

Minutes of the Public Hearing of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Williamsville held in the Municipal Building, Williamsville, New York on Monday, April 9, 1979 at 7:48 PM

Roll Call

Present

Gordon J. Kuzon, Mayor

Paul Atkinson
Lawrence R. Brenton Trustees
Connie C. Murray
Rosemarie Sugg

Theresa L. Cummins, Village Clerk
Thomas V. Troy, Village Attorney
Edward Way, Dept. of Public Works

Mayor Kuzon called the public hearing to order at 7:48 PM.

PUBLIC
HEARING

The Clerk read the notice of public hearing regarding the 1979-1980 Federal Revenue Sharing Fund budget for the Village. The anticipated funds are \$42,700.

Federal
Revenue
Sharing
Fund

Mayor Kuzon stated that the \$42,700 funds break down as follows: \$500 from interest earnings on previous funds deposited; \$40,400 from this year; and \$1800 as a balance left over from prior years. The tentative use of funds proposed by the old Board was as follows: \$27,000 for the Fire Department (\$17,000 for contractual expenses and \$10,000 for fire truck repairs); \$3,200 for streets department which would include the purchase of a patching roller and tractor and perhaps a trailer at a later date; \$4,000 for shade trees; \$2,500 to the Treasurer for a validating machine; and \$6,000 for the down payment on a garbage compactor if the Village went into the garbage business.

Mayor Kuzon stated the present Board has made some changes in the proposed allocations: \$200 for Village Hall equipment; \$1,000 to the Department of Public Works for repair of garage doors; \$2,500 to the Treasurer; \$30,000 to the Fire Department (\$10,000 for equipment; \$10,000 for repairs; \$4,000 for maintenance; \$2,000 for first aid, \$2,000 for building expenses and \$2,000 for miscellaneous); \$3,200 for street maintenance; \$1,500 for parks equipment for a supplemental pool filter at Island Park; \$4,000 for shade trees; and \$200 for flood erosion.

The hearing was then opened to the public but no one spoke on the matter.

ON MOTION by Mayor Kuzon, seconded by Trustee Sugg, the hearing was closed at 7:52 PM.

Unanimously carried.



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The Clerk read the notice of public hearing regarding the 1979-1980 General Fund, Water Fund, Sewer Fund and Debt Service Fund Budgets for the Village.

PUBLIC HEARING

Mayor Kuzon stated that New York Village Law provides that the Mayor, who is usually the municipal budget officer, prepare a tentative budget and report to the Board and public as to his recommendations. He stated he will continue the practice of giving a budget message on the fiscal condition of the Village. This is only a tentative budget prepared by the former administration and it can be changed by the new Board. He stated that he will give his fiscal report at the April 23rd meeting when the budget is in its final form. Under New York Law, a public hearing has to be held before April 15th. The tentative budget has been available for inspection in the Village Clerk's Office.

General,
Water,
Sewer,
Debt
Service
Funds

Mayor Kuzon stated the highlights of the tentative budget by the former administration were a tax rate of \$12.89/\$1,000. This would be a \$.66 increase from the \$12.23 rate last year. This is a 5½% increase. There was \$6,500 appropriated for the Village Offices with the anticipated moving of the offices to the Village Meeting House by June 1st. The budget appropriates money for the collection of refuse by the Department of Public Works. This would include 2½ employees on a full time basis and \$62,000 to \$65,000 for the purchase of a garbage compactor. With respect to salaries, there would be no increase for the elected officials and a 5½% increase for salaried employees.

Mayor Kuzon then opened the hearing to the public, stating he would present the new Board's recommendations following the public comment.

Richard Hill, 18 Brookside, asked if the \$6,500 in the budget is for the cost of moving the Village offices. Mayor Kuzon stated this is the amount of our share for space in Town Hall until June 1st when we would move to the Village Meeting House. This does not include the cost of moving or renovation of the building.

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Gartley Weller, 129 Mill Street, asked if the Board had any idea of what it would cost to put the building into acceptable condition for use as the Village Hall. Mayor Kuzon stated the budget does not speak to this.

Mayor Kuzon stated he now wanted to present the present Board's tentative budget. He stated New York State Village Law states that before or after completion of the public hearing, a Board may further alter or change the budget but that it must be adopted no later than the first day of May.

PUBLIC
HEARING
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Mayor Kuzon stated that under the present Board's tentative budget, the salaries would be as under the budget proposed by the previous Board. With respect to the Village Hall, \$21,500 is allocated as the Village's full year share for maintenance costs at the present location in Town Hall. He stated the present Board feels that before we move into the Meeting House we should conduct a complete investigation of the facility, both historically and legally in order to determine the feasibility of moving there. He stated we will also make a thorough study of the Village's 1965 contract with the Town to see if the Village is paying its fair share and no more. He stated the Board wants to spread the cost of repairing and repaving the streets over the life expectancy of the repair. This would be done by floating bonds. The Board feels that the Department of Public Works should not enter into the garbage business at this time. We see many serious questions to be answered. We will shortly be letting bids for this and anticipate a 2% increase.

General,
Water,
Sewer,
and
Debt
Service
Funds

Trustee Brenton stated he has a resolution on the regular agenda for this tonight. We will be able to maintain two pickups in summer.

Mayor Kuzon stated the new Board's tentative budget would have a tax rate of \$13.10/\$1,000. This is an \$.87 increase over the previous tax rate of \$12.23, or a 7% increase. This is well within the President's guidelines and under the inflation rate.

Trustee Sugg stated that with respect to the Village Meeting House, we want to preserve the integrity of the building. We have undertaken no study yet and it will be carefully done. She stated a Village Meeting House Committee is to be appointed at our next meeting and after they have looked over the building they will discuss all aspects of this tentative move.

Trustee Atkinson stated that with respect to the garbage collection we felt it was premature to have this done by the Village without some sort of cost effective study being done.

ON MOTION by Mayor Kuzon, seconded by Trustee Sugg, the hearing was closed at 7:48 PM.

Unanimously carried.



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Mayor Kuzon called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM.

A moment of silence was observed in memory of Lilian Sandys who served the senior citizens for 35 years as volunteer coordinator in the golden agers program.

County Executive Edward J. Rutkowski administered the Oath of Office to Mayor Kuzon and Trustees Murray, Atkinson and Brenton.

Mayor Kuzon thanked Mr. Rutkowski for coming and honoring us with his presence.

County Executive Rutkowski stated that the farther government gets away from the people the more unresponsive it becomes. Government at the Village level is the government closest to the people and more responsive to their needs.

ON MOTION by Trustee Sugg, seconded by Trustee Brenton, the minutes of the regular meeting held March 26, 1979 were approved.

Unanimously carried.

ON MOTION by Trustee Sugg, seconded by Trustee Brenton, the minutes of the public hearing held March 26, 1979 regarding amending the Traffic Code for a stop sign at the corner of the Village Alley and S. Long Street were approved.

Unanimously carried.

ON MOTION by Trustee Brenton, seconded by Trustee Murray, the minutes of the public hearing held March 26, 1979 regarding the proposed use of Federal Revenue Sharing Funds for 1979-1980 were approved.

Unanimously carried.

ON MOTION by Trustee Sugg, seconded by Trustee Murray, it was moved to suspend the rules at 7:37 PM in order to hold a public hearing regarding the 1979-1980 General Fund, Water Fund, Sewer Fund and Debt Service Fund Budgets for the Village. (The hearing was closed at 7:48 PM.)

Unanimously carried.

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Unanimously carried.

Mayor Kuzon reported on the reorganizational meeting of last Monday night. Trustee Rosemarie Sugg will be the Deputy Mayor for the upcoming year. Trustee Atkinson will fill the Mayor's vacancy on the Board, which will end at the end of the official Village year. The Trustees have been appointed to the liason position on the following committees: Trustee Sugg will handle Glen Park, the Youth Committee, Public Buildings (Village Meeting House) and the Traffic and Safety Committee. Trustee Murray has been appointed to the Environmental Commission, the Beautification Committee, Senior Citizens Committee and Parks and Recreation. Trustee Brenton will handle the Department of Public Works, Water Department, Lighting Department and the Fire Department. Trustee Atkinson will handle the budget, funding, insurance and personnel. Mayor Kuzon will handle the Building and Plumbing Department (which includes the Planning Board), inter-government, sewers, law (Village Attorney), justice (Village Court) and assessments.

Mayor Kuzon stated the meetings will still be held on the second and fourth Mondays at 7:30 PM. There will be work sessions before each meeting at 6:30 PM. If anyone has any problems they can be brought either to the regular meetings or the work sessions.

Mayor Kuzon stated two appointments were made at the reorganization meeting. Bill Bancroft has been appointed to the Planning Board for three years. Fred Wood has been reappointed to the Board of Appeals, and as Chairman, for a full five years.

Mayor Kuzon stated his first resolution is to approve a contract with The Planning Group to help with our planning study which has been in progress for 18 months now. The Planning Board has been working on this and at this point they need professional help to undertake the numerous activities to improve our long range planning in the Village. There is an upset figure of \$17,150 to the Planning Group and will be paid by community development money that was allocated for this a number of years ago. The basis of the study will be existing land use, identifying housing needs, giving the Planning Board an aerial map of the Village for use in planning, strip photographs to help them do a better job and also helping them with housing and community development plans.

ON MOTION by Mayor Kuzon, seconded by Trustee Atkinson, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED that the Mayor is authorized to execute on behalf of the Village of Williamsville an agreement for professional planning services

AUTHORIZATION
Mayor to
sign contract
with the PLANNING
GROUP

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with THE PLANNING GROUP, Jamestown, New York at a maximum fee, not to exceed \$17,1500.00.

Mayor Kuzon advised the audience that the present Board is following the same procedure as the previous Board in that if anyone has any comment from the audience after a resolution is presented they may speak about it before the motion is voted on.

Unanimously carried.

Mayor Kuzon stated his next resolution deals with prohibiting the parking of commercially registered vehicles on Village streets the year-round between 1:00 AM and 7:00 AM. At present this parking is restricted to all vehicles between November and April. This was the subject of a recent public hearing, and deals only with commercially registered vehicles. The Town has a similiar ordinance. This has been recommended by the Traffic and Safety Committee.

ON MOTION by Mayor Kuzon, seconded by Trustee Sugg, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED that Local Law #4 - 1979 - Amend Section 60.30(7) of the Traffic Code which was the subject of a public hearing on March 12, 1979 is hereby adopted. (Copy of Local Law attached.)

LOCAL LAW #4 - 1979
Adopted

Traffic Code Section
60.30(7)

Unanimously carried.

Mayor Kuzon stated his third resolution deals with having the Department of Public Works erect a stop sign at the Village Alley and S. Long Street. The Alley was recently made one-way, south from Main Street due to the increased traffic from the senior citizens housing which created a situation at the intersection where cars were not stopping at the intersection.

ON MOTION by Mayor Kuzon, seconded by Trustee Brenton, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED that Local Law #5 - 1979 - Amend Section 60.40(21) of the Traffic Code, which was the subject of a public hearing on March 26, 1979 is hereby adopted. (Copy of Local Law attached.)

LOCAL LAW #5 - 1979
Adopted

Traffic Code
Section 60.40(21)

Unanimously carried.

Mayor Kuzon stated his next resolution completes the appointments to the Planning Board, to fill Mr. Atkinson's unexpired term. Mr. Ticknor of S. Cayuga will serve until the end of the 1979-1980 official Village year.

(Please Use this Form for Filing your Local Law with the Secretary of State)

Text of law should be given as amended. Do not include matter being eliminated and do not use italics or underlining to indicate new matter.

~~COUNTY~~
~~CITY~~ ofWilliamsville.....
~~TOWN~~
Village
Local Law No.4..... of the year 19 79

A local lawAmend Section 60.30 (7) of the Traffic Code.....
(Insert title)

Be it enacted by theBoard of Trustees..... of the
(Name of Legislative Body)

~~COUNTY~~
~~CITY~~ ofWilliamsville..... as follows:
~~TOWN~~
Village

Delete present Section 60.30 (7)

Add new Section 60.30 (7)

No commercially registered motor vehicle owned, operated, or controlled by any person, firm, or corporation, shall be parked upon any public highway in the Village of Williamsville between the hours of 1 A.M. and 7 A.M. throughout the year. Commercially registered motor vehicles shall mean and include all such motor vehicles of the type required to be commercially registered pursuant to the Vehicle and Traffic Law of the State of New York.

This local law will take effect upon filing with the Secretary of State.

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Text of law should be given as amended. Do not include matter being eliminated and do not use italics or underlining to indicate new matter.

~~County~~
~~City~~ of Williamsville
~~Town~~
Village

Local Law No. 5 of the year 19 79.....

A local law Amend Section 60.40 (21) of the Traffic Code
(Insert title)

Be it enacted by the Board of Trustees of the
(Name of Legislative Body)

~~County~~
~~City~~ of Williamsville as follows:
~~Town~~
Village

Amend Section 60.40 (21)

SOUTH LONG STREET - Stop signs on A) Exit of Bell's Market from the west;
B) Garden Parkway Extension from the west; C) Garden Parkway Extension
from the east and D) Village Alley from the east.

This local law will take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary
of State.

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ON MOTION by Mayor Kuzon, seconded by Trustee Sugg, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED that the following appointments are made to the Planning Board, for the following terms:

APPOINTMENT

Planning Board

<u>Name</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>End of Term</u>
Arthur Ticknor	4/9/79	End of the 1979-1980 Official Village Year

Unanimously carried.

Mayor Kuzon stated his next resolution fills out the membership of the Board of Appeals.

ON MOTION by Mayor Kuzon, seconded by Trustee Sugg, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED that the following appointment is made to the Board of Appeals for the following term:

APPOINTMENT

Board of Appeals

<u>Name</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>End of Term</u>
Donald Zittel	4/9/79	End of the 1981-1980 Official Village Year

Unanimously carried.

Mayor Kuzon advised the vacancy on the Board of Appeals was created when Neil Frank resigned to assume a position on the Board of Trustees.

Mayor Kuzon stated his sixth resolution was regarding the installation of a street light on South Cayuga Road at the curve. It was the subject of at least one public hearing and is on the recommendation of the Traffic and Safety Committee. There is currently a light there but it is of lower wattage. It is understood that the Town will install two similiar type lights on poles directly south from the Village line and this will light the entire radius of the curve.

ON MOTION by Mayor Kuzon, seconded by Trustee Sugg, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED that Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation is authorized to install one 400 watt mercury vapor light on the Cayuga Road Curve.

AUTHORIZATION

Niagara Mohawk to install light on Cayuga Rd.

Unanimously carried.

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Mayor Kuzon reported that a year ago this Board received an exceptional development permit for Townsend Square at the corner of Main Street and Union Road. The permit was not followed through on. Now, they are requesting another permit for a similar type project. We are required by local law to refer this project to four Village committees for their recommendations prior to a public hearing. He stated he will meet with the architect tomorrow and anticipate calling for a public hearing on the evening of April 23rd. This hearing would be held on the first meeting night in May.

Mayor Kuzon stated we are hereby officially referring the Townsend Square project to the Planning Board, Parks and Recreation Committee, Traffic and Safety Committee and the Environmental Council. We request that we have their recommendations prior to the scheduled date of the public hearing.

Trustee Atkinson stated he is deeply appreciative of the honor the Mayor and Board bestowed upon him. He stated he has experience in government financial matters and in personnel and building department matters. Since 1977 he has served on the Planning Board and recently was Acting Chairman. He hopes to have the opportunity to set management principles in the Village so that people will know their tax dollars are working for them in the most efficient manner.

ON MOTION by Trustee Atkinson, seconded by Trustee Brenton, vouchers in the sum of \$52,635.57 were approved as follows:

Payroll Fund	W/E 3/30/79	\$ 5,311.71
	W/E 4/6/79	<u>3,052.12</u>
Total Payroll		\$ 8,363.83
General Fund	Abstract #438	39,056.40
Sewer and Water Fund	Abstract #19	1,715.41
Special Assessment	Abstract #9	585.48
Community Development	Abstract #28	<u>2,914.45</u>
Total Vouchers		\$52,635.57

The large vouchers were: Marine Midland Bank - \$7,641.62; Amherst Disposal - \$7,028.57; and Hutchinson Hose Fire Dept. - \$14,273.70. The Fire Company voucher was for their share of the recent contract negotiated with the Town.

Unanimously carried.

Trustee Atkinson stated his second resolution was to make some appointments to the Community Development Advisory Committee.

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ON MOTION by Trustee Atkinson, seconded by Trustee Sugg, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED that the following appointments are made to the Community Development Advisory Committee for the following terms:

APPOINTMENTS

Community Development Advisory Committee

<u>Name</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>End of Term</u>
Trey Measer	4/9/79	End of the 1979-80 official year
Gartley Weller	4/9/79	" " "
Jerome Nirschel	4/9/79	" " "
Betty Klute	4/9/79	" " "
Jim Tammaro	4/9/79	" " "
Mary Jane Kibby	4/9/79	" " "

Unanimously carried.

Trustee Brenton had no report.

ON MOTION by Trustee Brenton, seconded by Trustee Murray, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED that the Village Clerk is authorized to advertise for bids for garbage collection contract. Bids to be opened at 4:00 p.m. on May 7, 1979 in the Village Clerk's Office. The Clerk shall advertise for the bids in the official Village newspaper at least five days before the date on which the bids are to be opened and upon opening of the bids shall make a record by listing the name and address of each bidder, the amount of his bid, the nature and amount of security furnished, and all alternate bids and tradein allowance, if any, and present such records to the Board of Trustees at the first regular or special meeting of the Board following the opening of the bids.

ADVERTISE FOR BIDS

Garbage Contract

Unanimously carried.

Trustee Murray stated she met last week with the Environmental Council and Beautification Committee and was well pleased with their enthusiasm. The Environmental Council is presently working on a poster contest and the schools involved are Maple-Forest Elementary, St. Peter & Paul, Mill Middle and Academy. Applications are available at those schools or the residents can see Trustee Murray for entry blanks. This is under the public awareness committee and used as a method of teaching children about their environment. They are also working on a landscape

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ordinance which they hope will become law before the end of the year.

Trustee Murray reported that the Beautification Committee is working on the tree planting and the planting of flowers in the parks.

Trustee Murray stated she is tabling her first resolution on the agenda until the meeting of April 23rd.

ON MOTION by Trustee Murray, seconded by Trustee Sugg, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED that the following appointments are hereby made to the Parks and Recreation Committee for the following terms:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>End of Term</u>	APPOINTMENTS Parks and Recreation Committee
William Brunskill	4/9/79	End of the 1979-80 official year	
David Fusani	4/9/79	" "	"
Alice McDonald	4/9/79	" "	"
Nancy DiPasquale	4/9/79	" "	"
Joseph Kuzon	4/9/79	" "	"
Robert Fischer	4/9/79	" "	"
Scott Burns	4/9/79	" "	"

Unanimously carried.

Trustee Sugg stated the Youth Committee would like to publicly thank the Williamsville Lions Club. They have actively supported the program and their gift of \$1,000 to the Youth Center on Cayuga Road enabled them to sponsor the pre-teen program which was very successful both in program and participants.

Trustee Sugg reported that she and Rita Andrews attended the Youth Board meeting last week and learned about the comprehensive counselling program for school dropouts and their parents. It is through the Catholic Charities and a program that the Youth Board sponsors.

With respect to Glen Park, Trustee Sugg reported that the Board wanted to thank the Town and Village Departments of Public Works. Some of the park benches are in place already. The benches with backs were made by the Town Highway Department. Mr. Way is waiting for the snow to go before the backless benches are put in place.

Trustee Sugg reported that the landscape architect reported to the Glen Park Committee on the tree and plant inspection in the park. There are 126 pines marked for replacement. This is 16% of the pines. There will be 67 yews replaced. The inspection of the deciduous trees will be made after April 9th and the evergreens will be reinspected. Now we will have to wait for the snow to go.

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Trustee Sugg reported that the light on the south side of Glen Avenue has been repaired. There was an electrical shortage. We are still operating under the grant. No payment will be made until all items are satisfactorily completed and accepted.

Trustee Sugg stated her first resolution involves an extension of the no parking restriction on the south side of Glen Avenue.

ON MOTION by Trustee Sugg, seconded by Trustee Atkinson, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED that the Village Clerk publish notice of public hearing to be held on April 23, 1979 at 7:35 p.m. in the Municipal Building, 5583 Main Street, Williamsville, New York for the purpose of hearing all persons interested in a Local Law which would amend Section 60.32 (13b) of the Traffic Code by prohibiting parking on the South side of Glen Avenue between N. Cayuga and Mill Street.

PUBLISH NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Local Law to amend Section 60.32 of the Traffic Code

Unanimously carried.

Trustee Sugg stated her next resolution will make an appointment to round out the committee appointments for this year. She publicly thanked Gartley Weller, who has served the committee ably. Now he will join the Village Meeting House Committee and has declined appointment to the Glen Park Joint Board. We reappointed Donald Schueckler at our reorganizational meeting.

ON MOTION by Trustee Sugg, seconded by Trustee Murray, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED that the following appointments are hereby made to the Glen Park Joint Board for the following terms:

APPOINTMENTS

Glen Park Joint Board

<u>Name</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>End of Term</u>
Shirley Thomas	4/9/79	End of the 1981-82 official Village year

Unanimously carried.

Mr. Way reported that the no parking signs on the north side of Glen Avenue from Cayuga to Mill have been erected.

ON MOTION by Mayor Kuzon, seconded by Trustee Sugg, it was moved to suspend the rules for public participation.

Unanimously carried.

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Richard Sweeney, 325 Mill Street, stated that when the architect first presented the plans for Glen Park there were several proposals for slowing the Glen Avenue traffic by using caution signs, park signs and physical bumps in the road. He asked if anything had developed about this. Trustee Sugg stated this has been referred to the Traffic and Safety Committee. We will have some pedestrian crossings. We are in the process of doing this. As far as the speed bumps in the road are concerned they were deemed to be a hazard. We are still studying this.

Richard Hill, 18 Brookside, stated Rock Street at the end of Glen Avenue is a very dangerous street and if this were closed a parking ramp could be built back of the V.F.W. and have a three storey ramp with only one storey above ground. He stated the Traffic and Safety Committee has studied this. Mayor Kuzon stated a traffic count should be done. Mr. Hill stated he understood that the Fire Department had withdrawn their objections to closing the street.

Trustee Brenton stated he has discussed this with Chief Lavery and they have changed their minds back again to their original thinking. They would oppose this 100%. New guardrails would have to be put in. Also, if the Fire Department builds out back of their building, when they answer fire calls in the northern section they would go via Rock Street. Mayor Kuzon stated that perhaps the Traffic and Safety Committee could get the Fire Department's objections in writing. The Planning Study will address the parking situation in the central business district and will include that behind the Eagle House and the Fire Station. Traffic and Safety could get involved in this aspect of the planning study and should contact the Planning Board about this.

ON MOTION by Mayor Kuzon, seconded by Trustee Atkinson, it was moved to return to the regular agenda.


Unanimously carried.

Mayor Kuzon pointed out that on the second page of the agenda was a listing of all the Village meetings for the month. At our meeting on April 23rd we will vote on the budget and set the tax rate. Trustee Atkinson advised that a copy of the proposed budget will be available in the Village Clerk's Office for anyone wishing to see it.

Mayor Kuzon welcomed Trustees Murray, Atkinson and Brenton to the Board. Even though we are a Board of one party this means we will have to be more on our toes. As Mayor he will see to it that the Board tries to objectively evaluate all proposals before it.

ON MOTION by Mayor Kuzon, seconded by Trustee Murray, the meeting was adjourned at 8:21 PM.

Unanimously carried.


Theresa L. Cummins,
Village Clerk-Treasurer