

SEPTEMBER 8, 2011 – PUBLIC HEARING

Minutes of a public hearing of the Town Board of the Town of Somers held on Thursday evening September 8, 2011 at 8:15 PM at the Town House, 335 Route 202, Somers, New York.

ROLL CALL:

PRESENT:	Supervisor	Mary Beth Murphy
	Councilman	Harold R. Bolton
	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.

The Supervisor said that this was a public hearing with regard to a proposed amendment to Chapter 109 entitled Garbage, Rubbish and Refuse of the Code of the Town of Somers. She said that essentially the purpose of this modification was to add number 6 and 7 plastics to the recycling requirement effective January 1, 2012.

The Town Clerk presented affidavit of public notice of the public hearing that appeared in the Journal News on August 30, 2011 and posted on the Town Clerk's bulletin board the same day.

The Supervisor declared the hearing opened and asked for comments from the public.

Mr. Marc Koppel, Route 116, said that he was extremely pleased that the Town was doing that, the more recycling that was done the better. He said that he did not see any downside to it and thanked the Board for their efforts in helping the local environment.

There being no one else to be heard on motion of Supervisor Murphy, seconded by Councilman Garrity, the public hearing was declared closed at 8:16 PM.

Town Clerk