

Village of Depew, NEW YORK

"The Village of Unexcelled Opportunity"



MEETINGS TO DATE: 19

NO. OF REGULARS: 19

AGENDA

VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF DEPEW

January 9, 2023 7:00PM

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INVOCATION -

NOTIFICATION OF FIRE EXITS

ROLL CALL: Trustee Adolf
Trustee Ziemba
Trustee Kucewicz
Deputy Mayor Hamernik
Mayor Peterson

APPROVE VILLAGE BOARD MEETING MINUTES – December 12, 2022

ACCEPT ZONING BOARD MEETING MINUTES – December 8, 2022

1. Michael Crotzer & Jacqueline Stoj for the property located at 157 Cornell Dr. of Chapter 260, §260-14B(1)(e)(1) to allow them to place a generator within the required 5ft setback. Granted.

PUBLIC COMMENT – AGENDA ITEMS ONLY

1. Appoint – Part Time Public Safety Dispatcher
2. Appoint – Police Clerk
3. Permission – Advertise for a public hearing
4. Approve – Fire Department's Chief Elections
5. Approve – Auction Results
6. Permission – Fire Dept
7. Approve – Employment Agreement – Norek
8. Approve – Employment Agreement – Curr
9. Approve – Employment Agreement – Chief Miller
10. Appoint - Election Inspectors
11. Permission – Waive Fees
12. Employment Applications
13. Unfinished and Other Business
14. Public Concerns and Comments
15. Claims and Accounts
16. Adjournment

RESOLUTION

January 9, 2023

APPOINT PART TIME PUBLIC SAFETY DISPATCHER

Pursuant to Section 4-400 of Village Law, I, Mayor Kevin Peterson hereby appoint

Michael Graczyk

to the position of Part Time Public Safety Dispatcher in the Police Department effective January 10, 2023. The salary will be as per budget.

The appointment was acted upon in the following manner by the Board of Trustees:

Trustee Adolf -
Trustee Ziemba -
Trustee Kucewicz -
Deputy Mayor Hamernik -
Mayor Peterson

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AGENDA ITEM # 1

☐ Approved ☐ Denied

RESOLUTION

January 9, 2023

APPOINT POLICE CLERK

Pursuant to Section 4-400 of Village Law, I, Mayor Kevin Peterson hereby appoint

Stacy Wegner

to the position of Police Clerk in the Police Department effective January 10, 2023.
Salary will be as per the budget.

The appointment was acted upon in the following manner by the Board of Trustees:

Trustee Adolf -
Trustee Ziemba -
Trustee Kucewicz -
Deputy Mayor Hamernik -
Mayor Peterson

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AGENDA ITEM # 2

☐ Approved ☐ Denied

**AUTHORIZE ADMINISTRATOR TO ADVERTISE FOR A PUBLIC HEARING-
MANDATORY REFERENDUM – LOCAL LAW #1 of 2023.**

Trustee _____ offered the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, the Village Administrator is hereby authorized to advertise for a public hearing for local law #1 of 2023, a mandatory referendum for changes to the defined benefit length of the LOSAP – Service Award Program, administered by the village and established for active volunteer firefighters of the Depew fire department, to extend the maximum years of service credit for which a participating active volunteer firefighter may earn a service award from 30 to 50 years and, therefore, the maximum projected monthly service award from \$600 to \$1,000, effective January 1, 2024 this will be put to a vote in the upcoming election on March 21, 2023. The public hearing will take place during January 23, 2023 board meeting in the council chambers, 85 Manitou St, Depew, NY 14043 at 7:00 pm.

The forgoing resolution was seconded by Trustee _____, and CARRIED.

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Agenda Item # 3

__Approved __Denied

RESOLUTION

January 9, 2023

ACCEPT FIRE DEPARTMENT ELECTION RESULTS

Trustee _____ offered the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

WHEREAS, on Thursday, December 8, 2022, the Depew Fire Department held their Annual Fire Department Chiefs Election with the following results.

Fire Chief	John Gauthier	Hose Company #1
1 st Assistant Chief	Brian Musielak	Hook & Ladder Company #1
2 nd Assistant Chief	Joseph Aquino	Cayuga Hose Co – Engine #3
3 rd Assistant Chief	Vacant	
4 th Assistant Chief	Vacant	
5 th Assistant Chief	Vacant	

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Village Board approves the above election results and congratulates the elected Chief and Assistant Chiefs.

The forgoing resolution was seconded by Trustee _____ and
CARRIED.

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Agenda Item # 4

__Approved __Denied

RESOLUTION

January 9, 2023

APPROVE AUCTION RESULTS

Trustee _____, offered the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the results from Auctions International online auction ending 12-20-2022 totaling \$33,125.00 are approved as follows:

Lot 1 – 2020 Ford Explorer SUV / Police Interceptor	\$16,600.00	turbodiesel
Lot 2 – 2020 Ford Explorer SUV / Police Interceptor	\$16,400.00	sunnyknoll
Lot 4 – 13' Circular Conference Table & Chair Group	\$80.00	RMCROSS1198
Lot 5 – (40) Stacking Matching Chairs	\$45.00	98newyork

The following resolution was seconded by Trustee _____, and duly put to a roll call vote which resulted in the following:

Trustee Adolf -
Trustee Ziemba -
Trustee Kucewicz -
Deputy Mayor Hamernik -
Mayor Peterson -

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Agenda Item # 5

__Approved __Denied

RESOLUTION

January 9, 2023

PERMISSION – DEPEW FIRE DEPT

Trustee _____, offered the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

Permission is hereby granted to the Depew Fire Department's Cayuga Hose Company #3 to use the Southside Fire Hall on Saturday April 8, 2023 from 4:00PM to 12:00AM for their 125th year Celebration.

The foregoing resolution was seconded by Trustee _____ and **CARRIED.**

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__Approved __Denied

RESOLUTION

January 9, 2023

**APPROVAL OF EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN VILLAGE OF DEPEW AND
POLICE CAPTAIN, TIMOTHY NOREK,**

Trustee _____ offered the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Depew Board of Trustees hereby adopts the employment agreement between the Village of Depew and Village of Depew Police Captain, Timothy Norek and authorizes the Mayor to execute same.

The forgoing resolution was seconded by Trustee _____, and put to a roll call vote:

Trustee Adolf -
Trustee Ziemba -
Trustee Kucewicz -
Deputy Mayor Hamernik -
Mayor Peterson

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AGENDA ITEM # 7

__ Approved __ Denied

RESOLUTION

January 9, 2023

**APPROVAL OF EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN VILLAGE OF DEPEW AND
POLICE CAPTAIN, WILLIAM CURR**

Trustee _____ offered the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Depew Board of Trustees hereby adopts the employment agreement between the Village of Depew and Village of Depew Police Captain, William Curr and authorizes the Mayor to execute same.

The forgoing resolution was seconded by Trustee _____, and put to a roll call vote:

Trustee Adolf -
Trustee Ziemba -
Trustee Kucewicz -
Deputy Mayor Hamernik -
Mayor Peterson

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AGENDA ITEM # 8

__ Approved __ Denied

RESOLUTION

January 9, 2023

**APPROVAL OF EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN VILLAGE OF DEPEW AND
CHIEF OF POLICE, JEROME MILLER**

Trustee _____ offered the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Depew Board of Trustees hereby adopts the employment agreement between the Village of Depew and Village of Depew Police Chief of Police Jerome Miller and authorizes the Mayor to execute same.

The forgoing resolution was seconded by Trustee _____, and put to a roll call vote:

Trustee Adolf -
Trustee Ziemba -
Trustee Kucewicz -
Deputy Mayor Hamernik -
Mayor Peterson

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AGENDA ITEM # 9

__ Approved __ Denied

RESOLUTION

January 9, 2023

APPOINT INSPECTORS OF ELECTION FOR 2023 VILLAGE ELECTION

Trustee _____, offered the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, pursuant to Section 15-116 of the Village Election Law of the State of New York, the following Inspectors of Election are hereby appointed to serve at the specified amount of \$105.00/Chairman and \$90.00/Inspector per day for the General Village Election to be held on Tuesday, March 21, 2023. This list is from Erie County Board of Elections for Certified Inspectors and will be used to fill the positions and any alternate necessary to adequately run the elections.

See attached list.

The following resolution was seconded by Trustee _____, and duly put to a roll call vote which resulted in the following:

Trustee Adolf -
Trustee Ziemba -
Trustee Kucewicz -
Deputy Mayor Hamernik -
Mayor Peterson -

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Agenda Item # 10

__Approved __Denied

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1	<h1>ELECTION INSPECTORS</h1>							
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3								
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5	<u>NAME</u>		<u>POSITION</u>					
6	Sharon Nusall		Chairmen					
7	Jim Nusall		Chairmen					
8	Sandra Len		Inspector					
9	Nancy Forsyth		Inspector					
10	Rebecca Arcese		Inspector					
11	Michael Kopera		Inspector					

RESOLUTION

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PERMISSION –WAIVE PERMIT FEE

Trustee _____, offered the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

WHEREAS, The Depew Community Action Team has requested permission for a waiver for the zoning board variance fees for 570 Gould Avenue.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that permission is hereby granted to The Depew Community Action Team for the waiver request for zoning board variance fees.

The forgoing resolution was seconded by Trustee _____ and **CARRIED.**

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Agenda Item # 11

__Approved __Denied