

**Special Village Board Meeting
Monday, June 27, 2011**

A regular Village Board meeting was held on the above date at 5:00 p.m. with the following members present:

PRESENT: Mayor Dagan LaCorte
Trustee Bruce Simon, Trustee Jo Meegan-Corrigan,
Trustee John Meehan

ALSO PRESENT: Virginia Menschner, Village Clerk
Terry Rice, Village Attorney

ABSENT: Trustee Patricia Abato

Appoint Part-Time Building Inspector:

The Mayor said the first item is to appoint the part-time building inspector. Joe Jacaruso cleared personnel. The position is \$30 an hour, part-time 19 hours a week, to start tomorrow, June 28. A motion to confirm the appointment was made by Trustee Meehan, seconded by Trustee Meegan-Corrigan. Upon vote, the motion was carried.

Establish Seasonal Laborer Position:

The Mayor said this is to establish a seasonal laborer position with no benefits at \$14 an hour at the DPW. The Mayor said he thinks we already appointed two. The Village Clerk said we can appoint as many as we want. A motion to establish the position was made by Trustee Simon, seconded by Trustee Meegan-Corrigan. Upon vote, the motion was carried.

Request - Plakin Greek Taverna - 5 Tables and Chairs:

The Mayor said this is a request from Plakin Greek Taverna for 5 tables and chairs. Code enforcer Randy Ortiz said they can have 4 tables and 8 chairs. A motion approving the request was made by Trustee Meehan, seconded by Trustee Simon. Upon vote, the motion was carried.

The Mayor said he would like to take this opportunity to welcome our Legislator Alden Wolfe.

The Mayor said he had one more item. Isabel had asked if briefly we could discuss Point Park. Mrs. Haggerty said that Point Park was previously named the William Miele Park in 1987. She doesn't think that it should be renamed in honor of Mayor Scarr but she also thinks that the other park could be named - the one at the end of town. The Village Clerk said that is John Suffern Park. Mrs. Haggerty said that her suggestion to the Village is that you start a list of every building, gazebo, parks and if a suggestion is made and it is already named, you could look it up and you could stop it right there. The Mayor thanked Mrs. Haggerty for volunteering to do this. The Village Clerk said the park where the gazebo is is Avon Park. The Mayor said he spoke to Lenny and Lenny understands that

if we can't name it, we can't name it. The Mayor said he doesn't think we should name something for the sake of naming it. He said he thinks it is important that it bears significance to something that somebody did. Like Andy. He said that Lenny understands. The Mayor said that for example he thinks it has to do with - like Andy's park because Andy got the park. Parness is because he got the building. For example, Savarese really wants Village Hall named after him. He said we can discuss this briefly. How do people feel about that. He understands that it is important to people but he also doesn't want to be in the business of starting to name everything after everybody. He said also this. It is probably a while away but he thinks we have to name the complex - the Village Clerk said she can't think of his name right now. He was a Trustee at the time who actually helped get this plaque. The Mayor said he is not saying we should do it. He doesn't know if anyone had Andy's length of service in the building. And Joe did a lot. He separated the water and the sewer from the budget. That saved us. So that is something that Joe wants. And another thing is Adam Fazio. The whole complex we would probably look to name it. There was a big thing obviously when we named the big field after Vincent Crotty because everyone kind of anticipated naming that in honor of Adam when he eventually retires from Little League because he does so much. He was fine. And the Mayor spoke to him about it when we did it. He was fine naming it after Vincent and the Mayor thinks that was kind of discussed briefly at the time was if we name the complex. That is like a big thing that they do. The Mayor said he went to Union College and it was called Achilles Rink - so now it is Masur Rink. There are ways around doing that. And he doesn't think we want to get to a point - it is a thought. He doesn't know how people think about Lenny if we are looking to do something else. Or if there was a reason specifically to name this park. Did he obtain it? The Village Clerk said he got the funds. The Mayor said he doesn't think if we can't name this park that we should just name something else after him. It doesn't make sense. Right? Trustee Meegan-Corrigan asked why it couldn't be named Miele-Scarr park? The Mayor said it sounds like a good idea. But when we did Crotty, Cucolo got very upset because they were under the impression that we were naming Cucolo. But we said no, the big field, not the small field.

Mrs. Haggerty said she doesn't think it is right that you change the name. If it was named for somebody. Trustee Meegan-Corrigan asked if you could change the name of Oliver Street. The Mayor said streets become difficult. Trustee Simon said you don't know who Oliver was named after either. Trustee Meegan-Corrigan said what they did in Brooklyn where it was underneath. The Mayor said yes, that is what we can do. They do that all the time. Trustee Meegan-Corrigan said if we can do it on Oliver Street. The Village Clerk said Mr. Scarr didn't live on Oliver Street. Trustee Meegan-Corrigan asked what the street was before that. The Village Clerk said E. Maltbie. Mr. Scarr lived on that street. Trustee Simon said we could have a little ceremony and put a second sign on the pole. Just the one block. The Mayor said up on Pavilion they wanted to name it something. Trustee Meegan-Corrigan said if we could find the family we could name the park the Miele-Scarr park. The Mayor said he spoke to Lenny and he is fine with it. He thought it was a cool idea. John

Keegan brought it up. He doesn't know what the reasoning was for it now. When John was Mayor he could have done it. He doesn't know why now. So we said we would look into it. And then when he told Lenny it was already named, he said okay, fine. The Mayor said if somebody else wants to take the lead on this. Trustee Meegan-Corrigan said she would try to reach out to her.

A motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:20 p.m. was made by Trustee Simon, seconded by Trustee Meehan. Upon vote, the motion was carried.