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8/17/2022 Village of Cuba, NY SPECIAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING & PUBLIC HEARING at 17 East Main St. Cuba, NY 14727

PRESENT: Mayor Michele Miller, Trustee Steve Raub, Trustee Tom Taylor, Trustee Jim Barnes

PRESENT VIA ZOOM: Trustee Elizabeth Miller

ALSO, PRESENT: Corine Bump Clerk/ Treasurer, Rick Hall- Department of Public Works Superintendent, Kristopher Krzos Assistant Superintendent of DPW, Bill Devlin & Colin DeKay- Casella.

ABSENT: N/A

MAYOR MILLER opened the August Special Board of Trustees Meeting at 1:03 pm with the Pledge to the flag.

The meeting is to discuss Refuse and Employee training.

Trustee Barnes asked if everyone had a chance to read the update in the email, he sent regarding the bid packet that went out, ensure all Board Members were aware that bid specs did not include commercial pickup or multifamily dwellings with more than than four apartments

Bill Devlin from Casella stated that within their company for refuse pickup, The Village of Cuba, NY is the only municipality that picks up commercial businesses- refuse in the village. He stated that it's out of normal practice. He also said based on the number of parcels currently being picked up, and the amount of tonnage provided to Casella, it is evident trash is being brought in from outside the village. The Village pickup is providing way more than any other community that Casella works with. He said they are not crazy sticklers for the limits of bags but if there were a large amount at a place, it would get left behind. He stated that if the Village Contracts with Casella, Casella will need the Village 's support in enforcing the code.

Discussion took place about editing the previous bid, and sending out another bid spec packet, possibly reducing the number of bags/cans, re-considering the number of times a bulk pickup happens, and the quantity of bulk items permitted for pickup. There is also an option that the Village could put a bulk pickup out to bid, or not do it at all.

Based on the research/observations of Casella inside the Village- and several Trustees of the Board there are a few businesses that are putting an overly large quantity of waste to be collected twice a week and is obviously more than a residence and would require a different means of collecting the refuse, that's why it was not included in the bid spec submission.

Trustee Barnes will make some changes and reach back out to the Board via email.

TRUSTEE BARNES MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE KRISTOPHER KRZOS TO ATTEND NYCOM DPW FALL SCHOOL WITH TRUSTEE TAYLOR OFFERING A SECOND. ALL IN FAVOR AND KRIS CAN ATTEND FALL SCHOOL. IT WILL BE DETERMINED AT A LATER DATE THE TRANSPORTATION ARRANGEMENTS.

TRUSTEE RAUB MADE A MOTIO THAT AMANDA BLAKE CAN ATTEND THE 10 HR OSHA TRAINING AT WATKINS GLEN ON 9/20-9/21 WITH THE COST OF THE CLASS IS COVERED BY NYS RURAL WATER AND TRUSTEE E MILLER OFFERING A SECOND. CLERK TREASURER BUMP WILL CALCULATE IF TRAVELING BACK AND FORTH BOTH DAYS OR AN OVERNIGHT IN A HOTEL IS MORE AFFORDABLE.

With there being no further business to discuss TRUSTEE TAYLOR MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN WITH TRUSTEE RAUB OFFERING A SECOND. ALL IN FAVOR AND THE MOTION CARRIED WITH THE MEETING ADJOURNED AT 2:37 PM.

Respectfully Submitted, Corine Bump Village of Cuba Clerk/ Treasurer