

Monday, February 10, 2020
MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA

TOWN OF MONROE, NEW YORK
SENIOR CENTER
101 MINE ROAD
MONROE, NEW YORK
7:00 PM

1. Call to Order

Subject :	1.1 Pledge to the Flag
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Discussion, Procedural

Public Content

Supervisor Cardone called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance.

I pledge allegiance to the flag, of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

2. Motion to Open Town Board Meeting of February 10, 2020

Subject :	2.1 Motion to Open Town Board Meeting
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution)
Recommended Action :	2020-#73 BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Open the Town Board Meeting of February 10, 2020.

Public Content

Motion & Voting

2020-#94

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Open the Town Board Meeting of February 10, 2020.

Motion by Sal Scancarello, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

3. Community/Announcements

Subject :	3.1 2020 Town of Monroe Board Vacancies
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Information

Public Content

The Town of Monroe is seeking candidates to serve on the following Boards in 2020:

- Planning Board (1 vacant position)
- Zoning Board of Appeals (2 vacant alternate member positions)
- Conservation Advisory Council (3 vacant positions)
- Board of Ethics (1 vacant position)

Those interested in filling any of these vacancies should submit a letter of interest and resume for consideration to the Town of Monroe Supervisors Office by February 14, 2020.

Online Application

<https://www.monroeny.org/jobs.html>

By Mail

Town of Monroe

Attention: Jennifer Schnaars, Secretary to the Supervisor

1465 Orange Turnpike

Monroe, New York 10950

3. Community/Announcements

Subject :	3.2 Constant Contact Update
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Information

Public Content

3. Community/Announcements

Subject :	3.3 2020 Census
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Information

Public Content

3. Community/Announcements

Subject :	3.4 Moment of Silence
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Information

Public Content

4. Public Hearing

Subject :	4.1 Motion to Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing for the Proposed Amendment of Ch. 57 of the Town Code
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Discussion
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Motion to Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing for the Proposed Amendment of Ch. 57 of the Town Code.

Public Content

The following residents spoke during Public Comment regarding the Continuation of the Proposed Amending of Ch. 57 of the Town Code. To hear their comments, and Board Members responses please go on-line to Board Docs Video Clip #4.1,

File Attachments

[DRAFT Amending Ch. 57 of the Code of the Town of Monroe.pdf \(1,025 KB\)](#)
[DRAFT CCR Floating Zone 060419.pdf \(222 KB\)](#)
[CCRProjectGEIS_190531.pdf \(3,638 KB\)](#)
[Proposed Local Law #4 of 2019.pdf \(3,432 KB\)](#)

Motion & Voting

2020-#95

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Motion to Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing for the Proposed Amendment of Ch. 57 of the Town Code.

Motion by Mike McGinn, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

4. Public Hearing

Subject :	4.2 Possible Motion to Keep Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing for the Proposed Amendment of Ch. 57 of the Town Code
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Discussion
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

Motion & Voting

2020-#96

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Motion to Keep Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing for the Proposed Amendment of Ch. 57 of the Town Code until March 2, 2020 at 7:00pm.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Sal Scancarello.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

4. Public Hearing

Subject :	4.3 Motion to Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing for Proposed Changes to Article XIV of the Town of Monroe Zoning Local Law
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Discussion
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing for Proposed Changes to Article XIV of the Town of Monroe Zoning Local Law.

Public Content

The following residents spoke during Public Comment regarding the Continuation of the Public Hearing for the Proposed Changes to Article XIV of the Town of Monroe Zoning Local Law. To hear their comments, and Board Members responses please go on-line to Board Docs Video Clip #4.3,

Motion & Voting

2020-#97

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing for Proposed Changes to Article XIV of the Town of Monroe Zoning Local Law.

Motion by Councilman - Rick Colon, second by Sal Scancarello.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

4. Public Hearing

Subject :	4.4 Possible Motion to Keep Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing for Proposed Changes to Article XIV of the Town of Monroe Zoning Local Law
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Discussion
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Motion & Voting

2020-#98

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Motion to Keep Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing for Proposed Changes to Article XIV of the Town of Monroe Zoning Local Law until March 2, 2020 at 7:05pm.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Sal Scancarello.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

4. Public Hearing

Subject :	4.5 Public Hearing - Old Country Road Water District
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Information

Public Content

File Attachments

[Order Calling for Public Hearing - Old Country Road Water District.pdf \(93 KB\)](#)

4. Public Hearing

Subject : 4.6 Motion to Open the Public Hearing Regarding the Continuation of Old Country Road WD

Meeting : Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Type : Action (Resolution), Information

Recommended Action : 2020-#
BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Open the Public Hearing Regarding the Continuation of Old Country Road WD.

Public Content

The following residents spoke during Public Comment regarding the Public Hearing for the Continuation of Old Country Road WD. To hear their comments, and Board Members responses please go on-line to Board Docs Video Clip #4.6,

Motion & Voting

2020-#99

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Open the Public Hearing Regarding the Continuation of Old Country Road WD.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

4. Public Hearing

Subject : 4.7 Possible Motion to Keep Open the Public Hearing Regarding the Continuation of Old Country Road WD

Meeting : Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Type : Action (Resolution), Discussion

Recommended Action : 2020-#
BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Motion & Voting

2020-#100

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Motion to Keep Open the Public Hearing Regarding the Continuation of Old Country Road WD until March 2, 2020 at 7:10pm.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

5. Audit of Claims

Subject : 5.1 General Fund Abstract

Meeting : Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Type : Action (Resolution), Information

Recommended Action : 2020-#
BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe requests approval of Abstract #20-10 General Fund containing Check #'s 25319 - 25360 totaling \$138,894.01.

Public Content

File Attachments

[021020 Abstract.pdf \(55 KB\)](#)

Motion & Voting

2020-#101

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe requests approval of Abstract #20-10 General Fund containing Check #'s 25319 - 25360 totaling \$138,894.01.

Motion by Sal Scancarello, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

5. Audit of Claims

Subject : 5.2 Escrow Abstract

Meeting : Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Type : Action (Resolution), Discussion

Recommended Action : 2020-#
BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe requests approval of Abstract #20-02 Escrow containing Check #s 1893 - 1900 totaling \$22,776.20.

Public Content

File Attachments

[Escrow Abstracts 2020-02.pdf \(52 KB\)](#)

Motion & Voting

2020-#102

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe requests approval of Abstract #20-02 Escrow containing Check #s 1893 - 1900 totaling \$22,776.20.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

6. Acceptance of Minutes

Subject :	6.1 Acceptance of February 3, 2020 Meeting Minutes
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Information
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

File Attachments

[TB 2-3-2020 DRAFT Meeting Minutes.pdf \(365 KB\)](#)

Motion & Voting

2020-#103

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to accept the Minutes of February 3, 2020.

Motion by Sal Scancarello, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

7. Budgetary Transfer Requests

Subject :	7.1 Ambulance
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Discussion
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

Discuss and approve budgetary transfer for the purchase of the new Town ambulance.

File Attachments

[Ambulance 021020.pdf \(296 KB\)](#)

[Ambulance 021020 detail.pdf \(270 KB\)](#)

Motion & Voting

2020-#104

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to approve the Budgetary Transfers totaling \$223,569.00 as read by Town Clerk Mary Ellen Beams.

2020 Budget Transfer-Ambulance

DATE GL NO. DESCRIPTION Account Db Cr
2/10/2020 Trans to Cap. Project H005 Ambulance E A000-9950-9000-00 28,000.00
A CASH-SAVINGS 8935 G A000-0201 28,000.00
H CASH SAVINGS 0714 G H005-0201 28,000.00
INTERFUND TRANSFER G H005-0531 28,000.00
AMBULANCE AUTO INSURANCE E A000-4540-4600-00 162.64
A CASH-SAVINGS 8935 G A000-0201 162.64
H CASH SAVINGS 0714 G H005-0201 162.64
AMBULANCE EQUIPMENT PURCHASE E H005-4540-2000-00 162.64
E A000-4540-2000-00 6,000.00
A CASH-SAVINGS 8935 G A000-0201 6,000.00
H CASH SAVINGS 0714 G H005-0201 6,000.00
AMBULANCE EQUIPMENT PURCHASE E H005-4540-2000-00 6,000.00
post in book
H CASH CHECKING 5083 G H005-0200 44,162.64
H CASH SAVINGS 0714 G H005-0201 44,164.64
post in book and trans at bank
H CASH CHECKING 5083 G H005-0200 179,406.36
H CASH SAVINGS 0714 G H005-0201 179,406.36
Ambulance Cost = \$223,569.00

Motion by Councilman - Rick Colon, second by Sal Scancarello.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

8. New Business

Subject :	8.1 Part-Time Clerk, Highway Department
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Discussion
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

Discuss and approve the hiring of Danielle Adair for the position of Part-Time Clerk in the Highway Department at a rate of \$17.50 per hour. Danielle has been pre-approved for employment by the Orange County Department of Human Resources.

Motion & Voting

2020-#105

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Table the matter of hiring of a Part-Time Clerk for the Highway Department until March 2, 2020.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Mike McGinn.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

8. New Business

Subject :	8.2 2020 Solitude Lake Management Proposal for Round Lake
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Discussion
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

Discuss and authorize the Supervisor to sign the 2020 Lake Management Service Contract for the treatment of Round Lake by Solitude Lake Management for a contract term of February 1, 2020 through August 31, 2020.

2020 Lake Management Contract Price: \$19,450.00

Monthly Invoices: \$3,890.00 per month, April through August

Motion & Voting

2020-#106

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion authorizing the Supervisor to sign the 2020 Lake Management Service Contract for the treatment of Round Lake by Solitude Lake Management for a contract term of February 1, 2020 through August 31, 2020.

2020 Lake Management Contract Price: \$19,450.00

Monthly Invoices: \$3,890.00 per month, April through August

Motion by Councilman - Rick Colon, second by Sal Scancarello.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

8. New Business

Subject : 8.3 Additional Treatment Services, Round Lake
Meeting : Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type : Action (Resolution), Information
Recommended Action : 2020-#
BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

Discuss additional treatment services at Round Lake including:

- ***MD Pellet Applications at Ehrenreich Residence (Round Lake) targeting approximately a .25 acre area.***

Cost:

- \$1,000.00 Annual (\$250 monthly) for (4) months (June - September)
- ***Installation of Vertex submersed aeration system targeting the Ehrenreich Residence frontage on Round Lake (approximately .25 acre target area).***

Cost:

- \$4,372.00

Additional Option:

1. A Quiet Air Sound Kit will be installed as part of the compressor cabinet assembly. The addition of this kit provides additional sound reduction of 4-7 dB (for reference, the system would produce 60-62 dB without the kit, which equates to normal human talking that averages 60dB)

Additional Price: \$370.00

Motion & Voting

2020-#107

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion regarding additional treatment services at Round Lake including:

MD Pellet Applications at Ehrenreich Residence (Round Lake) targeting approximately a .25 acre area.

Cost:

\$1,000.00 Annual (\$250 monthly) for (4) months (June - September)

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Sal Scancarello.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

8. New Business

Subject :	8.4 Change Order-Excel Security Corp.
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Discussion
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

Discuss Change Order submitted by Excel Security Corp. for additional security related equipment for Town Hall that was not included in the previously accepted proposal dated September 17, 2019.

Motion & Voting

2020-#108

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to accept Change Order submitted by Excel Security Corp. for additional security related equipment for Town Hall that was not included in the previously accepted proposal dated September 17, 2019. One included in packet was not the one that was sent out this past Thursday. Amount \$22,301.

Motion by Mike McGinn, second by Supervisor -Tony Cardone.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

8. New Business

Subject :	8.5 Petition to Amend Zoning Ordinance, Monroe Nininger, LLC
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Information
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

Discuss petition submitted on behalf of Monroe Nininger, LLC for a change to Article XVII of the Town Code of the Town of Monroe. The petition requests a change to the maximum height regulation in the HI (Heavy Industry) Zoning District from 40 feet to 50 feet.

Motion & Voting

2020-#109

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to set a Public Hearing regarding the Petition to Amend Zoning Ordinance, Monroe Nininger, LLC for March 2, 2020 at 7:15pm.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Mike McGinn.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

9. Old Business

Subject :	9.1 Library Agreement
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Discussion
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

Authorize Supervisor to sign the 2020 agreement between the Town and Monroe Free Library.

Motion & Voting

2020-#110

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Authorize Supervisor to sign the 2020 agreement between the Town and Monroe Free Library.

Motion by Sal Scancarello, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

9. Old Business

Subject :	9.2 Purchase of New Town Ambulance
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Discussion
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

Approve the purchase of the new Town ambulance at a cost of \$223,569.

Motion & Voting

2020-#111

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to approve the purchase of the new Town ambulance at a cost of \$223,569.

Motion by Councilman - Rick Colon, second by Sal Scancarello.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

9. Old Business

Subject :	9.3 Old Country Road Water Service and Re-levy Agreement
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Discussion, Information

Public Content

Discussion of Old Country Road Water Service and Relevy Agreement between the Town of Monroe and Village of Kiryas Joel.

9. Old Business

Subject :	9.4 ZBA Return Escrow-Nelson Luciano
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Discussion
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

Department: Zoning Board of Appeals

Name: Norinne McSweeney

Request: Return of ZBA Escrow Balance

Date of Request: January 28, 2020

Comments: Nelson Luciano has withdrawn his application. The final invoice has been paid and he would like the balance of his escrow returned.

Acct # Z037-2019 \$1,825.00

File Attachments

Motion & Voting

2020-#112

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to approve return of Escrow Balance to Nelson Luciano who has withdrawn his application. The final invoice has been paid.

Acct # Z037-2019 \$1,825.00

Motion by Councilman - Rick Colon, second by Sal Scancarello.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

10. Public Comment

Subject :	10.1 Rules for Public Comment
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Information

Public Content

Please be advised that any person wishing to speak at a regular public meeting during the public comment period or at a public hearing, must sign the sign-in sheet maintained by the Town Clerk for such purpose no later than 15 minutes after the commencement of the meeting.

TOWN OF MONROE MEETING RULES PUBLIC COMMENT PERIODS -RULE 1:Although not required by any statute or law, the Town Board shall include at least one public participation period on the Agenda for regular Town Board meetings. However, nothing shall prohibit the Town Board, by majority vote, from suspending public comment or otherwise limiting public during a regular Town Board meetings where such limitations are determined to be necessary or otherwise conducive to accomplishing the business presently before the Town Board.**RULE 2:**Public comment during the public participation period of regular Town Board meetings shall be limited to three (3) minutes per speaker and the subject matter of such public comment shall be limited to Town business. 1 Yielding time or otherwise giving time to a speaker to extend the three (3) minute period by another person shall not be permitted. Written comments may be submitted to the Town Clerk in lieu of, or in addition to, a persons oral statement during any public comment period. Such minutes shall become a Town record and the brief nature of the submitted writing may be included in Town Board minutes. However, the full text of such submissions shall not be incorporated into Town Board minutes, unless expressly authorized by resolution of the Town Board.**RULE 3:**Any person wishing to speak at a regular public meeting during the public comment period or at a public hearing, must sign the sign-in sheet maintained by the Town Clerk for such purpose no later than 15 minutes after the commencement of the meeting. Where a public hearing and public comment period will occur during the same Town Board meeting, a person may sign up to speak on the topic of each and every public hearing and for public comment period consistent with the applicable time limits set forth above. For example, a speaker could speak for five (5) minutes during a public hearing and three (3) minutes during public comment at the same Town Board meeting. However, such person may not use the public hearing time to speak on matters not relevant

1 Rule 2 revised by Resolution of the Town Board on 03-06-2017 to add: and the subject matter of such public comment shall be limited to Town business. to the public hearing. Any comments made by a person made during public comment that relates to the subject of a public hearing, shall not be considered by the Town Board as part of such public hearing nor made part of the public hearing record. The only public comment to be accepted by the Town Board outside of a public hearing shall be written comments received during the

time period set by the Town Board for such purpose.**RULE 4:**If a sign-in sheet is not available, a person may raise his/her hand to speak during the public participation period and/or public hearing and may speak during such public comment period/public hearing upon recognition of the Supervisor or Presiding Officer.**RULE 5:** Any person speaking during public comment or a public hearing, when recognized by the Presiding Officer, shall approach the podium for such purpose and state his or her name, the street and municipality where he/she resides, and if applicable, his/her group or entity affiliation.**RULE 6:**Town Board members shall not respond to a person speaking during the public comment period unless and until all persons desiring to speak during the Public comment period have finished speaking. At such time as all speakers have finished speaking during such public comment period, each Town Board member shall be allotted up to three (3) minutes in total to respond to any questions posed or to provide relevant information in response to the collective comments and questions of the public comment speakers.**RULE 7:**Town Board members shall not attempt to answer questions during the time that a speaker is presenting during public comment. Town Board members will note any questions asked and may respond to the speaker at the conclusion of the speakers public comments.**PUBLIC HEARINGS RULE 8:**Public comment during a Public Hearing shall be limited to five (5) minutes per speaker. In the event that a speaker is the subject of the Public Hearing or has a significant interest in the matter different from that of the general public, such speaker shall, upon approval of the Town Board, be allowed up to the (10) minutes during a public hearing. Yielding time or otherwise giving time to a speaker to extend their permissible time limit by another person shall not be permitted.**RULE 9:**Members of the public, other than those called as witnesses by the parties, shall not be permitted to speak during public hearings concerning the removal/discipline of a Town Officer or employee as such hearings shall be limited to presentation of evidence and related submissions by Town representatives and the Town Officer or employee subject to removal/discipline. Time limits during a public hearing concerning the removal/discipline of a Town Officer or employee shall not be applicable as such proceeding shall follow any applicable statute, rule or regulation and shall otherwise be overseen by the hearing officer or presiding officer.**RULE 10:**In the case of a public hearing, prior to the close or continuation of the public hearing, Town Board members may be allotted up to five (5) minutes each to respond to questions or otherwise provide relevant information in response to specific comments made by speakers during that session of the public hearing. Further, prior to the close of the public portion of the public hearing, each Town Board member may be allotted up to eight (8) minutes to speak on the issue that is the subject of the Public hearing. However, where the public hearing concerns removal of a Town Officer or employee, Town Board members, if the body making a determination, shall not speak regarding the merits of the proceedings until after the close of the public hearing when deliberations on removal/discipline have commenced.**RULE 11:**Written submissions related to public hearings must be made before the close of the public hearing as such time is set by the Town Board.**GENERAL RULES APPLICABLE TO ALL PUBLIC MEETINGS AND HEARINGS RULE 12:**The Town Clerk shall act as the timekeeper or the Town Board may designate another person to be the timekeeper.**RULE 13:**Members of the Town Board, speakers and audience members must observe proper decorum at all times. Any statements made during any part of the meeting or during a public hearing by the Supervisor, members of the Town Board, town officials or employees, or members of the general public shall not involve personal, impertinent, or slanderous attacks on individuals, regardless of whether the individual so attacked is an elected official, a town official or employee, or a member of the general public.**RULE 14:**Neither speakers, nor Town Board members shall use public comment periods or other time during such meeting for political campaigning purposes, including promoting their candidacy or speaking out against another candidate. However, nothing shall prohibit a candidate from speaking on an Town-related issue merely because he or she is a candidate for political office.**RULE 15:**Pursuant to New York State Town Law, the Town Supervisor or Presiding Officer shall control the Town Board meeting. The use of profane, vulgar, inflammatory, threatening, abusive, or disparaging language or racial or ethnic slurs directed at the Supervisor, members of the Town Board, meeting attendees shall not be tolerated and the Town Supervisor shall address any such incidents. Further, any statements, regardless of the nature of the statement, made by a person attending the meeting which is not made during such persons authorized speaking time shall not be tolerated and the Town Supervisor shall address any such incidents. The Town Board has a right to protect itself from disturbance from attendees at a meeting and may order, by majority vote, removal of an attendee, or there Presiding Officer direct removal of an attendee on his own. Removal at the direction of the Presiding Officer is subject to appeal of another Town Board member, but not to appeal of the attendee. Such appeal is not debatable.**RULE 16:**In circumstances where the Supervisor/Presiding Officer is not attempting to exert control over the meeting, is temporarily absent, or is the source of the present disorder at the meeting and is failing to preside over the meeting, such Supervisor/Presiding Officer may then be deemed absent as the Presiding Officer by approval of a majority of

the Town Board. In such case, a Town Board member may make a motion to suspend the Rules and appoint the Acting Supervisor to take over the role of Presiding Officer until such time as the Supervisor or original Presiding Officer is able to properly return to performing his/her role as Presiding Officer. If the Acting Supervisor is determined to be absent for presiding purposes, the Town Board member making such motion shall propose another Town Board member to act as the Presiding Officer during the absence of the Supervisor/original Presiding Officer.

RULE 17: Comments by speakers must be addressed to the Town Board and shall not be addressed to the audience. Further, attendees may not address the Town Board unless first recognized by the Supervisor or Presiding Officer.

RULE 18: Discussion and exchanges between active speakers and attendees/audience members of the public meeting or hearing are prohibited. A speaker may, however, when properly recognized, state agreement or disagreement with the views of prior speakers in his /her comments directed to the Town Board.

RULE 19: Banners or other signs are not permitted in the meeting room unless, nor shall distribution of flyers within the meeting room be permitted. Nothing shall prohibit a person from holding a lawful sign or handing out flyers outside of the meeting location.

RULE 20: If the Supervisor or Presiding Officer fails to enforce the rules set forth herein, any member of the Town Board may move to require him or her to do so, and an affirmative vote of the majority of the Town Board shall require him or her to do so. Any decision by the Presiding Officer relating to enforcement of the rules set forth herein may be appealed and subsequently overturned by a vote of the majority of Town Board members. Such appeal may be raised by a Town Board member or the affected attendee if properly recognized.

RULE 21: Any person who disregards the directives of the Supervisor or the Presiding Officer in enforcing the rules or who generally conducts himself or herself in a boisterous or inappropriate manner while addressing the Town Board thereby disturbs the peace at a such meeting and will be barred from further participation and shall forfeit any balance of time remaining for his or her comments.

RULE 22: If a speaker who has violated these rules refuses to step down or to refrain from committing/ continuing such violation(s), the Supervisor or the Presiding Officer may direct the individual to leave the meeting room. If the individual declines and/or refuses to leave the meeting room, the Supervisor or Presiding Officer may request the individual to be removed from the meeting room and charged with disorderly conduct as per the New York State Penal Law. The Supervisors determination is subject to the appeal provisions set forth above as well as the absence of the Supervisor /Presiding Officer provisions of these rules. The Town Board may, by resolution, designate the person who will sign the supporting deposition and/or Court Information document charging the removed person with Disorderly Conduct.

RULE 23: The following provisions, as modified herein, of Rule 49 of Roberts Rules concerning Small Boards shall apply to the Town Board of the Town of Monroe:

- a. Members may raise a hand or asked to be recognized, instead of standing when seeking to obtain the floor and may remain seated when making motions or speaking.
- b. The Presiding Officer need not rise while putting questions to a vote.
- c. The Presiding Officer may without leaving the chair speak in informal discussions and in debate and may vote on all questions as provided for by Code or law.

RULE 24: While there is no statute or applicable regulation that requires an Meeting Agenda to be prepared for Town Board meetings, the Town Board desires to have an Agendas prepared and distributed prior to Town Board meetings. The order of business at regular Town Board meetings shall be as follows:

1. REGULAR MEETING
 - a. Call to Order; Pledge of Allegiance
 - b. Approval of Minutes
 - c. Upcoming Meeting Dates & General Announcements
2. SPECIAL ORDERS
3. DEPARTMENTAL MONTHLY REPORTS (Alphabetical Order)
4. OLD BUSINESS
5. NEW BUSINESS
6. PUBLIC COMMENT
7. EXECUTIVE SESSION (If necessary)
8. ADJOURNMENT

A Board member seeking to take up a matter out of order on the agenda or to introduce a new item of business may may request such change on consent of the Town Board, or may (if consent is denied or the member expects the matter to be contested make a motion to suspend the rules for such purpose, identifying the requested change to the Agenda or the new business to be raised. Upon approval of the majority of the Town Board, such business may be taken up immediately by the Town Board. The Presiding Officer shall prepare and cause to be distributed, Town Board meeting Agendas, in conformance with the Order of Business, as applicable. Pursuant to Roberts Rules, the Agenda distributed in advance to the Town Board is not binding on the Town Board, except as to the Order of Business set forth above. However, as set forth above, the Meeting Agenda, including the Order of Business and specific Agenda items may be modified upon approval of a majority of the Town Board. The Presiding Officer will announce each Agenda item as it is reached on the Agenda (or amended Agenda). Prior to the business being taken up, a member may move to to lay the matter on the table, postpone the matter or refer it to a committee.

RULE 25: Recesses may be taken for a stated period of time either upon consent, without objection, or upon approval of a motion by a Town Board member.

RULE 26: These Town Board Rules may be amended by a Resolution of the Town Board approved by a majority of the Town Board.

RULE 27: The above rules shall take effect at the next ensuing meeting of the Town Board

following the adoption of these rules.**RULE 28:**The Presiding Officer, or any Town Board member may request an interpretation of these Rules from the Town Attorney. A current copy of these Town of Monroe Meeting Rules shall be maintained by the Town Clerk and be made available to the public. 6. This Resolution shall be effective immediately. The question of the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly put to a vote on roll call, which resulted as follows: Yea Nay Abstain Absent Harley Doles, Supervisor [] [] [] [X] Anthony Cardone, Acting Supervisor [X] [] [] [] Gerard McQuade, Councilman [] [X] [] [] Michael McGinn, Councilman [X] [] [] [] Richard Colon, Councilman [X] [] [] [] The Resolution was thereupon duly adopted. TOWN OF MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING RULES History of adoption and amendments. February 27, 2017: Town Board Rules adopted by Resolution of the Town Board. March 6, 2017: Rule 2 amended by Resolution of the Town Board to add: and the subject matter of such public comment shall be limited to Town business.

10. Public Comment

Subject :	10.2 Public Comment
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Discussion, Information

Public Content

The following residents spoke during Public Comment. To hear their comments, and Town Board members responses go online to Board Doc's to Video Clip #10.2,

11. Possible motion to adjourn to Executive and or/ Attorney Client Session

Subject :	11.1 Enter into Executive Session
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution)
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe approves to enter into an

Motion & Voting

2020-#113
BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe approves to enter into an Executive Session to discuss a disciplinary matter concerning a certain employee.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Mike McGinn.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

12. Return to Regular Meeting

Subject :	12.1 Return to Regular Meeting
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Meeting : Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING
AGENDA

Type : Action (Resolution)

Recommended Action : 2020-#
BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of
Monroe approves to return to regular session.

Motion & Voting

2020-#114
BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe approves to return to regular session.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.
Final Resolution: Motion Carries
Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

13. Motions From the Floor

Subject : 13.1 Re-Appoint Rosemary Knapp to B.A.R.

Meeting : Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING
AGENDA

Type : Action (Resolution), Information

Recommended Action : 2020-#
BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town
of Monroe

Public Content

Motion & Voting

2020-#115
BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Re-Appoint
Rosemary Knapp to the B.A.R., slot #1 Term to expire September 30, 2024.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Sal Scancarello.
Final Resolution: Motion Carries
Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

13. Motions From the Floor

Subject : 13.2 Resolution: Disciplinary Matter

Meeting : Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING
AGENDA

Type : Action (Resolution), Information

Recommended Action : 2020-#
BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town
of Monroe

Public Content

Motion & Voting

2020-#116

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe hereby authorized the Town Supervisor to serve the Notice of Discipline with Charges and Specifications and the Notice of Suspension in the form presented to the Town Board upon a certain Town employee identified and known to the Town Board.

his Resolution shall be effective immediately.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

13. Motions From the Floor

Subject :	13.3 Part-Time Clerk, Highway Department
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution), Information
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

Motion & Voting

2020-#117

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to rescind prior Motion, and approve the hiring of Danielle Adair for the position of Part-Time Clerk in the Highway Department at a rate of \$17.50 per hour. Danielle Adair has been pre-approved for employment by the Orange County Department of Human Resources. 20 hours/week max.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Sal Scancarello.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello

14. Adjournment

Subject :	14.1 Adjournment of Meeting
Meeting :	Feb 10, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution)
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of

Public Content

Motion & Voting

2020-#118

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe adjourns the meeting of February 10, 2020 at 8:05pm.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Sal Scancarello