

Monday, April 20, 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 :	Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Discussion, Information, Procedural

Public Content

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.

1. Call to Order

Subject :	1.2 Moment of Silence
Meeting :	Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Information

Public Content

2. Motion to Open Town Board Meeting of April 20, 2020

Subject :	2.1 Motion to Open Town Board Meeting
Meeting :	Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Action (Resolution)
Recommended Action :	2020-#208 BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of

Public Content

Motion & Voting

2020-#208

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Open the Town Board Meeting of April 20, 2020.

Motion by Mary Bingham, second by Mike McGinn.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

3. Community Announcements

Subject :	3.1 County Update & Update Regarding Town Operations During COVID-19
Meeting :	Apr 20, 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 :	Apr 20, 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 resident signed up to speak during Public Comment regarding the Continuation of the Proposed Amending of Ch. 57 of the Town Code. To hear their comments, please go on-line to Board Docs Video Clip #

Motion & Voting

2020-#209

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 Sal Scancarello, second by Mike McGinn.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Aye: Supervisor -Tony Cardone, Councilman - Rick Colon, Mike McGinn, Mary Bingham, 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 :	Apr 20, 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-#210

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to keep open the Continuation of the Public Hearing for the Proposed Amendment of Ch. 57 of the Town Code until May 4, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.

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

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

4. Public Hearing

Subject :	4.3 Draft Generic Environmental Impact Statement (DGEIS)-Conservation Cluster Residential Floating Zone Text Amendment
Meeting :	Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Discussion

Public Content

Name of Action: Conservation Cluster Residential Floating Zone Text Amendment

Location: Town of Monroe, Orange County, NY Test Case Site is located on the east side of Rye Hill Road approximately ¼ mile south of Reynolds Road.

SEQR Classification: Type 1

File Attachments

[CCR FZ DGEIS Notice of Completion 200302.pdf \(183 KB\)](#)

[CCR DGEIS_200227.pdf \(24.052 KB\)](#)

[Appendices.pdf \(48,329 KB\)](#)

4. Public Hearing

Subject :	4.4 Written Comment for Draft Generic Environmental Impact Statement (DGEIS)
Meeting :	Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Discussion, Information

Public Content

4. Public Hearing

Subject :	4.5 Motion to Open the Public Hearing Regarding the Continuation of Old Country Road WD
Meeting :	Apr 20, 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 signed up to speak during Public Comment regarding the Public Hearing for the Continuation of Old Country Road WD. To hear their comments, please go on-line to Board Docs Video Clip #

Motion & Voting

2020-#211

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 Mary Bingham, second by Sal Scancarello.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

4. Public Hearing

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

Meeting : Apr 20, 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-#212

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Keep Open the Public Hearing Regarding the Continuation of Old Country Road WD until May 4, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. or immediately thereafter.

Motion by Mary Bingham, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

4. Public Hearing

Subject : 4.7 Public Hearing Notice: Petition to Amend Zoning Ordinance, Monroe Nininger, LLC

Meeting : Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Type : Information

Public Content

File Attachments

[Public Hearing Notice - Petition to Amend Ch. 57.pdf \(35 KB\)](#)

4. Public Hearing

Subject : 4.8 Motion to Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing Regarding the Petition to Amend Zoning Ordinance, Monroe Nininger, LLC

Meeting : Apr 20, 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 Public Hearing regarding the Petition to Amend Zoning Ordinance, Monroe Nininger, LLC.

Public Content

The following residents spoke during Public Comment regarding the Public Hearing for the Petition to Amend Zoning Ordinance, Monroe Nininger, LLC. To hear their comments, and Board Members responses please go on-line to Board Docs Video Clip #

Motion & Voting

2020-#213

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Open the Public Hearing regarding the Petition to Amend Zoning Ordinance, Monroe Nininger, LLC.

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

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

4. Public Hearing

Subject :	4.9 Possible Motion to Keep Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing Regarding the Petition to Amend Zoning Ordinance, Monroe Nininger, LLC
Meeting :	Apr 20, 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-#214

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Keep Open the Continuation of the Public Hearing Regarding the Petition to Amend Zoning Ordinance, Monroe Nininger, LLC until May 18, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Mary Bingham.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

5. Audit of Claims

Subject :	5.1 General Fund Abstract
Meeting :	Apr 20, 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 #20-14 General Fund containing Check #'s 25545 - 25581 totaling \$357,191.77.

Public Content

Motion & Voting

2020-#215

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe requests approval of Abstract #20-14 General Fund containing Check #'s 25545 - 25581 totaling \$357,191.77 providing there are three signatures.

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

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

5. Audit of Claims

Subject : 5.2 Escrow Abstract

Meeting : Apr 20, 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 #20-04 Escrow containing Check #'s 1902 - 1904 totaling \$9,164.20.

Public Content

Motion & Voting

2020-#216

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe requests approval of Abstract #20-04 Escrow containing Check #'s 1902 - 1904 totaling \$9,164.20.

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

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

6. Acceptance of Minutes

Subject : 6.1 Acceptance of April 6, 2020 Minutes

Meeting : Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Type :	Action (Resolution)
Recommended Action :	2020-# BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe

Public Content

Motion & Voting

2020-#217
BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to Accept the Minutes of April 6, 2020.

Motion by Mary Bingham, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

7. New Business

Subject :	7.1 FY-2021 CDBG Governing Body Authorizing Resolution
Meeting :	Apr 20, 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

Resolution of the governing body authorizing the submission of the FY-2021 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) application for Senior Center ADA Improvements.

At a meeting held on April 20, 2020 the Municipal Council of the Town of Monroe, adopted the following resolution:

The Town of Monroe is hereby submitting its Application for consideration under the FY-2021 Orange Urban County Consortium Community Development Program and the chief elected official or executive officer is hereby authorized to submit this Application for Senior Center ADA Improvements as described in the proposal. Input from citizens and groups has been received and considered and an application has been prepared which addresses their community concerns. They further certify that they have read and understood the Orange Urban County Consortium Community Development Guidelines for the FY-2021 program year and have met all of its applicable requirements and that the information contained in the Application is accurate and true to the best of their knowledge. If awarded CDBG funds, the Municipality shall implement the activities in a manner to ensure compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations.

Signature of Authorized Representative

Date

Printed Name of Authorized Representative

Telephone Number

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY I, Mary Ellen Beams, Clerk of Town of Monroe, hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and accurate copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted by the governing body of the municipality, at a meeting duly and regularly held on April 20, 2020 at which quorum was present throughout, and the required majority of the governing body voted in favor of this resolution. I further certify that this resolution is still in full force and effect and has not been revoked or modified.

Dated:

Signature:

(Affix seal of the Town of Monroe)

Motion & Voting

2020-#218

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Resolution authorizing the submission of the FY-2021 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) application for Senior Center ADA Improvements.

Motion by Mary Bingham, second by Councilman - Rick Colon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

2020-#219

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion authorizing the Supervisor to sign the Resolution regarding the FY-2021 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) application for Senior Center ADA Improvements.

Motion by Mary Bingham, second by Mike McGinn.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

7. New Business

Subject :	7.2 FY-2021 CDBG Fair Housing Resolution
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Public Content

Discuss and pass Governing Body Fair Housing Resolution as required for the submittal of the FY-2021 CDBG Application for Senior Center ADA Improvements.

The Town of Monroe supports Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (Federal Fair Housing Law) and the New York State Human Rights Law. It is the policy of the Town of Monroe to implement programs to ensure equal opportunity in housing for all persons regardless of race, color, religion, ancestry, sex (including pregnancy), national origin, nationality, familial status, marital or domestic partnership status, affectional or sexual orientation, atypical hereditary cellular or blood trait, genetic information, liability for military service, mental or physical disability, perceived disability, AIDS/HIV status and Lawful Income or Source of Lawful Rent Payment (Section 8). The Town of Monroe further objects to discrimination in the sale, rental, leasing, financing of housing or land to be used for construction of housing, or in the provision of brokerage services because of race, color, religion, ancestry, sex, national origin, handicap or disability as prohibited by Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (Federal Fair Housing Law) and the New York State Human Rights Law. Therefore, the Municipal Council of the Town of Monroe do hereby approve the following resolution.

BE IT RESOLVED, that within available resources, the Town of Monroe will assist all persons who feel they have been discriminated against under one of the aforementioned categories, to seek equity under federal and state laws by filing a complaint with the New York State Human Rights Law and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, as appropriate.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town of Monroe shall publicize this resolution and through this publicity shall cause owners of real estate, developers, and builders to become aware of their respective responsibilities and rights under the Federal Fair Housing Law, the New York State Human Rights Law, and any local laws or ordinances.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the municipality will at a minimum include, but not be limited to: (1) the printing and publicizing of this resolution, a fair housing public notice and other applicable fair housing information through local media, community contacts and placement on the Municipal website and in other social media; (2) distribution of posters, flyers, and any other means which will bring to the attention of those affected, the knowledge of their respective responsibilities and rights concerning equal opportunity in housing.

Approved this 20 day of April, 2020.

ATTEST:

Signature of Authorized Representative

Date

Printed Name of Authorized Representative

Telephone Number

Motion & Voting

2020-#220

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Resolution to pass Governing Body Fair Housing Resolution as required for the submittal of the FY-2021 CDBG Application for Senior Center ADA Improvements.

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

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

2020-#221

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion authorizing the Supervisor to sign the Governing Body Fair Housing Resolution as required for the submittal of the FY-2021 CDBG Application for Senior Center ADA Improvements.

Motion by Councilman - Rick Colon, second by Mary Bingham.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

7. New Business

Subject :	7.3 Flex Spending Account Contribution Mid-Year Adjustments
Meeting :	Apr 20, 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 the adoption of IRS approved qualifying events standard for mid-year changes to the Town employee Flex Spending Account plan. Normally, the Flexible Spending Account (FSA) amount cannot be changed once selected prior to the start of the new FSA year.
- Discuss Town employee request to change current FSA contribution amount due to qualifying event.

Qualifying event: Mid-year changes

A change in marital status

Marriage, divorce, annulment, death of a spouse, and legal separation.

A change in the number of [tax] dependents

Birth, adoption, placement for adoption, and death.

Motion & Voting

2020-#222

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion regarding the adoption of IRS approved qualifying events standard for mid-year changes to the Town employee Flex Spending Account plan. Normally, the Flexible Spending Account (FSA) amount cannot be changed once selected prior to the start of the new FSA year. Town employee request to change current FSA contribution amount due to qualifying event.

Qualifying event: Mid-year changes

A change in marital status

Marriage, divorce, annulment, death of a spouse, and legal separation

A change in the number of [tax] dependents

Birth, adoption, placement for adoption, and death.

Motion by Supervisor -Tony Cardone, second by Mary Bingham.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

7. New Business

Subject :	7.4 Emergency Roof Repairs-New York State Trooper Barracks
Meeting :	Apr 20, 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 estimate to repair roof of New York State Trooper Barracks located on Nininger Road. The building is owned by the Town of Monroe.

Motion & Voting

2020-#223

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe Made a Motion to approve Gagliardi Builders for roof repair of New York State Trooper Barracks located on Nininger Road in the amount of \$42,900.

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

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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

7. New Business

Subject :	7.5 McGoey, Hauser & Edsall (MHE) Contract
Meeting :	Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Discussion, Information

Public Content

8. Old Business

Subject :	8.1 Charging Stations
Meeting :	Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Discussion

Public Content

Discuss information provided byPlugIn Stations Online for charging stations in the Town of Monroe.

8. Old Business

Subject :	8.2 Peddling and Solicitation Local Law
Meeting :	Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type :	Discussion, Information

Public Content

To hear Town Board Members and Counsel's discussion regarding Peddling and Solicitation Local Law, please go on-line to Board Doc's Video Clip #

9. Public Comment

Subject :	9.1 Rules for Public Comment
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Meeting :

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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 duringthe 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 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 publiccomments.**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.

9. Public Comment

Subject :

9.2 Public Comment

Meeting :

Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING
AGENDA

Type :

Discussion, Information

Public Content

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

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

Subject : 10.1 Enter into Executive Session
Meeting : Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type : Information

11. Return to Regular Meeting

Subject : 11.1 Return to Regular Meeting
Meeting : Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type : Information

12. Community Announcements

Subject : 12.1 Parade of Vehicles Acknowledging Local Medical Staff
Meeting : Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type : Information

Public Content

12. Community Announcements

Subject : 12.2 ZOOM Video Conference Availability
Meeting : Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Type : Information

Public Content

12. Community Announcements

Subject : 12.3 Updates Regarding Town Hall Renovations
Meeting : Apr 20, 2020 - MONROE TOWN BOARD MEETING

AGENDA

Type :

Information

Public Content

13. Adjournment

Subject :

13.1 Adjournment of Meeting

Meeting :

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Type :

Action (Resolution)

Recommended Action :

2020-#

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of
Monroe adjourns the meeting of April 20, 2020 at

Public Content

Motion & Voting

2020-#224

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Monroe adjourns the meeting of April 20, 2020
at 8:25 p.m.

Motion by Mike McGinn, second by Sal Scancarello.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

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