MINUTES – TOWN OF ALLEGANY TOWN BOARD PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE II-WIND ENERGY OVERLAY DISTRICT AND REGULAR BOARD MEETING – MONDAY, 12/07/09 7:00 PM SENIOR CENTER

PRESENT WERE: Supervisor Eaton Councilman Jonak Councilman Sendlakowski Councilman Hitchcock Councilman Wolf Town Clerk M. Peck

ALSO PRESENT: Planning Board Members, C. Horowitz, Daniel Spitzer-Esq., G. Abraham of CCCC, K. Sheen and other Everpower Reps., and townspeople

ABSENT: Attorney Tuttle, Hwy Spt. Gleason, Comptroller C. Hemphill

Salute to the Flag at 7:00 PM opened the meeting.

Supervisor Eaton advised that this public hearing is being held regarding the Proposed Amendment to the Zoning Ordinance II, specifically the Wind Energy Overlay Districts and to give the Town Board final approval in these matters.

Attorney Daniel Spitzer addressed the audience and boards and advised that this is intended to provide an additional layer of approval. Also, proposals should be to benefit the entire community.

Supervisor Eaton opened the Public Hearing at 7:05 PM.

Al Henderson: Questioned who really has the last say in this process:

Dave O’Dell: Surprised that the Town Board makes the last decision. They are elected to represent the public, so it is good that the Town Board has final say.

Gary Abraham: concurs with Mr. O’Dell.

David Koebelin: is also in agreement with the Town Board having final say. They are elected by the Community so they should look out for the entire community.

#207-MOTION TO CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING

Motion by Wolf to close the public hearing. 2nd by Jonak. Jonak-aye, Sendlakowski-aye, Hitchcock-aye, Wolf-aye, Eaton-aye. CARRIED.

Public Hearing closed at 7:10 PM.

Regular Town Board Meeting opened at 7:11 PM.

#208-MOTION TO HIRE TEMPORARY PART-TIME ON-CALL HIGHWAY EMPLOYEE

Motion by Eaton to hire Jeremy Guthrie as a part time on call highway employee effective immediately at $17.57 per hour as per the Union Contract. 2nd by Wolf. Jonak-aye, Sendlakowski-aye, Hitchcock-aye, Wolf-aye, Eaton-aye. CARRIED.
#209-MOTION TO CLOSE TOWN BOARD MEETING
Motion by Hitchcock to close the Town Board Meeting. 2nd by Wolf. Jonak-aye, Sendlakowski-aye, Hitchcock-aye, Wolf-aye, Eaton-aye. CARRIED.

Meeting adjourned at 7:12 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Mary M. Peck, Town Clerk
12/08/09