TOWN OF CONSTANTIA MINUTES – PUBLIC HEARING 2020 BUDGET-TOWN BOARD-NOVEMBER 7, 2019

6:30 p.m. Constantia Town Hall

Present: Thomas Moran – Deputy Town Supervisor

Richard Colesante, John Metzger, Frank Tomaino – Council Members

Clare Haynes - Town Clerk

Absent: Kenneth Mosley - Town Supervisor

CALL TO ORDER:

At 6:30 p.m. the public hearing for the 2020 budget was called to order with the pledge of allegiance.

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this public hearing is to hear interested parties as to the 2020 budget and contracts.

DISCUSSION:

Mrs. Haynes told the board members present that the Town is now \$57,000 under the tax cap and actually the amount to be raised by taxes is lower than 2019. Although this is a good step, Mrs. Haynes just wanted to be sure the board members did not want to put back amounts that they originally took out of the budget to cover the original shortfall. \$10,000 back into A1440.4 Engineering and \$5,000 into A1940.2 Purchase of Land. After discussion, the board members present agree to leave the budget as it stands, both of these lines are still funded.

The 2020 Town Budget will be approved at the regular town board meeting on November 19th, changes can be made at this meeting before final approval.

ADJOURN:

With no one in attendance and no further discussion, Mr. Metzger made the motion to close the public hearing at 6:55 p.m., seconded by Mr. Moran.

Carried: Moran - Yes Tomaino - Yes Colesante - Yes Metzger - Yes