



## Hamburg New York Land Development Corporation Special - Board of Directors Meeting February 16, 2021, 5:00pm Blasdell Village Hall and Zoom Teleconferencing – due to the COVID 19 Pandemic

Present

**Excused** 

Guests

Cam Hall – in person Tom Moses –in person Janet Plarr –in person

Bob Hutchison - in person Andy Palmer –in person Davis Podkulski - Zoom

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Wence Valentin- in person
Robert Reynolds – in person

Norma Rusert-Kelly - Zoom

Jennifer Strong, Neill & Strong - Zoom Mary Doran, HIDA – in person

**Executive Director** 

Sean Doyle – in person

## - Roll Call

-Motion to open the board meeting at 5:38pm.

**Moved**: Bob Hutchison

Seconded: Janet Plarr

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

Nays: none *Carried* 

-Motion to approve the January 22, 2021 board meeting minutes.

Moved: Bob Reynolds

Seconded: Janet Plarr

Ayes: Hall, Moses, Hutchison, Palmer, Podkulski, Reynolds, Plarr, Valentin

Nays: none *Carried* 

Treasurer, Bob Reynolds, gave an update on the financials. January had expenses of \$11,958.50, for commission and legal fees due to the land sale. Balance on the accounts is \$728,745.98.

-Motion to approve the January 22, 2021 Treasurer Report.

Moved: Andy Palmer

Seconded: Janet Plarr

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

Nays: none *Carried* 

## **Executive Director Update:**

Doyle did not have any new businesses to discuss. However he did talk about the Lake Erie Commerce Center. The development there is amazing. It has become a productive piece of real estate and a real asset to the community. Doyle estimates that in the next couple years there will be over 1000 new jobs working out of this planned industrial development. After the PILOTS expire the Town and taxing jurisdictions will see over \$1 million annually in taxes. All of this came thru the IDA along with planned development. It is incredible to think this is all due to a 9 member volunteer board.

Mary will send out a list of the committees for the next meeting.

Wence thanked Sean for all his hard work on the Bayview Road, LLC project as did Norma. Norma stated they were well run public hearings and she was proud of his professionalism. Even though it was not a unanimous vote on the project the board members took everyone's opinion into consideration. They agreed to disagree in a respectiveful and productive manner.

-Motion to adjourn at 5:51pm

Moved: Wence Valentin

Seconded: Norma Rusert-Kelly

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

Nays: none *Carried* 

Sincerely,

Sean Doyle, Executive Director

Next meeting March 17, 2021, 7:30am via Zoom only