

Minutes of Germantown Town Board Meeting, held September 18, 2006 at 7:30 pm at the Germantown Town Hall.

Present: Deputy Supervisor, Jason Clum  
Councilman, Anthony Cidras  
Councilman, Patsy Zanchelli  
Councilwoman, Joan Snyder  
Councilwoman, Graceann Lamberta  
Highway Superintendent: Richard Jennings

Recorded by: Town Clerk, Charlene Diehl

Not Present: Supervisor, Roy Brown

The Deputy Supervisor led the Pledge to the Flag at 7:30pm.

Motion made by Councilman Zanchelli and seconded by Councilwoman Snyder to approve the previous month's minutes - all in agreement, none opposed.

The Budget Status Report filed with the clerk.

Motion to approve the audited vouchers made by Councilwoman Lamberta and seconded by Councilwoman Snyder:

Councilman Cidras: Aye Councilman Zanchelli: Aye

The Town Clerk asked the board if they knew of anyone interested in becoming a custodian for the voting machines since Denis Crawford submitted his resignation.

The Highway Superintendent reported that the oil pan on the '83 truck was replaced; the highway crew is working on oiling/stoning roads; and they are using an old ambulance as a tool truck which was recently painted to say Germantown Highway.

Richard Jennings reported that the donated shale for the 9/11 memorial has been laid and there will be a meeting on September 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 for all those interested. 2 pieces of steel from the Twin Towers were donated to Germantown and the school art teacher, Mr. DelPozzo, has drawn a design that received favorable reviews.

Frank Pedatella requested that the board assist him in hooking into the sewer system, and addressed the town lawyer as to how to pursue having the town pay to bring the sewer line to his property line, and expressed his unhappiness that the board had previously voted to make it his responsibility. Mr. Shaw suggested that rather than engage in a potentially lengthy battle, he assume the responsibility of paying to bring the line to him.

Mr. Clum announced to the board that Jake Buehler, who had previously offered a bridge renovation in the park area as his Eagle Scout project, had to change his plans due to the fact that the project would need architectural as well as engineering approval, and the time constraints he is working under did not make that possible. Instead he is offering a 'clean-up' at the boat launch area, which ties in with the tri-centennial that is being planned for the boat launch. The board advised him to move forward with this project.

Columbia County Hazardous Waste Collection Day, September 30<sup>th</sup> from 8:00am-12:00pm – contact town hall for a list of what can be collected.

The contract with the Webmaster has expired and the town is looking for someone to pick it up.

Motion to adjourn the town board meeting was made by Councilwoman Lamberta and seconded by Councilman Zanchelli, with all in favor, none opposed.

Respectfully submitted,