



Hamburg New York Land Development Corporation October 22, 2020, 6:00pm Hamburg Town Hall, room 7A -in person or Via Zoom Teleconferencing – due to the COVID 19 Pandemic

Present

Cam Hall - via Zoom Tom Moses – in person Janet Plarr – via Zoom

Bob Hutchison - in person Andy Palmer – in person Davis Podkulski – in person Norma Rusert-Kelly - via Zoom

Excused Guests

Wence Valentin Jennifer Strong, Neill & Strong - via Zoom Robert Reynolds

Mary Doran, HIDA – in person

Francesca Bond, Hamburg Sun - via Zoom

Executive Director

Sean Doyle – in person

-Motion to open the board meeting at 6:49pm Director Doyle.

Moved: Tom Moses

Seconded: Bob Hutchison

Aves: Hall, Moses, Plarr, Hutchison, Palmer, Podkulski, Rusert-Kelly

Navs: none Carried

- Roll Call

-Motion to approve the September 2020 board meeting minutes.

Moved: Davis Podkulski Seconded: Bob Hutchison

Ayes: Hall, Moses, Plarr, Hutchison, Palmer, Podkulski, Rusert-Kelly

Navs: none Carried

Director Doyle gave an update on the financials as Bob Reynolds was excused from the meeting. There was interest income of approximately \$84 in September and a balance of approximately \$369,000 in the bank accounts. The Walden Development land sale should close in November along with the Carwell purchase of parcel C. Remaining cautiously optimistic that the motion at September's board meeting motived Carwell to close by the November.

-Motion to approve the September 2020 Treasurer Report.

Moved: Andy Palmer Seconded: Norma Rusert-Kelly

Ayes: Hall, Moses, Plarr, Hutchison, Palmer, Podkulski, Rusert-Kelly

Navs: none Carried

Executive Director Update:

- -There has been significant amount of clearing of parcel A at the LECC from Walden Development, hoping that the success of this developer and parcel continues whether it's with a tenant or speculative development.
- -There has been one small hiccup with the clearing of parcel A. There was dumping of hazardous material found at the south end of the property where it boarders Universal Engine. Doyle spoke with and sent a formal letter to Universal Engine to have them remove the items belonging to them. They have removed some items but there are other things that were obviously dumped not by Universal Engine, for example telephone poles, railroad ties, concrete blocks. Doyle is getting 3 bids on the price of removing these hazardous materials. It will likely cost between \$5,000 and \$10,000 as it is labor and equipment intensive. The board suggested going back to Walden and reducing the cost for the land by the amount it will cost to remove the items. This might be the easiest route to take, once the bids come in Doyle will most likely hold a special virtual board meeting to vote on plan for removal.
- -2020 Budget the Land Corporation is doing well. Expenses are higher because we are selling more land which requires surveys etc.
- -2021 Budget Doyle reviewed the 2021 proposed Budget with the board.
- -Motion to approve the 2021 HNYLDC budget.

Moved: Andy Palmer

Seconded: Davis Podkulski

Ayes: Hall, Moses, Plarr, Hutchison, Palmer, Podkulski, Rusert-Kelly

Nays: none *Carried*

-Motion to adjourn 7:03pm

Moved: Andy Palmer

Seconded: Davis Podkulski

Ayes: Hall, Moses, Plarr, Hutchison, Palmer, Podkulski, Rusert-Kelly

Nays: none *Carried*

Sincerely,

Sean Doyle, Executive Director

The next meeting will be Tuesday, November 22nd – 7:30am Court Room, Blasdell Village Hall