MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF THOMASTON

December 14, 2015

The Board of Trustees met on Monday, December 14, 2015 at the Village Hall, 100 East Shore Road, Great Neck, New York.

Present: Mayor Steven Weinberg, Deputy Mayor James Sharkey, Trustee Jill Monoson and Trustee To-on Pang

Absent: Trustee Gary Noren

The Mayor opened the meeting at 7:42 p.m.

Adoption of Minutes

RESOLUTION 15-56

Upon motion of Deputy Mayor Sharkey, seconded by Trustee Monoson, and unanimously approved, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Board of Trustees and Board of Review meetings held on November 17, 2015 are hereby approved and accepted as presented.

The vote on this resolution was:	Mayor Weinberg:	Aye	Trustee Monoson:	Aye
	Deputy Mayor Sharkey:	Aye	Trustee Pang:	Aye

Presentation by Manhasset Bay Protection Committee

Sarah Deonarine, Executive Director of the Manhasset Bay Protection Committee (MBPC) presented a summary of the activities of the MBPC and the new inter-municipal agreement which will be sent out to all member municipalities in January.

Pending tax certiorari claims - JAPA Ventures, Inc. v Assessor and Great Neck Horizon House v. Assessor

RESOLUTION 15-57

Upon motion of Trustee Monoson, seconded by Trustee Pang, and unanimously approved, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees shall enter into executive session to discuss pending litigation.

The vote on this resolution was:	Mayor Weinberg:	Aye	Trustee Monoson:	Aye
	Deputy Mayor Sharkey:	Aye	Trustee Pang:	Aye

Upon return from executive session, the consensus of the Board was that counsel should proceed to negotiate the settlements in accordance with the recommendations outlined in the email communications from the Village Attorney dated December 5, 2015 and December 9, 2015.

2015/16 Budget Modifications

RESOLUTION 15-58

Upon motion of Trustee Monoson, seconded by Trustee Pang, and unanimously approved, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED, that the Budget Modifications for the 2015/2016 FY as of December 14, 2015 (attachment A), are hereby accepted as presented.

The vote on this resolution was:	Mayor Weinberg:	Aye	Trustee Monoson:	Aye
	Deputy Mayor Sharkey:	Aye	Trustee Pang:	Aye

Proposed Budget FY 2016/2017

The proposed budget was presented to the Board by Mayor Weinberg (copies of the tentative budget and a memo discussing the tentative budget had been distributed to Board members several days prior to the meeting), and discussed by the Board of Trustees. At the conclusion of the discussion, the following action was taken.

RESOLUTION 15-59

Upon motion of Deputy Mayor Sharkey, seconded by Trustee Pang, and unanimously approved the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED, that the tentative budget for the 2016-2017 fiscal year is hereby approved in the form presented to the Board at this meeting, without changes, and it is further

RESOLVED, that a public hearing on the proposed budget for the 2016-2017 fiscal year is hereby scheduled for Monday, January 11, 2016 at 7:30 pm at the Village Hall, and that the Village Administrator shall provide the notice of such public hearing as required by law.

The vote on this resolution was:	Mayor Weinberg:	Aye	Trustee Monoson:	Aye
	Deputy Mayor Sharkey:	Aye	Trustee Pang:	Aye

Vouchers

Upon motion of Trustee Monoson, seconded by Deputy Mayor Sharkey, and unanimously approved, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLUTION 15-60

RESOLVED, that the vouchers in the aggregate amount of \$132,833.55 (constituting the vouchers itemized in the report dated December 14, 2015) are hereby approved for payment, all allocated to the General Fund.

The vote on this resolution was:	Mayor Weinberg:	Aye	Trustee Monoson:	Aye
	Deputy Mayor Sharkey:	Aye	Trustee Pang:	Aye

A copy of the approved voucher list is attached to these minutes.

Other Business

Mayor Weinberg gave a report of the recent activities in the Public Works Department.

At 8:39 pm, there being no further business, the meeting was adjourned upon motion by Deputy Mayor Sharkey, seconded by Trustee Pang and unanimously approved.

The vote on this resolution was:	Mayor Weinberg:	Aye	Trustee Monoson:	Aye
	Deputy Mayor Sharkey:	Aye	Trustee Pang:	Aye

Respectfully submitted,

Denise M. Knowland Village Administrator

Appropriations

				PROPOSED	
	ADOPTED	MODIFIED	MODIFIED	MODIFICATION	DIFFERENCE
	2015-16	6/8/2015	9/21/2015	12/14/2015	
GENERAL GOVERNMENT SUPPORT					
LEGISLATIVE					
BOARD OF TRUSTEES					
A1010.1 Personal Service	\$0	\$0	\$0		
A1010.4 Contract Expense	\$0	\$0	\$0		
TOTAL LEGISLATIVE	\$0	\$0	\$0		
EXECUTIVE					
MAYOR					
A1210.1 Personal Service	\$0	\$0	\$0		
A1210.4 Contract Expense	\$0	\$0	\$0		
TOTAL EXECUTIVE	\$0	\$0	\$0		
FINANCES					
AUDITOR					
A1320.1 Personal Service	\$0	\$0	\$0		
A1320.4 Contract Expense	\$13,000	\$13,000	\$13,000		
TOTAL AUDITOR	\$13,000	\$13,000	\$13,000		
CLERK-TREASURER					
A1325.1 Personal Service	\$192,180	\$180,180.00	\$179,030	\$171,426	(\$7,604)
A1325.2 Equipment	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000		
A1325.4a Telephone	\$8,000	\$8,000	\$8,000		
A1325.4b Staty & Postage	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,500	1	
A1325.4c Legal Notice	\$800	\$800	\$800		
A1325.4d Misc.	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000		
A1325.4e Computer Maintenance	\$8,500	\$8,500	\$8,500		
TOTAL CLERK-TREASURER	\$219,480	\$207,480	\$206,830		

Appropriations

				PROPOSED	
	ADOPTED	MODIFIED	MODIFIED	MODIFICATION DIFFERENCE	
	2015-16	6/8/2015	9/21/2015	12/14/2015	
STAFF					
LAW					
A1420.1 Personal Service	\$0	\$0	\$0		
A1420.4 Contract Service	\$30,000	\$30,000	\$30,000		
TOTAL LAW	\$30,000	\$30,000	\$30,000		
ELECTION					
A1450.1 Personal Service	\$300	\$300	\$300		
A1450.4 Contract Expense	\$0	\$0	\$0		
TOTAL ELECTION	\$300	\$300	\$300		
TOTAL STAFF	\$30,300	\$30,300	\$30,300		
SHARED SERVICES BUILDING					
A1620.2 Equip. & Heat & Maintenance	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000		
A1620.4a Electric,Water,Heat	\$23,000	\$23,000	\$23,000		
A1620.4b Contract Expense	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000		
A1620.4c Cleaning Service	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$4,000		
A1620.4d & e Improvements	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000		
A1620.4h Garage Utilities & other					
TOTAL SHARED SERVICES	\$38,000	\$38,000	\$38,000		
SPECIAL ITEMS					
A1910.4 Unallocated Insurance	\$45,500	\$45,500	\$45,500		
A1920.4 Municipal Dues	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$4,650		
A1903.4 Judgments and Claims	\$0	\$0	\$0		
A1950.4 Property Taxes	\$1,500	\$1,500	\$1,500		
A1964.4 Refund of Taxes	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$60,000		
A1980.4 MCTMT Tax	\$0	\$0	\$0		
A1990.4 Contingent Account	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$20,000		
TOTAL SPECIAL ITEMS	\$131,000	\$131,000	\$131,650		

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				PROPOSED		
	ADOPTED	MODIFIED	MODIFIED	MODIFICATION	DIFFERENCE	
	2015-16	6/8/2015	9/21/2015	12/14/2015		
PUBLIC SAFETY						
CODE ENFORCEMENT						
A3120.1 Code Enforcement	\$15,500	\$15,500	\$15,500			
A3120.4 Code Enforcement Contr.	\$1,000	\$1,206.00	\$1,206.00			
A3120.4A Scan Maintenance	\$0	\$0	\$0			
A3120 Other	\$0	\$0	\$0			
TOTAL CODE ENFORCEMENT	\$16,500	\$16,706	\$16,706			
FIRE DEPARTMENT				-		
A3410.1 Personal Service	\$0	\$0	\$0			
A3410.4a Volunteer Fire	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$46,400	\$6,400	
A3410.4b Hydrants	\$4,500	\$4,500	\$4,500			
TOTAL FIRE DEPARTMENT	\$44,500	\$44,500	\$44,500			
TOTAL CODE AND FIRE	\$61,000	\$61,206	\$61,206			
SAFETY INSPECTION						
A3620.1 Personal Service	\$0	\$0	\$0			
A3620.4 Contract Service	\$17,000	\$17,000	\$17,000			
TOTAL SAFETY INSPECTION	\$17,000	\$17,000	\$17,000			
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Appropriations

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	ADOPTED	MODIFIED	MODIFIED	MODIFICATION	DIFFERENCE	
	2015-16	6/8/2015	9/21/2015	12/14/2015		
TRANSPORTATION ITEMS						
STREET ADMINISTRATION						
A5010.1 Personal Service	\$133,000	\$133,000	\$133,000	\$135,558	\$2,558	
A5010.4 Contract Expense	\$0	\$0	\$0			
TOTAL STREET ADMINSTRATION	\$133,000	\$133,000	\$133,000			
STREET MAINTENANCE						
A5110.2 Equipment	\$125,000	\$263,572.00	\$263,572.00			
A5110.4a Equipment Repair	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$20,000			
A5110.4b Gas, Oil, Tires	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$15,000			
A5110.4c Contra. St. Repair	\$350,000	357,000.00	357,000.00			
A5110.4d Paving Materials	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$4,000			
A5110.4e Supplies	\$13,500	\$13,500	\$13,500			
A5110.4f Signs	\$2,600	\$2,600	\$2,600			
A5110.4h Miscellaneous	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000			
A5110.4i Engineering	\$0	\$0	\$0			
A5110.4 Street Maintenance Other	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000			
TOTAL STREET MAINTENANCE	\$537,100	\$682,672	\$682,672			
SNOW REMOVAL						
A5142.1 Personal Service	\$0	\$0	\$0			
A5142.2 Snow Contract Expenses (Salt)	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$15,000			
TOTAL SNOW REMOVAL	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$15,000			
STREET LIGHTING						
A5182.4 Contract Exp.:PSEGLI	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$20,000			
A5182.4a Contract: Maintenance	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500			
A5182.4b Light Fixtures New	\$3,500	\$43,500.00	\$43,500.00			
A5182 Street Lighting Other	\$1,900	\$1,900	\$1,900			
TOTAL STREET LIGHTING	\$27,900	\$67,900	\$67,900			

Appropriations

				PROPOSED		
	ADOPTED	MODIFIED	MODIFIED	MODIFICATION	DIFFERENCE	
	2015-16	6/8/2015	9/21/2015	12/14/2015		
HOME & COMMUNITY SERVICE						
ZONING						
A8010.1 Personal Expense	\$0	\$0	\$0			
A8010.4 Contract Expense	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000			
A8010 Zoning Other	\$0	\$0	\$0			
TOTAL ZONING	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000			
PLANNING						
A8020.4 Contract Expense	\$0	\$0	\$0			
TOTAL PLANNING	\$0	\$0	\$0			
SANITATION						
A8160.4a Contract Refuse	\$325,000	\$325,000	\$325,000			
A8160.4b Incinerator	\$18,000	\$18,000	\$18,000			
A8160.4c Abandoned Cars	\$0	\$0	\$0			
TOTAL SANITATION	\$343,000	\$343,000	\$343,000			
STREET CLEANING						
A8170.1 Personal Service	\$169,620	\$169,620	\$169,620	\$167,062	(\$2,558)	
A8170.1 Overtime	\$2,500	\$8,000.00	\$8,000.00			
TOTAL STREET CLEANING	\$172,120	\$177,620	\$177,620			
BEAUTIFICATION						
A8570.4a Beautification	\$45,000	\$45,000	\$45,000			
SHADE TREES						
A8560.4 Contract Expense	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$25,000			
TOTAL SHADE TREES AND BEAUTIFICATION	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$70,000			
HOUSING						
A8610.4 EPTA	\$0	\$0	\$0			
A8612.4 Sen. Citizen Tenants	\$0	\$0	\$0			
TOTAL HOUSING PROGRAM	\$0	\$0	\$0			

Appropriations

Attachment A

				PROPOSED		
	ADOPTED	MODIFIED	MODIFIED	MODIFICATION	DIFFERENCE	
	2015-16	6/8/2015	9/21/2015	12/14/2015		
UNDISTRIBUTED EMPLOYEE BENEFITS						
A9010.8 State Retirement	\$72,000	\$72,000	\$72,000	\$73,204	\$1,204	
A9030.8 Social Security	\$39,000	\$39,000	\$39,000			
A9040.8 Workers Comp.	\$22,000	\$22,000	\$22,000			
A9045.8 Medical & Dental	\$76,400	\$76,400	\$76,400			
A9050.8 Unemployment Ins.	\$0	\$0	\$0			
A9055.8 N.Y.S. Disability	\$0	\$0	\$0			
A9060.8 MCTMT Tax	\$0	\$0	\$0			
TOTAL EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	\$209,400	\$209,400	\$209,400			
(PAGE 2 ITEM VII)	\$209,400	\$209,400	\$209,400			
INTERFUND TRANSFERS						
A9550 Transfer to Other Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0			
A9560.4 Capital Reserve	\$0	\$0	\$0			
TOTAL INTERFUND TRANSFERS	\$0	\$0	\$0			
(PAGE 2 ITEM VIII)	\$0	\$0	\$0			
DEBT SERVICE ITEM IX						
A9759.6 Notes Principal	\$0	\$0	\$0			
A9759.7 Notes Interest	\$0	\$0	\$0			
TOTAL DEBT SERVICE	\$0	\$0	\$0			
(PAGE 2 ITEM IX)	\$0	\$0	\$0			
PAGE TOTAL	\$209,400	\$209,400	\$209,400			
GRAND TOTALS	\$2,018,300	\$2,197,578	\$2,197,578		\$0	Net change in appropriations

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		November	18 thro	ugh December 14, 2015	
	Туре	Date	Num	Name	Amount
	Check	11/18/2015	5852	JOSEPH J. CHEARMONTE	-650.
	Paycheck	11/20/2015	5853	ANTHONY J CIAPPA	
	Paycheck	11/20/2015	5854	DAVID B DISTILLI	
	Paycheck	11/20/2015	5855	DENISE M KNOWLAND	
	Paycheck	11/20/2015	5856	JAMES J. WALTHER	
	Paycheck	11/20/2015	5857	LINDA M EARLEY	
	Paycheck	11/20/2015	5858	ROBERT E. SZWED	
	Paycheck	11/20/2015	5859	WILLIAM MAZURKIEWICZ	
	Check	11/20/2015	5860	PSEGLI	-44.
	Check	11/20/2015	5861	PSEGLI	-50.
	Check	11/20/2015	5862	PSEGLI	-545.
	Check	11/20/2015	5863	BLANK SLATE MEDIA LLC	-18.
-	Check	11/20/2015	5864	ROY COLE	-130.
	Check	11/20/2015	5865	LIFFCO INC. POWER EQUIPMENT	-39.
	Check	11/30/2015	5866		-1,250.
	Check	11/30/2015	5867	COSTELLO'S HARDWARE	-56.
	Check	11/30/2015	5868	HOME DEPOT CREDIT SERVICES	-272.
	Check	11/30/2015	5869	BUSINESS CARD	-11.
	Check	11/30/2015	5870	BUSINESS CARD	-4,112.
	Check	11/30/2015	5871		-41.
	Check	11/30/2015	5872	OPTIMUM	-15.
	Check	12/01/2015	5873	NYS & LOCAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM	-73,204
	Check	12/02/2015	5874	JOSEPH J. CHEARMONTE	-650.
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	Paycheck	12/04/2015	5876		
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	Paycheck	12/04/2015	5878	JAMES J. WALTHER	
	Paycheck	12/04/2015	5879		
	Paycheck	12/04/2015	5880 5881		<u></u>
	Check	12/04/2015	5881	DANCO SECURITY SYSTEMS	-63. -250.
	Check	12/04/2015 12/04/2015	5883	FINE DETAILING TOWN OF NORTH HEMPSTEAD-SWMA	-250.
		12/04/2015	5884	FELDMAN LUMBER	
	Check Check	12/04/2015	5885	THE BRAKE SERVICE GROUP-NASSAU	-13. -88.
		12/08/2015	5886	GENERAL WELDING SUPPLY CORP	-68.
-	Check	12/08/2015	5887	VERIZON	-356.
	Check	12/08/2015	5888	READYREFRESH BY NESTLE	-350.
	Check	12/08/2015	5889	PSEGLI	-43.
	Check	12/08/2015	5890	PSEGLI	-2,131
		12/08/2015	5891	VERIZON WIRELESS	-2,131.
	Check Check	12/08/2015	5892	STAPLES CREDIT PLAN	-114.
	Check	12/10/2015	5893	HELLMAN ELECTRIC	-3.640
	Check	12/10/2015	5893	MEADOW CARTING CORP	-26,318
+	Check	12/10/2015	5895 5896	MEYER, SUOZZI, ENGLISH & KLEIN, P.C. AMTRUST NORTH AMERICA	-1,798 -170
	Check	12/10/2015 12/11/2015	5896	NYS EMPLOYEES' HEALTH INSURANCE	-170
+ +	Check	12/11/2015	5897	WINTERS BROS. HAULING OF LI, LLC	-6,468
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	Check	12/14/2015	5907	TOWER FORD	-15
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