

**Minutes**  
**January 11, 2018**  
**TOWN BOARD MEETING 6:30pm**

1. CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE TO FLAG
2. ROLL CALL

	PRESENT	ABSENT	LATE
Supervisor John C. Reilly	√		
Councilmember Donald Coons	√		
Councilmember Jeffery Galm	√		
Councilmember Eric Mortenson	√		
Councilmember John Fraser Paterson	√		

**MONTHLY THOUGHT:**

Growth for the sake of growth is the ideology of the cancer cell.

- Edward Abbey, writer, essayist, novelist (1927-1989).

A common mistake people make when trying to design something foolproof is to underestimate the ingenuity of complete fools.

- Douglas Adams, author, The Hitchhikers Guide to the Galaxy (1952-2001)

It may seem paradoxical to hold that a policy of building restriction tends to a fuller utilization of land than a policy of no restriction; but such is undoubtedly the case. The reason lies in the greater safety and security to investment secured by definite resources.

- Edward M. Basset, lawyer and father of zoning

Make not little plans; they have no magic to stir men's blood and probably themselves will not be realized. Make big plans; aim high in hope and work, remembering that a noble, logical diagram once recorded will never die, but long after we are gone will a living thing, asserting itself with ever-growing insistency.

- Daniel H. Burnham, architect (1846-1912).

Laws are like sausages, it is better not to see them being made.

- Otto von Bismark, chancellor of Prussia (1815-1898).

## **NEW BUSINESS SECTION 2016**

### 1. Reappointments and verifications of Salaries

Jack Gomm \$56,500 - \$250 stipend  
Robert Coons \$23.50/hr - \$250 stipend  
Todd Coons \$ 19.50/hr - \$250 stipend  
Tyler Case \$16.00/hr \$250 Stipend  
Wingman \$14.25

Deputy Town Clerk/Tax Collector \$15/hr  
Planning Board/Zoning Board Secretary \$13.50/hr  
Building Custodian \$11.75

Sr. Court Clerk \$12,000  
Jr. Court Clerk \$8,000

**Resolutions 2018-1: The Town Board approves the Appointments for the year 2018 and verifies the salaries of non-budgeted employees.**

**Motion CM Mortenson Second CM Galm  
Vote 5 Yes 0 No**

**Councilman Coons recused himself on the vote for Robert Coons-  
Working Forman**

## **PUBLIC COMMENT ON NEW BUSINESS**

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## **MONTHLY BUSINESS SECTION**

1. Review of December Minutes for Errors/Clarifications **Resolution 2018-2: Accept December 2017 minutes for filing and posting. Motion CM Mortenson Second CM Paterson Vote 5 Yes 0 No**
2. Bill Review of Non-Reoccurring items- August 2016 **Resolution 2018-3: Approve December 2017 bills for payment.**

**Motion CM Mortenson Second CM Coons**  
**Vote 5 Yes 0 No**

3. Highway Superintendent Comments/Report : Read and Filed
4. Comments of Code Enforcement Officer :Read and Filed
5. Clerk Report: Read and Filed
6. Assessor Comment's : Valuation of land for the reval has begun.
7. Historian Comments

**PUBLIC COMMENT ON MONTHLY BUSINESS**

**MOTION FOR ADJOURNMENT**  
**Motion CM Mortenson Secons CM Coons.**