

TOWN OF CLAVERACK
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

January 05, 2009

The Regular Monthly Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Claverack, Columbia County, New York, was held at the Town Hall, Rte. #217, Mellenville, New York immediately following the Organizational meeting. Meeting called to order at 7:20 p.m. by Supervisor James W. Keegan.

Motion by Councilman Johnston, seconded by Councilman Blaauw to accept minutes of Year-End Meeting, held on December 29, 2008.

Meeting opened to public:

Sal Cozzolino – Questioned mileage rate for use of personal vehicles for Town business. Supervisor Keegan explained that the Town uses whatever the current Federal rate is.

No further questions or comments.

There was no Highway Superintendent's Report, but some discussion on debris from the recent ice storm. The Town will speak with other Towns, make a decision and a notice will be in the newspaper.

There were no Committee Reports.

NEW BUSINESS:

Discussion on Dog Enumeration – There has to be law on books before this can be done.

Discussion on appointment of Dog Control Officer – The following were discussed:

Wes Powell
Michele Graziano
Wendy Shufelt

From Tn. of New Lebanon – Doing Hudson
From Tn of Greenport
From Tn. of Ghent

Ron Pinkowski
Reginald Conklin

Called with interest, but no application
Tn. of Claverack - Was Dog Control
Officer many years ago in Claverack

After discussion, motion by Councilman Johnston, seconded by Councilman Blaauw to appoint Reginald Conklin as Dog Control Officer. His name will be listed in Resolution #25 of the Organizational Meeting.

CORRESPONDENCE:

Letter received from Kirsten Gillibrand dated December 12, 2008, with a deadline for replies of December 01, 2008.

No further correspondence.

General A bills, totaling \$5,988.75, were audited and ordered paid from their accounts.

General B bills, totaling \$180.11, were audited and ordered paid from their accounts.

Highway DB bills, totaling \$76.00, were audited and ordered paid from their accounts.

There being no further business to be brought before the Board, on motion by Councilman Blaauw, seconded by Councilman Johnston, meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Date: _____

Supervisor: _____

Councilman Van Deusen: _____

Councilman Blaauw: _____

Councilman Johnston: _____

Town Clerk: _____