

MAY 3, 2012 – WORK SESSION

Minutes of a Work Session of the Town Board of the Town of Somers held on Thursday evening May 3, 2012 at 7:35 PM at the Town House, 335 Route 202, Somers, New York .

ROLL CALL:

PRESENT: Supervisor Mary Beth Murphy
 Councilman Richard G. Clinchy
 Councilman Frederick J. Morrissey
 Councilman Thomas A. Garrity, Jr.

ABSENT:

Also present were Kathleen R. Pacella, Town Clerk, Patricia Kalba, Deputy Town Clerk and Roland A. Baroni, Jr., Town Attorney.

Girl Scout Troop 2635 was present to make a presentation of their Silver Award project to the Town Board. They explained that they were going to be placing a bench at the Library in memory of Lynn Adams their former Girl Scout Leader. The Board agreed that this was a great project and thanked them for their donation.

This being a work session the following actions were taken:

The Supervisor said that it was in order for the Board to appoint a Richard Benedict to fill the vacant Town Board seat until December 31, 2012. She said that they Board had received a number of applications for this position. She said that they interviewed all of them and there were a number of well qualified individuals in the Town.

Thereupon motion of Supervisor Murphy seconded by Councilman Morrissey, it was unanimously,

RESOLVED, that the Town Board does hereby appoint Richard A. Benedict to fill the office of Town Councilman to replace Harold R. Bolton who has resigned to a term ending December 31, 2012.

The Supervisor said that it was in order to authorize the hiring of a temporary accountant through a Temp Agency to assist in the Finance Office.

Thereupon motion of Councilman Garrity, seconded by Supervisor Murphy, it was unanimously,

RESOLVED, that the Town Board does hereby authorize the hiring of a temporary accountant through Accountemps to assist in the Finance Office beginning Monday, April 30, 2012 at \$29.75 per hour to work no more than 17 hours per week.

This being a work session no further actions were taken.

Thereupon motion of Supervisor Murphy, seconded by Councilman Garrity, the meeting was adjourned at 8:10 PM.

Town Clerk