

Town of Westville
Public Hearing (#2) Minutes

July 11, 2016

I. Call to order

Rodrique Lauzon, Town Supervisor called to order the Public Hearing at the Westville Town Hall at 6:20 p.m. on July 11, 2016 of the Westville Town Board.

II. Roll call

PRESENT: Councilman Mike Armstrong
Councilman Robert Reynolds
Deputy Supervisor, Dean Fleury
Highway Superintendent, Kevin Nichols
Supervisor Rodrique Lauzon
Code Officer Robert Crossman

ABSENT: Councilman Vince Cartier and Dog Control Officer Kim Lapage

ALSO PRESENT: Sharon Lawrence, Gerald Lawrence, Ed Strong, Kathy Nichols and Edwin Andrew

III. Public Hearing

Supervisor Lauzon addressed the Board and read through Local Law #2 of 2016 (a/k/a Junk Law) with respect to household waste and debris.

Supervisor Lauzon opened a question period for the public to comment.

Code Officer: What about Sherwin Storage Containers?

Rod Lauzon: Should we make a permit for them?

Ed Andrew: People are already paying close to a \$100 a month for them.

Code Officer: What about old furniture/couches? Who do we go after, the tenant/landlord?

Rod Lauzon: Whoever the owner of the property is, they are the ones that are responsible for their property.

Mike Armstrong: If the Town has to pay for clean up can we put a lien on their property? Or add it to their taxes?

Gerald Lawrence: If it's a wooden building you have to pay taxes on it.

Ed Andrew: What about these people that have tractor trailers, we do not know what they are storing in them.

Mike Armstrong: What if they have a tractor/trailer?

Ed Andrew: What about people that buy storage containers? Tractor-trailers?

Mike Armstrong: I think we should eliminate the paragraph about the storage containers and tractor-trailers.

Sharon Lawrence: What about if someone builds a fence?

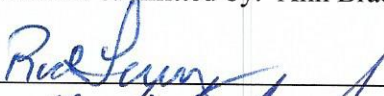
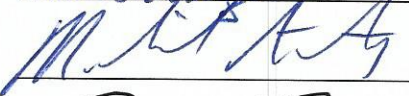
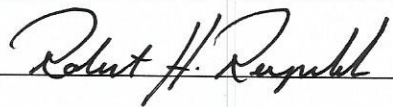
Rod Lauzon: We will eliminate the paragraph about the storage containers and tractor-trailers.

Rod Lauzon: They need to contain their stuff in an enclosed building. Where the general public cannot see it.

IV. Motion to Return to Regular Meeting

At 6:41 p.m. a Motion was made by Robert Reynolds to close the Public Hearing, and to move onto the third public hearing, the motion was seconded by Michael Armstrong. All in favor. Approved

Minutes submitted by: Ann Brady, Town Clerk

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