

February 28, 2022

A meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Aurora took place on Monday, February 28, 2022, beginning at 7:30 p.m. immediately after the work session. The Board met in-person and via Zoom at the Aurora Municipal Center, 575 Oakwood Avenue, East Aurora, New York.

Present:	Charles D. Snyder	Councilman
	Luke Wochensky	Councilman (via Zoom)
	James F. Granville	Councilman
	Joseph McCann	Councilman
	James J. Bach	Supervisor
Others Present:	Brigid Maloney	Town Attorney
	David Gunner	Highway Superintendent
	Elizabeth Cassidy	Code Enforcement Officer
	Donna Bodekor	Senior Center Director
	Tony Rosati	ZBA member/VEA Trustee
	Shane Krieger	Chief of Police
	John Hughes	Open Space Committee member
	Elizabeth Wilber	Live Stream Coordinator
	Rod Simeone	ZBA member

Supervisor Bach opened the meeting at 7:30 p.m. following the conclusion of the work session. Councilman Wochensky attended the meeting via Zoom from 115 South Grove Street, East Aurora, NY.

The first item on the agenda was a PUBLIC HEARING on Local Law Intro 1-2022 imposing a three-month moratorium on development in B and I zoning districts in the Town. The notice was published in the East Aurora Advertiser and posted on the Town Clerk bulletin board. Supervisor Bach opened the hearing at 7:35 p.m. and asked if anyone wished to comment. Hearing no one, the Supervisor closed the hearing at 7:36 p.m.

Councilman McCann moved to approve the minutes of the February 14, 2022 work session and meeting; seconded by Councilman Snyder. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none Motion carried. Action #97 2/14/2022 minutes aprvd

AUDIENCE I: none

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Supervisor Bach moved to approve a Temporary Use Permit for Buffalo Rugby Club (BRC) to hold the Atlantic North Super Regional Rugby Festival on the Town managed portion of Knox Farm State Park on April 30 and May 1, 2022, contingent upon the BRC giving the Town an additional \$800 to be added to the already submitted \$200 security deposit and that the BRC provide no less than two porta-potties for the event. Councilman Granville seconded the motion. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none Motion carried. Action #98 TUP for Rugby event at KFSP aprvd

#### NEW BUSINESS:

Councilman Snyder moved to authorize the Supervisor to sign the Initial Project Proposal from the NYSDOT for the Church Street over Tannery Brook culvert replacement project (PIN 5763.87). Councilman McCann seconded the motion. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none Motion carried. Action #99 Supv auth to sign NYSDOT proposal for Church St culvert proj

Councilman Granville moved to authorize the Supervisor to sign the Initial Project Proposal from the NYSDOT for the E. Fillmore over Tannery Brook culvert replacement project (PIN 5763.88). Councilman McCann seconded the motion. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none Motion carried.

Action #100  
Supv auth to sign NYSDOT proposal for E.Fillmore culvert proj

Councilman McCann moved to authorize the Supervisor to sign the General Financial Services agreement with Municipal Solutions, Inc., 62 Main Street, Leroy, NY 14482/2528 State Route 21, Canandaigua, NY 14424. Councilman Snyder seconded the motion. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none Motion carried.

Action #101  
Supv. Auth to sign financial svc agrmt w/ Mun. Solutions

Councilman Granville moved to authorize the Supervisor to sign the MSRB Continuing Disclosure Updates and EMMA Filings agreement with Municipal Solutions, Inc., 62 Main Street, Leroy, NY 14482/2528 State Route 21, Canandaigua, NY 14424. Councilman McCann seconded the motion. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none Motion carried.

Action #102  
Supv. Auth to sign EMMA/MSRB filing agrmt w/ Mun. Solutions

Councilman Snyder moved to approve the purchase of an Ekos ET (Edge Technology) Router as an extra layer of security for the Gasboy software for the highway fuel pumps at a cost of \$1,587.00. Councilman Granville seconded the motion. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none Motion carried.

Action #103  
Purch of Ekos router for fuel pump software aprvd

Councilman McCann moved to approve the following budget amendment to cover the \$17,807.12 cost of the Gasboy software approved in 2021 and the \$1,587.00 cost of the Ekos Router:

- Decrease Fund Balance A599 by \$19,394.12
- Increase appropriation line A1680.401 CDP by \$19,394.12

Councilman Granville seconded the motion. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none Motion carried.

Action #104  
Budget amendment for Gasboy fuel pump software aprvd

Councilman Granville moved to accept a \$50.00 donation from Judith Martin for the Aurora Senior Center to be deposited to TA1000.0090 Senior Center Donations. Councilman Snyder seconded the motion. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none Motion carried.

Action #105  
\$50 donation to SrCtr accepted

Councilman McCann moved to accept a \$500.00 donation from the East Aurora Kiwanis Club to be used toward the Easter Egg Hunt at Warren Drive Park. Councilman Snyder seconded the motion. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none Motion carried.

Action #106  
\$500 donation from Kiwanis for Easter egg hunt event accepted

Councilman Snyder moved to approve the request from Recreation/Aquatics Director Chris Musshafen to travel to the ISCA International Senior Cup swim meet from March 28 to April 2, 2022 in St. Petersburg, Florida. EAST has several swimmers that have qualified for this meet and Mr. Musshafen's travel expenses will be paid for by the East Aurora Swim Team Booster Club. Councilman McCann seconded the motion. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none Motion carried.

Action #107  
C. Musshafen request to travel w/ EAST to Fla. for swim meet aprvd



noted that she met with Erie County Senior Services and there may be \$12,000 in funding available for the Center to use to purchase a new speaker system and new tables and chairs. She also spoke about the pilot program from Erie County that would link the Senior Centers in the County. Aurora, Cheektowaga and Tosh Collins (Buffalo) are part of the pilot program.

Rod Simeone noted that there were no Zoning Board of Appeals applications in January and February, but there are three for March.

David Gunner complimented his employees on the great job they did handling the recent ice jams and congratulated the West Falls residents who were instrumental in helping get the NYSDOT to commit funds for reconstruction of Davis Road/Route 240. Mr. Gunner stated that it was recently noticed that the recent wind event caused damage to the highway roof. He will get estimates for insurance purposes.

Conor Schneider, West Falls Advisory committee chairman, stated that over 60 people attended the joint WFAC and Aurora Colden (West Falls) Fire Department meeting. The Route 240 improvement project was discussed. He noted that the West Falls fire department would be going to the Colden Town Board to discuss ARPA funds.

#### ABSTRACT OF CLAIMS:

The February 28, 2022 Abstract of Claims, consisting of PCard voucher number 162, prepaid vouchers numbered 163 to 164, and vouchers numbered 165 to 207 was presented to the Board for audit and authorization of payment from the following funds:

General	\$ 29,603.94
Highway/DB	15,967.56
Trust/Agency	567,841.35
Special Districts	<u>555,971.30</u>
Grand Total Abstract	\$1,169,384.15

Councilman Snyder moved to approve the 2/28/2022 Abstract of Claims and authorize payment of same. Councilman McCann seconded the motion. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none  
Motion carried.

Action #109  
2/28/22  
Abstract of  
Claims aprvd

Councilman Snyder moved to go into executive session to discuss the employment status of a particular employee, with no action to be taken during the session. Councilman McCann seconded the motion. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none  
Motion carried.

Action #110  
Brd enters  
exec sess –  
employment  
status

Councilman Snyder moved to come out of executive session; seconded by Councilman Granville. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none  
Motion carried.

Action #111  
Brd comes  
out of exec  
sess

Councilman McCann moved to adjourn at 8:20 p.m. Seconded by Councilman Granville. Upon a vote being taken: ayes – five noes – none  
Motion carried.

Action #112  
Meeting  
adjourned

Martha L. Librock  
Town Clerk