

TOWN OF PUTNAM VALLEY

Town Board Work Session

March 10th, 2021 Town Hall

5 PM

Pledge of Allegiance

Meeting called to Order

Supervisor's Comments

Discussions

- 1. Discussion Concerning Waiver of Permit Fee
- 2. CCA Update
- 3. Noise Ordinance
- 4. Leprechaun Resolution
- 5. Building Department
 - a. Daily Free Reports for the Month of February (2/01/2021-2/28/2021).

Adjournment:

Next Town Board Meeting: Wednesday, February 17th, 2021, 6PM, Town Hall

Amendment to Chapter 82 "Noise Ordinance"

- §82-1 Title (this remains the same)
- §82-2 Intent (this remains the same)
- §82-3 Definitions (this remains the same)
- §82-4 Prohibition (this remains the same)

§82-5 NOISE RESTRICTIONS:

- A. During the daytime hours of 7AM to 8PM prolonged noise levels of 70 decibels or more lasting more than or continuing for a total period of time exceeding 15 minutes during the daytime hours between 7AM to 8PM of any given day shall be prohibited. The noise level shall be measured using a calibrated decibel meter from the property line of the complainant. The above ordinance restriction shall apply only to the revving of cars, loud music, artificially amplified voices and/or artificially amplified sound producing devices.
- B. During the hours of 8PM to 7AM prolonged noise levels of 60 decibels or more continuing for a total period of time exceeding 15 minutes during the hours between 8PM and 7AM of any given day shall be prohibited. The noise level shall be measured using a calibrated decibel meter from the property line of the complainant.

§82-6 Persons liable for violations (remains the same)

§82-7 EXCEPTIONS

- A. Exceptions to the daytime restrictions set forth in §82-5A above shall expressly not apply to the following: Ongoing construction, yard maintenance, yard and construction mechanisms and tools, air conditioners, generators, snow-blowers, hand tools, chain saws, land or water craft that are not stationary and one (1) day events i.e. birthday parties and/or recognized Federal Holiday Parties
- B. The restrictions set forth in §82-5B shall expressly not apply to "Exceptions" to the evening restriction are the following: Air conditioners, generators, all moving land vehicles, tools needed during a weather or national emergency and one (1) day celebratory events, (birthday parties and/or recognized Federal Holiday Parties) which must end by midnight wherein the noise restrictions will be imposed at midnight
- C. The Municipality and all utilities shall be exempt from any and all restrictions as regards to necessary maintenance repairs, and all emergency response during a weather event or national emergency.

§82-8 Enforcement (this remains the same)

§82-9 Penalties for offenses (this remains the same)

§82-10 Severability (this remains the same)

LEPRECHAUN RESOLUTION

By Herman Taub, Past Town Attorney

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the Town Board of the Town of Putnam Valley, that spirits, goblins, wee folk, fairies, and leprechauns do appear at strange and eerie hours and areas and more specifically are wont to do so on the night before St. Patrick's Day; and

WHEREAS, these ethereal beings are usually involved in mischievous and frivolous behavior; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board recognizes that these other world beings are generally recidivists and cannot be reformed no matter how much mischief they cause and notwithstanding the punishment that is prescribed; and

WHEREAS, it would be to no avail to provide for corporal or other punishments since fairies, spirits, wee folk, leprechauns and goblins of the hob type are incorrigible; and

WHEREAS, it is known that these wee folk have the power to appear and disappear at will and take the form of humans or animals; and

WHEREAS, on past occasions on the night before St. Patrick's Day a Shamrock has miraculously appeared on the road at the intersection of Oscawana Lake Road and Peekskill Hollow Road; and

WHEREAS, these mischievous doings have been heretofore erroneously ascribed to human sources; and

WHEREAS, after diligent study and consultation with our law enforcement officials, the Town Board has concluded that the appearance of said shamrock can only be due to the doings of creatures not of this corporeal world,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that for the period from 12:01 a.m. on March 16, 2021 to 5:00 a.m. on March 17, 2021, should there be any artistic drawings mysteriously appearing on the pavement of the road at Oregon Corners by spirits or ethereal beings of an unknown nature, a period of amnesty and freedom from corporal punishment and corporeal and "incorporeal" restraint of the alleged perpetrators is hereby declared only for the period and purposes set forth above.

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OFFICE OF BUILDING & ZONING 265 Oscawana Lake Road

Daily Fee Report - Summary

From:

2/1/2021

To: **2/28/2021**

Fee Туре	Count	Amount
ADDITION/ALTERATION	3	\$253.00
ADDITIONAL FEE	6	\$275.00
BEDROOM COUNT REQUEST	3	\$150.00
DECK	3	\$1,260.00
DEM/R	1	\$100.00
ELECTRI APP/NY ELEC	5	\$150.00
ELECTRIC APP/SWIS	2	\$60.00
GAS/PROPANE	5	\$425.00
HVAC	1	\$75.00
MG	6	\$450.00
MI	1	\$75.00
OIL TANK	1	\$125.00
PERM	7	\$2,028.00
PL	1	\$55.00
RE	6	\$647.00
RU	1	\$125.00
SEARC	28	\$4,200.00
SI	1	\$200.00
WETADM	3	\$150.00
WETL	3	\$500.00
WOOD STOVE PERMIT	1	\$75.00
WT/S	4	\$560.00
Total Fees Collected:	92	\$11,938.00
Cash	3	\$375.00
Check	88	\$11,291.00
Money Order	1	\$272.00