PALMYRA TOWN HALL JULY 28, 2015

At 9:00 AM., Supervisor Kenneth Miller called to order an Emergency Town Board meeting, called for Tuesday, July 28, 2015, at the Palmyra Town Hall, 1180 Canandaigua Rd, Palmyra, New York.

CALL TO ORDER

NOTICE OF EMERGENCY MEETING – (Copy as posted on website and in numerous locations as specified by law.)

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July 27, 2015 - **Notice is hereby given** that the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra will meet in emergency session on Tuesday, July 28, 2015, at 9:00 AM, at the Palmyra Town Hall , 1180 Canandaigua Rd, for the purpose of considering and taking possible action on the following: Discussion of personnel in the Code Enforcement Office.

Irene Unterborn, Town Clerk

Supervisor Miller asked to wave reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Upon roll call, the following Board members were present:

Kenneth Miller, Supervisor James Welch, Deputy Supervisor David Nussbaumer, Councilman Todd J. Pipitone, Councilman Michael Lambrix, Councilman

ROLL CALL

Also attending was: Palmyra Code Enforcement Officer Robert Grier, Palmyra Code Enforcement Officer Dan Delpriore, Brennan Pipitone and Village Trustee Rick Perry.

ATTENDANCE

The Supervisor asked the Town Clerk to read allowed the notice.

Government Operations—Assessor, Youth & Aging, Code Enforcement, Fire Protection Contracts: David Nussbaumer, Chairman

1. <u>Code Enforcement/Zoning Office</u>: Supervisor Miller explained to Code Enforcement Officer Dan Delpriore that he would be given this opportunity to discuss, either in executive session, or during the public meeting, his recent arrest charges in Seneca County. Mr. Delpriore is charged with official misconduct, stalking, and coercion related to a dispute with a female.

CHARGES AGAINST CODE OFFICER DAN DELPRIORE

Mr. Delpriore stated that he had nothing to hide, and would prefer to speak in public. He also provided the board with the paperwork and

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charges filed in the Justice Court for the Town of Waterloo, in Seneca County New York, on July 24th, 2015.

Delpriore apologized for "any black eye brought to the town or village" and stated that he really enjoys working for Palmyra and with Code Enforcement Officer Robert Grier. He further explained that this incident stemmed from a relationship that ended, and that he never used his position as an officer, or that he had contact with the state police. He denied those two points to be true. However, he did state that although this woman is making up stories, some of these charges were indeed valid and "very bad".

Village Trustee Rick Perry inquired as to whether or not this woman in question had ever made these allegations towards other men in the past. Mr. Delpriore said that she had not, however that she did have a history of "abusive relationships". Mr. Delpriore reminded the board that this happened in Seneca County, and that right now this was all her word against his.

MTN: ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION <u>Motion to Enter into Executive Session</u>: Supervisor Miller asked for a motion to go into executive session, and at 9:20 AM, Councilman Nussbaumer made that to discuss a particular matter of personnel, and asked Village Trustee Perry to join them.

Second: Jim Welch Vote: 4 Ayes. Carried

Mr. Miller then asked Mr. Delpriore to leave for the day, with pay, and return in the morning.

MTN: RETURN FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

<u>Motion to Return from Executive Session</u>: At 9:48 AM, Councilman Nussbaumer made the motion to return from executive session.

Second: Todd Pipitone Vote: 4 Ayes. Carried

MTN: ADJOURN

Adjourn Meeting: At 9:50 AM, Dave Nussbaumer made the motion to adjourn the meeting.

Second: Jim Welch Vote: 4 Ayes. Carried

Respectfully submitted,

Irene Unterborn Town Clerk

> NEXT MEETING THURSDAY AUGUST 27, 2015 7:00 PM - PALMYRA TOWN HALL