**MEMBERS PRESENT: MAYOR DENNIS K LEAHY, TRUSTEE KEVIN GREANY, TRUSTEE JAMES R BARNETT, TRUSTEE DARYL CAPOZZOLI**

**MEMBERS ABSENT: DEPUTY MAYOR ROBERT PRITCHARD**

**ALSO PRESENT: ATTORNEY KELLY NAUGHTON, ENGINEER SEAN HOFFMAN, POLICE CHIEF ARNOLD AMTHOR, DPW SUPERINTENDENT MATTHEW THORP, CLERK-TREASURER VALENTINA JOHNSON**

**PUBLIC: EDWARD WILLIAMS, JENNIFER & CHARLES WOZNICK, LOGAN CAPOZZOLI, BEN CATERINA, LANDON SANTANGELO**

Mayor opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and welcomed everyone to the meeting.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Motion by Trustee Barnett, seconded by Trustee Capozzoli, approving the minutes of the April 25, 2022

meeting as presented. 4 ayes. 0 nays.

**APPROVAL OF BILLS & CLAIMS**

Motion by Trustee Greany, seconded by Trustee Capozzoli, approving the bills as audited by the Board

of Trustees:

**TRANSFER OF FUNDS**

Motion by Trustee Barnett, seconded by Trustee Capozzoli, authorizing the following bills and claims as

requested by Clerk-Treasurer to cover deficit lines in the budget:

From: 1110.130A, Court Officers

To: 1110.100A, Justice Personal Services

Amt. $1,130. 00

From: 1410120A, Training Courses

To: 1410.150A, Special OT

Amt. $400.00

From: 1410.400A, Elections Contractual

To: 5182.400A, Street Lighting Contractual

Amt. $750.00

From: 7310.440A, Maybrook 5K

To: 7140.400A, Playgrounds Contractual

Amt. $1300.00

From: 8020.410A, Municipal Planner

To: 1620.400A, Buildings Contractual

Amt. $3,000.00

From: 8130.400G, STP Disp Contractual

To: 8130.460G, STP Disp JCO Contract

Amt. $5,000.00

From: 8989.110A, Reading Room P.S.- Clerk

To: 8989.400A, Reading Room Contractual

Amt. $400.00

**PUBLIC HEARING- 7PM**

**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FY-2023**

Motion by Trustee Barnett, seconded by Trustee Greany, to open the Public Hearing at 7PM. 4 ayes, 0

nays.

Attorney advised on the required Public Hearing for any ideas for funding for the FY-2023 application,

the village has been doing the sewer lining and has completed quite a bit of the village. Community

Development has advised to make it a three (3) year project instead of one (1) year. The Public Hearing

is to have any other ideas from the Board and the public.

Board agreed to keep with the sewer lining.

Mayor advised on the past 10-12 years of sewer lining and we are making headway on it. Matt had

advised that Community Development has said others should follow our lead.

Charlie Woznick asked if this is the same project that was discussed at the last meeting?

Engineer advised yes, we require a Public Hearing. The resolutions were adopted at the last meeting, we

still are required to have a Public Hearing.

Motion by Trustee Barnett, seconded by Trustee Capozzoli, to close the Public Hearing at 7:04PM. 4

ayes, 0 nays.

Engineer advised the Board approved the resolution for the grant at the last meeting, we will hear

sometime in November or December, the application is due in the end of June.

Mayor advised that Heather Bell apologizes, she can’t be here this evening due to a family emergency.

The Orange County Chamber’s Grand Opening is on May 19th at 5:30PM, the membership for

municipalities is $300 for the year, they want to help us with our Ribbon Cutting on Main Street in mid-

July, and Heather is very enthusiastic for us to join.

Motion by Trustee Barnett, seconded by Trustee Capozzoli, approving to join the Orange County

Chamber for $300 a year. 4 ayes. 0 nays.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

1. RESOLUTION, ADOPTION OF UPDATED FEE SCHEDULE, INCLUDING PLANNING & ZONING FEES- Attorney advised the village’s fee schedule has not been updated since 1986. Motion by Trustee Greany, seconded by Trustee Capozzoli, approving the Updated Fee Schedule, as presented. 4 ayes, 0 nays.

**MAYOR’S REPORT**

* **Basketball Backboard in the Frederick Myers Veterans Memorial Park-**The individual responsible for the damage to the basketball backboard has been apprehended and has agreed to pay full restitution for the damages. I’d like to thank Chief Butch Amthor and Detective Matt Hughes for their efforts in finding the person responsible for the damage. The basketball backboard has been removed and a new one has been ordered. The Village of Maybrook DPW will put up the new one when it arrives. Our goal is to have the park in order and ready for Memorial Day.
* **Maybrook Kiwanis Club “Pasta Dinner”**– This past Friday, I attended the Maybrook Kiwanis Club’s “Pasta Dinner” at the Senior Center. The food was great, and many came out to support this wonderful group of people. Congratulations to President Tina Johnson and the Maybrook Kiwanis Club on a successful event. The Maybrook Kiwanis Club will be sponsoring another “Pasta Dinner” next year!
* **George C. Bullis Community Center “Storytime”-** The George C. Bullis Community Center will be hosting “Storytime” on Thursday’s at 11 am beginning May 26th. They will have crafts, playtime and a healthy snack. For additional information, contact the George C. Bullis Community Center at 845-427-2914.
* **Welcome to Maybrook Signs-** The “Welcome to Maybrook” Signs on the north and south end of the village were sent out to be repainted because they faded over time. The sign on the north end has been replaced and it looks great. The south end sign is being worked on and will be put back up shortly. We also fixed the Maybrook Senior Center Sign in the park too. We have a lot of work scheduled in the village in the coming months. We are working on getting fences moved on Main Street and we will be scheduling a ribbon cutting in mid-July, Sean, Matt and I have discussed our paving schedule for this year, and we are getting a jump on that as well. We are scheduling curb replacement in bad areas of the village from the Dormitory Authority State of New York (DASNY) we received. It’s going to be a busy summer and I’m looking forward to getting a jump on these projects!
* **The Maybrook Symphonic Wind Ensemble –** The Maybrook Symphonic Wind Ensemble will be hosting their Spring Concert this coming Thursday, May 12 at the Maybrook Senior Center beginning at 7:30 pm. They are a wonderful group of talented musicians and welcome them back for their first concert since the pandemic. The admission is free however donations are accepted to help defray costs.
* **St. Baldrick’s Handbag Bingo Fundraiser-**St. Baldrick’s is a local organization that raises funds for childhood cancer research. They will be hosting a “Handbag Bingo Night” on Friday, June 3rd at the Maybrook Senior Center. Doors open at 6:30 pm and calling begins at 7 pm. Dress in your 80’s/90’s best and win prizes! You can pre-pay for $40 a ticket through Paypal: [hudsonvalleystbaldricks@gmail.com](mailto:hudsonvalleystbaldricks@gmail.com), Venmo: @Tina-Quinlan-1. Tickets are $50 at the door. Call or text Tina Quinlan at 845-313-8648 for additional information.
* **Next Scheduled Village Board Meeting-** Our next Village Board Meeting is scheduled for Monday, May 23rd at 7 pm and will be held here, at the Village of Maybrook Government Center. We have a lot of events coming so please remember to stay in touch with the Maybrook website and follow us on our Facebook Page and Instagram! Happy belated Mother’s Day to all and hope it was a good day too!

**TRUSTEES’ REPORTS**

**TRUSTEE KEVIN GREANY-** Advised the sewage treatment plant is running well.

Advised Donnie is back at the plant just part time.

Advised he wished all a Happy Mothers’ Day yesterday by text, Happy Mothers’ Day to all.

Thank goodness for some warmer weather.

**TRUSTEE JAMES R BARNETT-** Advised on the damage to a building on Homestead Avenue, it’s really bad, you can see right through the building and the new owner is not allowed in without an engineer. Tim’s on top of the inspections.

Asked about the sidewalk work going on by Capach’s. Matt advised that is the NYSDOT.

Advised on Wednesday he will represent the Mayor who is unable to attend, the Berea Elementary School D.A.R.E. Graduation and Officer KJ Greany is the D.A.R.E. Officer so he feels this will be a much better reception than the last.

**TRUSTEE DARYL CAPOZZOLI-** Advised the Community Center is going well.

Advised on Thursday, 5/26 at 11AM, Storytime will resume, information is on the website.

Advised on patron numbers for April, very busy month.

Asked Matt about the status of his equipment and truck. Matt advised.

Welcome to the gentlemen here this evening!

**DEPARTMENT HEADS**

**POLICE CHIEF ARNOLD AMTHOR-** Advised the Town of Montgomery picked a great guy to do the D.A.R.E. program, KJ Greany will do good, he’ll do an amazing job.

Advised on the basketball issue, the courts are used by young men from Middletown, Newburgh, this is a safe haven for them, they are nice and respectful men. One place wanted to not allow this, the kids that come here are very respectful and he’s happy the village allows this and opens it up for all. The individual and his friends that did this were very upset with the individual’s actions, they know this village goes out of our way.

**DPW SUPERINTENDENT MATTHEW THORP-** Advised the new basketball backboard was shipped from Texas today.

Advised the Cornell Program is 5/22, 5/23, & 5/24, the student intern is Susan Sanchez, then they’ll be here for 4 weeks, Kyle will learn the program.

Advised he will be at Rural Water and NYCOM in Lake George

Advised he met with construction rep from DOT, they will be put in all new sidewalks and ramps from 310 Homestead to Country Club.

Mayor advised he will be speaking to someone this week on the DASNY grants and permits.

**ENGINEER SEAN HOFFMAN-** Advised on the fence on Main Street, Matt will call Benny.

Advised on the parking on Main Street, proposal will get done for easement.

Advised on Liberty Towers and cell tower, they will be here before the Board at the next meeting.

Trustee Barnett asked about Bluestone Commons. Engineer advised we have not heard back from them, they had to meet with Matt to go over a few things and meet certain conditions, but we have not heard back from them.

Matt advised the sewer blockage last week came from Bluestone, we need to send them a letter to go out to all residents, next time we will bill them. They have got to stop putting those wipes down the toilets, they say they can be flushed but they can’t. We also had dog feces bags and rubber gloves.

Motion by Logan, seconded by Landan & Ben, our Honor Society (History) guests, meeting was adjourned. 4 ayes, 0 nays.

Respectfully submitted,

Valentina Johnson

Clerk-Treasurer

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