

MINUTES OF THE TOWN BOARD
June 6, 2017

Minutes of a Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Eastchester held on June 6, 2017 at 8:00 p.m., at the Town Hall, 40 Mill Road, Eastchester, New York.

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. ROLL CALL

Present: Supervisor Anthony Colavita
Councilman Glenn Bellitto
Councilman Joseph Dooley
Councilwoman Theresa Nicholson

Absent: Councilman Luigi Marcoccia

Present: Town Clerk Mary T. Swikata
Comptroller Dawn Donovan
Town Attorney Louis Reda

IV. OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON AGENDA ITEMS

Mike Denning reiterated his suggestion that the Town consider a "re-valuation" of property in Eastchester, Tuckahoe and Bronxville.

V. APPOINTMENTS

A) APPOINTMENT – AUTOMOTIVE MECHANIC

Councilman Dooley offered a motion that was seconded by Supervisor Colavita to approve a RESOLUTION to approve the probationary appointment of Antonio Ciero of Eastchester, NY to the position of Automotive Mechanic (Group J, Step 2) at the annual salary of \$60,931 effective June 23, 2017.

Mr. Ciero will be filling the position previously held by Kevin McCaffrey who retired in April.

If approved he will be required to serve a probationary period which will run not less than twelve weeks and not more than fifty-two weeks. Funds are provided in the 2017 budget.

On the roll call, all voted "AYE." Motion carried.

VI. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Councilman Bellitto offered a motion that was seconded by Councilman Dooley to approve the Minutes of the May 16, 2017 Town Board Meeting as prepared by Town Clerk Linda Laird.

On the roll call, all voted "AYE." Motion carried.

VII. REPORTS OF DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

A) LAW DEPARTMENT REPORT

1. RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SETTLEMENT OF A CERTIORARI PROCEEDING BY BRONXVILLE PROPERTIES, INC. – 107 – 111 KENSINGTON ROAD

Supervisor Colavita offered a motion that was seconded by Councilman Bellitto to approve the following RESOLUTION authorizing the settlement of a certiorari proceeding instituted by Bronxville Properties, Inc. affecting premises known as Section 23, Block 6, Lot 8-B – 107-111 Kensington Road, Eastchester, as follows:

ASSESSMENT YEAR	TAX YEAR	ASSESSED VALUATION	PROPOSED SETTLEMENT A.V.	AMOUNT OF REDUCTION
2006	2007	\$33,250.00	\$26,100.00	\$7,150.00
2007	2008	\$33,250.00	\$25,875.00	\$7,375.00
2008	2009	\$33,250.00	\$25,875.00	\$7,375.00
2009	2010	\$33,250.00	\$27,900.00	\$5,350.00
2010	2011	\$33,250.00	\$30,800.00	\$2,450.00
2011	2012	\$33,250.00	\$30,350.00	\$2,900.00
2012	2013	\$33,250.00	\$33,250.00	-0-
2013	2014	\$33,250.00	\$33,250.00	-0-

Tuckahoe School District approved the settlement
TOTAL TOWN TAX REFUND \$ 803.80

On the roll call, all voted "AYE." Motion carried.

2. RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SETTLEMENT OF A CLAIM BY LOIS SCHNEIDER

Supervisor Colavita offered a motion that was seconded by Councilman Bellitto to approve a RESOLUTION authorizing the settlement of a claim by Lois Schneider against the Town of Eastchester in the amount of \$102,500.00 for injuries sustained on August 16, 2013.

On the roll call, all voted "AYE." Motion carried.

VIII. CORRESPONDENCE

A) MEMORANDUM FROM COMPTROLLER RE: PART TIME SEASONAL EMPLOYEES

Councilman Bellitto offered a motion that was seconded by Supervisor Colavita to approve the following Part Time and Seasonal Appointments:

NAME	JOB TITLE	TYPE	RATE	EFF. DATE		DEPT.
Altamura, Morgan	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Anello, Ashley	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Anello, Nicolette	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Awer, David	Driver	P/T	\$16.00	6/7/2017	Rate	Sr. Pgms
Baid, Anshul	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Bajana, Daniela	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Baker, Dylan	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Barca, Alessia	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$10.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Barnao, Joseph	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Battersby, Tara	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Blume, Ryan	Recreation Attendant	Seasonal	8.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Bryson, Stephen	EMT	Seasonal	12.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Burkhard, Philip	Security	Seasonal	12.00	6/7/2017	Rate	Lake Isle
Cacciola, Gabriella	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$9.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Calvi, Diane	Recreation Attendant	Seasonal	10.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Capellan, Kenneth	EMT	Seasonal	12.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Cardenas, Maria	EMT	Seasonal	12.00	6/7/2017	Rehire	Lake Isle
Chiappa, Bella	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Ciamarra, William	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Cirillo, Christopher	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Cirillo, Juliana	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Colasacco, Molly	Lifeguard	Seasonal	9.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Colavita, Caroline	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$9.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Colavita, Olivia	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Crai, Melissa	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$15.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Crai, Robert	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$10.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Crean, Matthew	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$11.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec

Danko, Kathryn	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$15.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Deegan, Cara	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$9.50	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Dell'Aera, Kelly Ann	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.50	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Dell'Imperio, Danielle	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$9.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
DelVecchio, Joseph	Lifeguard	Seasonal	9.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
DiFalco, GenineMarie	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$16.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
DiLeo, Alyssa	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
DiLeo, Ricardo	Lifeguard	Seasonal	\$12.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
DiLeo, Ricky	Lifeguard	Seasonal	9.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Disanto, Michael	Lifeguard	Seasonal	\$12.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Dos Santos, Leandro	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.50	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Fioriello Nicholas	Recreation Attendant	Seasonal	10.00	6/7/2017	Rate	Lake Isle
Flamio, Christian	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Fortunato, Dava	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$9.50	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Francisco, Jack	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Gatrell, Ethan	Lifeguard	Seasonal	9.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Genova, Nicholas	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Gizzo, Anthony	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$10.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Gjonaj, Linda	Lifeguard	Seasonal	9.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Goldberg, Chase	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Greco, Ricky	Lifeguard	Seasonal	9.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Gresia, Joseph	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Guarino, Thomas	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Guido, John	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$9.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Hyland, Jillian	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.50	6/21/2017	New	Rec
John, Charles	Driver	P/T	\$15.00	6/7/2017	New	Sr. Pgms
Koray, Turhan	EMT	Seasonal	12.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Lacalamita, Peter	Lifeguard	Seasonal	9.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
LaVerghetta, Arianna	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Lebrini, Marissa	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Lee, Saoirse	Head Lifeguard	Seasonal	11.00	6/7/2017	Rate	Lake Isle
LeStrange, Anthony	Recreation Attendant	Seasonal	8.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Loukas, Christopher	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Mamudoski, Galip	Head Lifeguard	Seasonal	11.00	6/7/2017	Rate	Lake Isle
Mancuso, Dominick	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Marcus, Jeremy	Recreation Attendant	Seasonal	10.00	6/7/2017	Rate	Lake Isle
Maroun, Sebastian	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.50	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Martin, Ryan	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
McDevitt, Katherine	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.50	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Medici, Ralph	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Meduri, Justin	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$9.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Mejia, Danielle	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Milo, Nicholas	Lifeguard	Seasonal	\$9.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Moffa, Marie	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$13.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Morgan, Christopher	Recreation Attendant	Seasonal	8.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Nardi, Gianna	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Nardini, Matthew	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$10.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Nassar, Elona	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Negro, Jillian	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$9.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Nicholson, Gloria	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$15.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Ortega, Melissa	Cleaner	P/T	\$13.00	6/7/2017	Rate	Sr. Pgms
Paez, Lidia	Cleaner	P/T	\$15.00	6/7/2017	Rate	Sr. Pgms
Panico, Dillon	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Puccini, Thomas	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$14.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec

Quinto, Nickolas	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Quinto, Stephanie	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Reda, Ava	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Reyes-Guerra, Deanna	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Risi, Dawn	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$15.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Russo, Marilena	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Saitta, Suzann	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$15.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Salanitro, Benedict	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Salanitro, Rosemarie	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$17.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Salanitro, Samantha	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Salzano, Alexander	Recreation Attendant	Seasonal	10.00	6/7/2017	Rehire	Lake Isle
Santamaria, Lisa	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$8.00	6/21/2017	New	Rec
Scotton, Victoria	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$14.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Scriveo, Matthew	Head Lifeguard	Seasonal	11.00	6/7/2017	Rate	Lake Isle
Shearer, Michael	EMT	Seasonal	12.00	6/7/2027	New	Lake Isle
Staffin, Jacob	Head Lifeguard	Seasonal	11.00	6/7/2017	Rate	Lake Isle
Stephenson, Linnell	Recreation Attendant	Seasonal	10.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Sullivan, Daniel	Recreation Attendant	Seasonal	8.00	6/7/2017	Rehire	Lake Isle
Summer, Breyton	Recreation Attendant	Seasonal	10.00	6/7/2017	Rate	Lake Isle
Sweeney, John	Lifeguard	Seasonal	9.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Tartaglia, Sarah	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$11.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Tiso, Sophia	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$9.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Trevisan, Pamela	Lifeguard	Seasonal	9.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Veltri, Joseph	Head Lifeguard	Seasonal	11.00	6/7/2017	Rate	Lake Isle
Wilkins, Martin	Rec Attendant	Seasonal	\$9.00	6/21/2017	Rehire	Rec
Yozzo, Robert	Recreation Attendant	Seasonal	8.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle
Zingarò, Nicholas	Recreation Attendant	Seasonal	8.00	6/7/2017	New	Lake Isle

On the roll call, all voted "AYE." Motion carried.

B) MEMORANDUM FROM COMPTROLLER RE: GUIDELINES FOR EASTCHESTER SENIOR CENTER

Supervisor Colavita offered a motion that was seconded by Councilman Marcoccia to approve the following Guidelines for Town of Eastchester Senior Centers:

**TOWN OF EASTCHESTER
GUIDELINES FOR SENIOR CENTERS**

We provide many services which include a noontime hot nutritious meal, nutrition education, transportation, information and referral, socialization, health screening, cultural, recreational and educational programs.

To insure your greatest satisfaction with the program, the following guidelines have been established.

Persons must be:

1. Age 60 years or older or in the company of an eligible spouse.
2. Able to function independently in an ambulatory setting or need minimal assistance.
3. Able to become a part of a group activities setting.

Help us to help you:

1. Please consult the menu before making a reservation.
2. You are responsible to make a reservation at least one day in advance.
This reservation reserves a meal for you.
3. Food exceptions for dietary laws will be made where possible. If you cannot eat certain foods for medical reasons, a physician's note is required.
4. To cancel your reservation, you must notify any of the Senior Centers at least one day in advance.
5. Chronic cancellations and no shows without sufficient reason could affect your participation in the program.

6. Seating at the Centers is on an open basis.

Personal Care:

1. The Centers suggests that participants wear clean clothes, bathe daily, be neatly shaven, and use deodorant.
2. In a social setting, you are responsible for your own daily personal hygiene.
3. You are urged not to attend the Centers with sore throats, colds, fever, skin infections or gastro intestinal (stomach virus) or any possibly contagious ailment.
4. Failure to adhere to personal cleanliness guidelines creates a health hazard, is offensive to other members, and could affect your participation in the program.

Donations and Contributions:

1. Your contributions are useful for the support of the Senior Centers.
2. The suggested meal contribution for residents is \$3.00 and non-residents is \$4.00.
3. No one 60 years or older is denied lunch due to inability to pay.
4. Transportation to and from the Centers is provided on a contribution basis for residents.

Holiday, Party, Program and Trip Reservations:

1. To participate in special events, you must attend the Centers on a regular basis, two or more times a week.
2. We make reservations for trips for regular participants on a first come, first serve basis.

The Program is Not Designed to be Most Beneficial to Individuals in the Following Circumstances:

1. Tendency to be violent and exhibit physically or verbally abusive behavior.
2. Extreme mental impairment, including serious memory loss that produces behavior requiring one to one supervision.
3. Wanders from the site without responsibility for their actions.
4. Unable to ambulate independently at the Centers.
5. Unable to safely access the Centers transportation.
6. Chronically incontinent.
7. Eligible for outpatient mental health care at another facility.
8. Resident at a skilled care or health related facility.

Disruptive Behavior:

1. Failure to be courteous will result in your being asked to leave the Senior Centers. When a participant's behavior adversely affects the operation of any of the Centers or Lake Isle Country Club and other participants, the staff persons supervising the Senior Centers have the responsibility and obligation to remove the participant from the activity.
2. Unacceptable behavior includes the following:
 - a. Taking another participant's possessions.
 - b. Swearing and the use of abuse or offensive language.
 - c. Abusive or threatening behavior such as pushing, shoving, hitting, etc.
 - d. The distribution of offensive materials
 - e. The program reserves the right to contact appropriate law enforcement agencies when the situation warrants such action.

If a participant's behavior hinders the daily activities, endangers the welfare of the group or any member of the group, or reflects adversely on the Town of Eastchester he/she will be prohibited from participating in activities through the Eastchester Senior Center at Lake Isle or any other of its locations. This is at the sole discretion of the Town of Eastchester, its employees and Town Board.

In the event that any participant is prohibited from attending the Eastchester Senior Center at Lake Isle or any other of its locations due to any of the reasons listed above, such individual shall be notified by letter from the Town of Eastchester. Further, upon receipt of such letter they will have the right to appeal such determination.

On the roll call, all voted "AYE." Motion carried.

C) MEMORANDUM FROM SUPERINTENDENT OF RECREATION RE: AWARDING OF 2017 BUS SERVICE CONTRACT

On Tuesday, May 30, 2017 at 11:00 a.m., the bids for the 2017 Bus Service Bid for the Summer Day Camps were opened and read aloud in the Office of the Town Clerk. There were three (3) bidders and their unit prices and bid totals are incorporated into the summary sheet below.

RECEIPT OF BIDS FOR **BUS BID 2017** FOR THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT OF THE TOWN OF EASTCHESTER, NEW YORK ON **MAY 30, 2017 at 11:00 a.m.**

NAME OF VENDOR		TOTAL AMOUNT OF BID	5% Bid Bond
1.	Service Bus Tours 756 Nepperhan Avenue P. O. Box 1073 Yonkers, NY 10703 Att: Salvatore Di Paolo, President 914-423-3200 Fax 914-423-3251 *Bid Awarded	a. \$13,150.00 b. \$13,855.00 c. \$18,350.00 d. \$19,160.00 \$64,515.00	Bid Bond
2.	Hudson Valley Charter Service, Inc. 6 Dogwood Road Cortlandt Manor, NY 10567 914-788-1000 Att: Ernest Knippenberg	a. 0 b. 0 c. \$13,500.00 Coach Bus Trips d. \$13,500.00 Coach Bus Trips	No Bid Bond or Check
3.	Royal Coach Lines 1010 Nepperhan Avenue Yonkers, NY 10703 914-733-7009 Att: Steven DiPaolo, President	a. \$18,522.00 b. \$15,360.00 c. \$ 7,632.00 – No Coach Bus d. \$10,176.00 – No Coach Bus	Check \$2,584.50

Councilman Marcoccia offered a motion that was seconded by Councilman Dooley to approve a RESOLUTION – that the 2017 Bus Service Bid Contract be awarded to the lowest bidder of Service Bus Tours 756 Nepperhan Avenue, Yonkers, NY 10703 for \$64,515.00.

On the roll call, all voted "AYE." Motion carried.

D) MEMORANDUM FROM POLICE CHIEF RE: AWARDING OF 2017 POLICE LOCKER ROOM BID CONTRACT

On Tuesday, May 23, 2017 the bids for the 2017 Police Locker Room Renovation Project were read aloud in the Town Clerk's Office. There was one bidder; L. Palumbo Contracting, Eastchester, NY. The bid totaled \$152,200.

Councilman Bellitto offered a motion that was seconded by Councilman Marcoccia to approve a RESOLUTION to award the 2017 Police Locker Room Renovation Project to L. Palumbo Contracting, Inc.

On the roll call, all voted "AYE." Motion carried.

E) MEMORANDUM FROM POLICE CHIEF RE: INTER MUNICIPAL AGREEMENT WITH THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER FOR POLICE INSTRUCTORS

Per a request from Police Chief Timothy Bonci, Supervisor Colavita offered a motion that was seconded by Councilwoman Nicholson to approve a RESOLUTION to enter into an Inter Municipal Agreement with the County of Westchester for police instructors. The agreement allows Police Departments throughout the County to send instructors to the Police Academy to assist in the training of new recruits and will be effective March 20, 2017 – March 20, 2022.

On the roll call, all voted "AYE." Motion carried.

IX. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

X. COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS

Councilman Marcoccia stated that Lake Isle membership continues and the office hours are 9am-5pm Monday through Friday. The pool hours through June 23rd are weekdays 12pm-6pm and weekends 10am -6pm.

Councilman Marcoccia announced Mulino's At Lake Isle is having a Summer Dance & Barbecue on Friday, July 21st, with doors opening at 7pm. For reservations: MulinosDance.EventBrite.com

Councilman Bellitto noted the Eastchester Memorial Ceremony held at Eastchester High School on Sunday evening, May 28th was dignified, and quite moving. He said it was great to see Eastchester, Tuckahoe, and Bronxville celebrate the Memorial Day Weekend together.

Councilman Dooley announced the Eastchester Historical Society's Barbecue is to be held Saturday, June 10th at Town Hall from 3pm -7PM, and Eloise Morgan will be honored that day.

Councilwoman Nicholson announced The Eastchester Youth Council (EYC) Summer Theatre will perform its 33 year Anniversary Show "**Avenue Q**"- **School Edition** on August 4th and 5th at Tuckahoe High School. Students ages 13 to College graduation and are residents of Eastchester, Tuckahoe and Bronxville, are invited to join the cast, tech crew and orchestra tuition free. The next audition is Wednesday, June 13th at 7:00pm at Eastchester Town Hall. Please contact Bunny Rappaport at 914-760-2517 for more information.

Councilwoman Nicholson stated The Environmental Committee Green Festival is Saturday September 9th, and asks that you save the date. Also, Councilwoman Nicholson announced the Farmer's Market is in front of Country Market on Sundays from 10am – 3pm.

Supervisor Colavita attended the Eastchester Beautification Foundation meeting and stated they will be focusing on the Town Center and Gazebo Park across from Town Hall.

Supervisor Colavita noted he will be attending a final meeting with the Architect this week before going out to bid on the Community Center Building to be erected at Lake Isle.

Supervisor Colavita will be attending the meeting on the Consolidation Plan for Westchester County. The Supervisor stated the Town has been consolidating services for a decade and did not need the state's prompting to do so. He is excited to move forward.

The first round of improvements for the Eastchester Baseball League field is scheduled to be completed by the fall and include new dugouts, fencing in the outfield, and netting around the ballfield and home plate. This project is in conjunction with the Town, and the Supervisor thanks all those participating in the process, in particular the point person, Mario Dell'Aera.

SECOND OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THE BOARD

Charles Wieseahn spoke about the poor condition of the blacktop at the Leewood Tennis Court. The Supervisor stated the Town tried to make the court a playable surface by filling in the cracks, and the Town is contemplating and examining the reconstruction of brand new courts. Mr. Wieseahn also suggested a warm up wall, and the Supervisor said that he would consider that.

Mike Denning announced the Leroy Gregory Post barbecue is Saturday June 10th at 4pm, and the 3rd Annual Eastchester Cup, Irish vs Italian, will be held at Lake Isle.

Mike Denning inquired about the lawsuit at Lake Isle in the bathroom, and asked if anything was done to mitigate the wet floor. Town Attorney Louis Reda replied that there are mats in place, and that is all part of the litigation. He further reiterated that staff is there to maintain the bathrooms.

Mike Denning asked about the Police Bike Officer, and why it wasn't the Officer who rode 2 years in a row at the Police Unity Tour from Ground Zero to Washington DC on police week. He also asked what the Town is doing to retain police officers.

Chief Bonci said the Policeman that rode the Police Unity Tour was not interested in being the Bike Officer. The Town has hired a consultant to help with police retention, and Chief Bonci stated there are several factors involved, with one being increasing the starting salary of the Officers.

Supervisor Colavita asked that the meeting be adjourned with a moment of silence for all those Americans who lost their lives on D-DAY. The meeting was adjourned at 8:40pm.

Minutes prepared by:
Mary T Swikata
Deputy Town Clerk