereira

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss
Trustee Paul S. Cusato
Trustee Paul A. Pereira
Trustee George R. Durham
Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

## Resolution No. 83-21

Resolved to authorize the following banks to be designated as DEPOSITORIES for deposits of all monies received by the Treasurer of the Village of Mineola:

HANOVER BANK Mineola & Garden City Park Branches

Motioned by Trustee Paul S. Cusato Seconded by Trustee George R. Durham

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss Trustee Paul S. Cusato Trustee Paul A. Pereira Trustee George R. Durham Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

# **Resolution No. 84-21**

Resolved to appoint the Mineola American as the Official Village Newspaper.

Motioned by Trustee Paul A. Pereira Seconded by Trustee Paul S. Cusato

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss Trustee Paul S. Cusato

Trustee Paul A. Pereira

Trustee George R. Durham

Trustee George R. Durhan

Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

## Resolution No. 85-21

Resolved to adopt the following policies for the Village of Mineola:

Cellular Phone Policy Fraud Policy

Community Development Outreach Policy Fund Balance Policy
Compensation and Benefit Policy Investment Policy

for Elected and Appointed Officers

Pandemic Emergency Plan

Computer Policy Purchasing & Procurement Policy
Credit Card Use Policy Sexual Harassment Policy

Drug and Alcohol Testing Policy Travel Expense Reimbursement Policy

Equal Employment Policy Statement Vehicle Use Policy

Fair Housing Policy Workplace Violence Policy Fixed Asset Policy

Motioned by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh Seconded by Trustee Paul S. Cusato

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss Trustee Paul S. Cusato Trustee Paul A. Pereira Trustee George R. Durham Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

# Resolution No. 86-21

Approval of bills and payroll

Motioned by Trustee Paul S. Cusato Seconded by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss
Trustee Paul S. Cusato
Trustee Paul A. Pereira
Trustee George R. Durham
Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

# Resolution No. 87-21

Resolved to approve the minutes of the meetings of the Board of Trustees from March 3, and March 10, 2021, as amended.

Motioned by Trustee George R. Durham Seconded by Trustee Paul S. Cusato

# Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss Trustee Paul S. Cusato Trustee Paul A. Pereira Trustee George R. Durham Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

#### Resolution No. 88-21

Resolved to approve the following payments in the amount of \$113,698.00 from the Water Reserve Fund in FY 2020-2021:

VENDOR	AMOUNT	PROJECT
Web Construction Corp	\$19,000.00	Well #1
Philip Ross Industries	\$13,300.00	Well #1
JK Electric Co., Inc.	\$81,398.00	Well #1

Motioned by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh Seconded by Trustee Paul A. Pereira

# Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss
Trustee Paul S. Cusato
Trustee Paul A. Pereira
Trustee George R. Durham
Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

A Budget Work Session was conducted. Village Treasurer Giacomo Ciccone presented highlights of the FY 2021/22 Tentative Budget. Mayor Scott P. Strauss announced that there will be a Public Hearing on the proposed budget on Wednesday April 14, 2021.

# Resolution No. 89-21

Resolved to adopt changes to the FY 2021-2022 Tentative Budget.

Motioned by Trustee Paul S. Cusato Seconded by Trustee Paul A. Pereira

# Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss
Trustee Paul S. Cusato
Trustee Paul A. Pereira
Trustee George R. Durham
Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

# Resolution No. 90-21

Resolved to adopt the Homestead Adjusted Base Proportions for the Village of Mineola, as recommended by the Village Assessors, for the 2021-22 tax year.

Motioned by Trustee George R. Durham Seconded by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss Trustee Paul S. Cusato Trustee Paul A. Pereira Trustee George R. Durham Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

#### Resolution No. 91-21

Resolved to authorize the One Year Contract Extension Clause contained in the two year, 2019 Uniform Contract. All contract terms and conditions shall remain in effect for the one year contract extension period.

Vendor: Eighth Street Designs

Funding Source: 2020/2021 General Fund and Water Fund Budgets and/or the General Fund and Water Fund Unreserved Fund Balances

Motioned by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh Seconded by Trustee Paul S. Cusato

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss
Trustee Paul S. Cusato
Trustee Paul A. Pereira
Trustee George R. Durham
Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

## **Resolution No. 92-21**

Resolved to authorize the installation of an on-street "Handicap Reserved" parking space in front of 1 Hampton Street, Mineola.

Motioned by Trustee George R. Durham Seconded by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss Trustee Paul S. Cusato Trustee Paul A. Pereira Trustee George R. Durham Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

# Resolution No. 93-21

Resolved to authorize the posting of a Water Operator position in the Water Department.

Motioned by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh Seconded by Trustee George R. Durham

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss Trustee Paul S. Cusato Trustee Paul A. Pereira

Trustee George R. Durham

Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

Village Attorney John P. Gibbons, Jr. introduced the following resolutions:

## Resolution No. 94-21

Resolved to approve the one (1) year lease renewal option for the temporary Water Department offices; and

RESOLVED, that the Mayor is authorized to execute the one (1) year lease renewal option Agreement with 42 Mineola Realty LLC, owner.

Motioned by Trustee Paul S. Cusato Seconded by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss
Trustee Paul S. Cusato
Trustee Paul A. Pereira
Trustee George R. Durham

Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

## Resolution No. 95-21

Resolved to approve the temporary construction fence contract between the Village of Mineola and Landtek Group, Inc in the amount of \$19,701.00.; and

RESOLVED, that the Mayor is authorized to execute the Agreement with Landtek Group, Inc. on behalf of the Village of Mineola.

Motioned by Trustee Paul A. Pereira Seconded by Trustee Paul S. Cusato

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss

Trustee Paul S. Cusato

Trustee Paul A. Pereira

Trustee George R. Durham

Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

#### Resolution No. 96-21

BOARD OF TRUSTEES
INCORPORATED VILLAGE OF MINEOLA
X
In the Matter of the Application of

North Shore Farms

**DECISION** 

For a Special Use Permit pursuant to Chapter 550, Section 550-12(B) of the Code of the Incorporated Village of Mineola, at premises known as 330 East Jericho Turnpike, Mineola, New York, known and designated on the Nassau County Land and Tax Map as Section 9, Block 381, Lot 44.

-----X

NAME OF APPLICANT: North Shore Farms

SUBJECT PROPERTY: Section 9, Block 381, Lot 44

STREET LOCATION: 330 East Jericho Turnpike

Mineola, New York 11501

ZONING DISTRICT: B-1 District

RELIEF REQUESTED: Application For a Special Use Permit pursuant to Chapter

550, Section 550-12(B) to expand the previously issued Special Use Permit in order to legalize and maintain the conversion of cellar storage space into a commercial bakery area, prep areas, 10 walk-in refrigeration boxes, locker room, storage rack areas, food prep areas and rack ovens upon the

**Property** 

PUBLICATION & POSTING: All in accordance with applicable laws, rules and regulations.

DATE OF HEARING: February 17, 2021

APPEARANCE: Oscar Michelen, Esq., Applicant's Attorney

Peter Mamais, Store Owner

James Litchhult, V.P. of Operations

Anthony Garrett, Architect

# **DECISION:**

North Shore Farms (hereinafter, "Applicant") is before this Board, pursuant to Chapter 550, Section 550-12(B) of the Municipal Code of the Incorporated Village of Mineola, for a special use permit to expand the previously issued special use permit in order to legalize and maintain the

conversion of cellar storage space into a commercial bakery area, prep areas, 10 walk-in refrigeration boxes, locker room, storage rack areas, food prep areas and rack ovens upon the property known as 330 East Jericho Turnpike, Mineola, New York (known and designated on the Nassau County Land and Tax Map as Section 9, Block 381, Lot 44) (hereinafter, the "Property").

By Notice of Disapproval, Applicant's building permit was denied. The Building Inspector determined that the proposed application is contrary to the Village's zoning regulations. Applicant was thus required to seek relief before the Board of Trustees for a special use permit to expand the previously issued special use permit in order to legalize and maintain the conversion of cellar storage space into a commercial bakery area, prep areas, 10 walk-in refrigeration boxes, locker room, storage rack areas, food prep areas and rack ovens upon the Property.

A referral of the application was made to the Nassau County Planning Commission. The Nassau County Planning Commission recommended that this Board take whatever action it deems appropriate. Based upon the evidence adduced at the public hearing, and the documentation submitted to the Board in support of the application, the Board makes the following findings of fact:

- 1) Applicant is seeking a special use permit to expand the previously issued special use permit in order to legalize and maintain the conversion of cellar storage space into a commercial bakery area, prep areas, 10 walk-in refrigeration boxes, locker room, storage rack areas, food prep areas and rack ovens upon the Property;
- 2) The prior tenant was granted a Special Use Permit by Decision, filed in the Village Clerk's Office on March 30, 2009, to operate a grocery store with the sale of food upon the Property;
- 3) The prior Special Use Permit did not grant approval for cellar use associated with the business upon the Property;
- 4) Applicant did not realize that the cellar use was not approved;
- 5) Applicant is seeking approval to legalize and maintain the cellar conversion;
- 6) All prior terms and conditions of the March 30, 2009 Special Use Decision are in full force and effect;
- 7) The proposed use, subject to the conditions imposed by this Board, will provide a desirable service and convenience to the Village.

Based upon the above findings, it is hereby determined that the proposed use, subject to the conditions stated below, is harmonious to the B-1 District, will conform to the general character of the neighborhood, and that the public health, morals, safety and general welfare of such neighborhood will be secured by the granting of the requested Special Use Permit. Further, it is hereby determined that the Special Use Permit will provide a desirable facility to the area and will not be incongruous to the neighborhood by reason of excessive traffic.

# IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the Special Use Permit is GRANTED subject to

the following conditions:

- 1) All prior terms and conditions of the March 30, 2009 Special Use Decision remain in full force and effect and are incorporated by reference in this Decision;
- 2) The entire building shall be in compliance with the New York State Fire Prevention and Building Code, the Regulations of the Nassau County Fire Marshal and the Rules of all agencies having jurisdiction
- 3) There shall be no open flame cooking in the cellar space;
- 4) Applicant shall install and maintain metal guardrails along the rear property fence line:
- Each of these conditions is material to the approval granted by the Board of Trustees. Violations of any of the conditions of this Special Use Permit shall subject the applicant or its successors to enforcement pursuant to the Village's Municipal Code, including possible revocation of this Special Use Permit;
- The representations made by Applicant on the record in this proceeding have been deemed material to this application and have been relied upon by the Board of Trustees in its deliberations and decision. Applicant's representations are deemed to be part of the conditions of this Special Use Permit; and
- 7) Violation of a condition set forth in this Special Use Permit shall be deemed a violation of the Village Zoning Law and shall subject the owner or occupant of the premises to all penalties set forth in the Zoning Law.

Dated: Mineola, New York April 7, 2021

Motioned by Trustee Paul S. Cusato Seconded by Trustee Paul A. Pereira

Village Clerk Joseph R. Scalero polled the Board:

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss
Trustee Paul S. Cusato
Trustee Paul A. Pereira
Trustee George R. Durham

Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

## Mayor Scott R. Strauss requested a motion to close the Work Session at 7:00 PM

Motioned by Trustee Dennsi J. Walsh Seconded by Trustee George R. Durham

Vote:

Yes No Abstain

Mayor Scott P. Strauss
Trustee Paul S. Cusato
Trustee Paul A. Pereira
Trustee George R. Durham

Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

# Mayor Scott P. Strauss called the Public Meeting to order at 7:30 PM.

**PRESENT:** Mayor Scott P. Strauss

Trustee Paul S. Cusato

Trustee Paul A. Pereira (via teleconference)

Trustee George R. Durham Trustee Dennis J. Walsh

**ALSO PRESENT:** Village Attorney John P. Gibbons, Jr.

Village Clerk Joseph R. Scalero Deputy Village Clerk Linda Pardo Village Treasurer Giacomo Ciccone

Superintendent of Public Works Thomas J. Rini

**Press Observer:** None

**Sunshine Observers:** None

Mayor Scott P. Strauss thanked all appointed volunteers who were named during the Organizational Meeting; stated that he swore in Steven Barnwell as Associate Village Justice; reported that the budget is being finalized with a slight increase of 1.9%, which is incredible given the loss of revenue due to COVID and \$26 million bonding for the Water Administration Building and fire department headquarters, noting that bonding is responsible for only .75% of the budget increase; stated that it is National Library Week; reported that summer programs are being planned, but are dependent on COVID regulations; discussed the Easter Sunday car crash and fire department response and rescue which was followed immediately by a serious house fire; thanked all fire department volunteers, and stated that new members are welcome.

Trustee Paul A. Pereira offered Passover and Easter greetings; gave kudos to the Village Treasurer and department heads for keeping a tight budget, adding that the Village was able to absorb COVID losses directly due to smart budgeting and careful spending over last 8-10 years.

Trustee Paul S. Cusato congratulated all who were appointed earlier in the evening, and thanked members of the Mineola Fire Department for their response to a car accident early Easter morning.

Trustee George R. Durham congratulated all appointees who were named during the Organizational Meeting; reported that the Budget Hearing is Wednesday April 14, adding that the Village does not have to pierce the tax cap; announced that Troop 45 will be celebrating its 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and they are looking for alumni, and stated that little league and soccer are starting soon.

Trustee Dennis J. Walsh reported that the New York Blood Bank is down to a 1½ week supply of blood and encouraged residents to donate; discussed his attendance at the annual Irish Independence ceremony; stated that the Third Track Project and related projects are all on hold following an electrocution accident at the Long Island Rail Road, and reported that the Budget Hearing is Wednesday April 14.

No speakers addressed the Board

# Mayor Scott R. Strauss requested a motion to close the Public Meeting at 7:50 PM

Motioned by Trustee Dennis J. Walsh Seconded by Trustee George R. Durham

Vote:

Yes No Abstain