



# VILLAGE OF COLONIE

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MINUTES

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

MONDAY, JANUARY 3, 2022

6:30 P.M.

**EDWARD SIM**  
DEPUTY MAYOR

**PATTY SCHWARZ LOCKART**  
TRUSTEE

**JAMES M. RUBINO**  
TRUSTEE

**ART WHITE**  
TRUSTEE

**JAMIE BLOT**  
CLERK

Mayor Tobin opened the meeting of the Mayor and Board of Trustees at 6:30 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call:	Mayor Tobin	Present
	Deputy Mayor Sim	Present
	Trustee Lockart	Present
	Trustee Rubino	Present
	Trustee White	Present
	Village Clerk Blot	Present

Minutes of the public hearing held on December 20, 2021 regarding Resolution 2021-90 “Purchase of backhoe out of capital reserve funds – DPW equipment”, were reviewed by the present members of the board.

A motion was made by Trustee White to approve the minutes, as presented.

Motion seconded by Trustee Lockart.

VOTE:	Trustee Lockart	Yes
	Trustee Rubino	Yes
	Trustee White	Yes
	Deputy Mayor Sim	Yes
	Mayor Tobin	Yes

Motion passed.

Minutes of the public hearing held on December 20, 2021 regarding Resolution 2021-91 “Purchase of air packs out of capital reserve funds – fire equipment fund”, were reviewed by the present members of the board.

A motion was made by Trustee Rubino to approve the minutes, as presented.

Motion seconded by Trustee White.

VOTE:	Trustee Lockart	Yes
	Trustee Rubino	Yes
	Trustee White	Yes
	Deputy Mayor Sim	Yes
	Mayor Tobin	Yes

Motion passed.

Minutes of the regularly scheduled board meeting that was held on December 20, 2021, were reviewed by the present members of the board.

A motion was made by Deputy Mayor Sim to approve the minutes.

Motion seconded by Trustee White.

VOTE:	Trustee Lockart	Yes
	Trustee Rubino	Yes
	Trustee White	Yes
	Deputy Mayor Sim	Yes
	Mayor Tobin	Yes

Motion passed.

Trustee Lockart mentioned that the senior center will be doing take out lunches until January 18, 2022, due to the rise in COVID cases, just taking precautions with our senior population. She added that the seniors are about 70 lunches a day.

She also mentioned that there is a planning commission meeting tomorrow at 6:30 p.m., and that Stewarts is opening on Wednesday, January 5<sup>th</sup>.

Trustee Rubino wished everyone a happy new year. He also commended the DPW on the water main break on Sebring Avenue.

Deputy Mayor Sim mentioned that we have a lot going on with our departments with COVID, but we seem to be over the initial surge and things are looking up.

Trustee White wished everyone a happy and healthy new year.

Mayor Tobin mentioned he is looking forward to a good coming year. He reminded everyone to be mindful of COVID as it is not going away any time soon. He added everyone is doing a good job being diligent with their mask wearing.

Chief Kayser mentioned that the firehouse ended the year with 517 calls. He also mentioned that they recently had 5-7 active members out due to COVID, but that things seem to be back to normal, and that hopefully we won't have another surge like that again.

Superintendent Decker mentioned that they received the rebuilt packer body Sunday. By rebuilding the body, they were able to save ½ the cost of what it would have been to replace. He said they are looking into getting it lettered, and will be receiving quotes in the next few days, but the doors are marked for now.

Mayor Tobin mentioned that the facility rentals started January 3<sup>rd</sup>.

The following reports were submitted:

Senior Lunches 12/20/21-12/24/21

Senior Lunches 12/27/21-12/31/21

Senior Exp vs Rev 12/13/21-12/24/21  
Senior Monthly activity report December 2021  
Recreation Center Report December 2021

Abstract #14 breakdown:

General: \$ 40,881.27

Water: \$ 8,795.32

Sewer: \$ 9,284.03

Total: \$ 58,960.62

A motion was made by Trustee Lockart to adjourn the meeting.  
Motion seconded by Trustee White.

VOTE:	Trustee Lockart	Yes
	Trustee Rubino	Yes
	Trustee White	Yes
	Deputy Mayor Sim	Yes
	Mayor Tobin	Yes

Motion passed.

Meeting adjourned 6:40 p.m.  
Respectfully Submitted,

Jamie L. Blot  
Village Clerk  
Village of Colonie