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Mayor Samwick: Alright, so welcome.

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Mayor Samwick: To the may 12 2020 meeting of the scars still Village Board.

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Mayor Samwick: Was Conklin Roll call, please.

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Trustee Arest: Yes, here.

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Village Clerk Conkling: Is the current on

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Trustee Crandall: Here.

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Mostly those

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Village Clerk Conkling: Trustee Ross.

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00:17:48.180 --> 00:17:49.200
Village Clerk Conkling: That's the Baron

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00:17:49.590 --> 00:17:51.690
Village Clerk Conkling: Yeah. Trustee Wardman

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00:17:52.080 --> 00:17:53.910
Village Clerk Conkling: Here where Sam work.

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00:17:54.510 --> 00:17:57.840
Mayor Samwick: Here. Thank you. All rise for the pledge, please.

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00:18:01.980 --> 00:18:03.840
Mayor Samwick: pledge allegiance to the flag.

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Mayor Samwick: Of the United States of America.

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Mayor Samwick: And to the republic for which it stands.

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Mayor Samwick: One nation.

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Trustee Ross: Under God

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Mayor Samwick: Indivisible, with liberty and

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Mayor Samwick: Made a motion to approve the minutes of the village board meeting of April 28

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Trustee Crandall: And moved

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Trustee Ross: All second

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Mayor Samwick: All in favor.

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Aye.

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you to St. Louis, I believe you had bills.

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Trustee Lewis: Or yes, I do. Um, regarding bills. I have examined the payments which were made in advance of a board of trustees audit totally 811,000 \$997 and 89 cents and found them to be an order and move the such famous be ratified.

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Trustee Crandall: And

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00:18:51.810 --> 00:18:52.500
Mayor Samwick: All in favor.

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Aye.

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Trustee Lewis: Also, um, I have audited. The abstract of claims dated May 12 2020

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Trustee Lewis: In the amount of 250 \$2,001 90 cents, which includes \$124 and 62 cents of library claims previously audited by a trustee of the library board.

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Trustee Lewis: I found the claims to be an order and I move that they be approved for payment. I have found claim to the amount of thought 39,006 oh 958 require additional documentation and should be paid at a later date.

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00:19:23.160 --> 00:19:23.670
Trustee Crandall: Second,

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Mayor Samwick: All in favor.

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00:19:26.370 --> 00:19:27.270
Trustee Ross: Aye. Aye.

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00:19:28.620 --> 00:19:30.750
Mayor Samwick: Thank you to St. Louis. Thank you.

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Mayor Samwick: I'd like to start with an update on the pandemic Westchester County has had 31,384 cumulative positive cases of Cogan 19 or about 9.3% by the statewide total

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Mayor Samwick: Devastation devastatingly the county has seen 1227 fatalities.

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Mayor Samwick: That is 1227 people that were here, two months ago and have been lost to this disease.

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Mayor Samwick: We all know people were included in this staggering number and we are worse off for their departure.

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Mayor Samwick: One small modicum of positive news and the statistic is that the county's fatalities total 5.7% of the statewide total well below our percentage of positive cases.

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Mayor Samwick: Now moving on to Scarsdale the villages had 345 positive Corona cases, the county executive has been tracking what he calls active cases.

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Mayor Samwick: By subtracting the number of cases that we had two weeks ago. The assumption behind behind this methodology is that cases usually resolve within two weeks, based on the county executives methodology Scarsdale is down to only six positive covert cases.

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Mayor Samwick: Please keep in mind that all of the statistics. I just shared are based on reported positive test results. There are a few reasons to believe

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Mayor Samwick: That the reported statistics under represent the actual number of cases. First, not all positive cases are tested. Second, not all tested results may make the State Department of Health list, including tests that occurred out of the state or out of the county

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Mayor Samwick: From the start of the pandemic, it was clear that that just that the statistics were not fully capturing the number of positive cases.

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Mayor Samwick: While that remains frustrating important information remains in the data. We do have, namely a trend and that is unambiguously positive

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Mayor Samwick: Based on the positive trends. The governor has started the process of opening segments of the economy in portions of the state.

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Mayor Samwick: The governor has announced seven metrics that will dictate when the economy may start to reopen including hospital and infection data and trends as well as testing and tracing capacity.

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Mayor Samwick: Westchester County has satisfied. Five of the seven metrics and expects to meet the remaining two criteria within the coming weeks, we do not have a more specific timeline at this at this point.

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Mayor Samwick: Once a region is cleared to start opening its economy, there will be a four phased reopening of businesses, starting with lower infection and higher acronym act economic impact industries, including manufacturing construction and retail first curbside pickup.

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Mayor Samwick: New York State Westchester County and Scarsdale have fared better than original projections of covert impacts the single most important reason for the relatively positive performance is that we have collectively listened to the governor and restricted our movement and social interaction.

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Mayor Samwick: As we enter the next phase of addressing the pandemic. It is just as important that we follow the governor's direction.

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Mayor Samwick: I have found that the governor's New York forward a guide to reopening New York and building back better to be a useful document to understand the reopening process you will be able to find the document on the village website on the coven 19 page should you wish to review it.

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Mayor Samwick: Please continue to wear facemasks wash your hands social distance and comply with the governor's guidelines, we will continue to have better outcomes if we comply, our continued progress and ability to open more segments of our economy is directly linked to our cooperation.

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Mayor Samwick: Now moving on to school taxes. The town of Scarsdale is the billing and collection agent for real estate taxes paid to the school district.

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Mayor Samwick: Historically school taxes have been collected once a year with a September 30 due date.

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Mayor Samwick: Today village received a letter from the school board president in support of a transition to a two installment collection of school taxes with collections.

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Mayor Samwick: In January.

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Mayor Samwick: This topic has been discussed periodically in Scarsdale at this time of strong economic impacts resulting from Kota 19

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Mayor Samwick: We are all seeking ways to make it easier for residents to meet their tax obligations through austerity spending measures.

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Mayor Samwick: Establishment of reserve funds reduce tax increases spread out payments and other measures.

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Mayor Samwick: The Village Board has not yet had an opportunity to discuss any proposed change to the collection of school taxes. The Village Board has steadfastly expressed its desire to provide relief to residents during this very difficult economic time

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Mayor Samwick: I propose that staff prepare an analysis of the impacts of the proposed change and collection of school taxes and that the board conduct a work session on this topic. Prior to the regularly scheduled Village Board meeting on May 26

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Mayor Samwick: There will be fiscal and operational impacts associated with the proposed change and it is important for the Village Board to have sufficient information to make an educated decision on this matter.

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Mayor Samwick: To provide staff with a sense of the board's initial thoughts on the proposed change and collection of school taxes, I invite any board member who wishes to do so to share a summary of their initial comments on the matter now.

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Mayor Samwick: All those who wish to comment on it.

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Mayor Samwick: Please feel free or raise hands. I think actually we all have the ability to speak so

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Mayor Samwick: Let me just see.

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Mayor Samwick: Trust era. So if it refers to reserve and

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Trustee Arest: Making America.

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Trustee Arest: I firmly believe that this board is united in the idea that as Scarsdale trustees, we need to continue doing everything we can, that is responsible to help our residents during this unbelievably challenging time

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Trustee Arest: My preference is always to search for strategies that maximize impact on those most in need, while minimizing the increase to the budget shortfall that we will face in the coming months and potentially years as much as possible.

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Trustee Arest: In regard to the school tax and stolen issue as the school board has stated they can accept the budget implications this year and into the future.

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Trustee Arest: We should certainly proceed with moving two installments. But with the understanding that the change will have impacts on our budget as well and we must be prepared.

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Trustee Arest: As our village property tax buildings billing date draws near, it is time to consider formal actions.

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Trustee Arest: At the very least, and as soon as possible. We should make a request under Section 925 eight to have new york RP TL which anticipate the potential need for

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Trustee Arest: Delay in tax payments without interest or penalty during a state disaster or emergency

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Trustee Arest: Such an emergency was declared an executive order 202 and therefore, assuming there are no objections from this board it falls to the mayor and village manager to make such a request to the governor in writing.

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Trustee Arest: There are other less probable options also requiring executive orders, but just because we may not be successful does not mean that we should not at least try.

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Trustee Arest: We also have the ability to re examine some of our village policies and fees in many areas, but especially relating to our Recreation Department and also village center which trustee there on has been hard at work on

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Trustee Arest: Bottom line, anything we can do for our most impacted residents and merchants must continue to be discussed and if responsible and achievable, you should act, I very much look forward to discussing all ideas at our next work session. Thank you.

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you trust your asked, I believe, trust you. Crandall is next.

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Trustee Crandall: YES, THANK YOU MAYOR AND

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Trustee Crandall: You know, in terms of the possibility of a second school. School tax payment in January. I'm certainly in favor of that I'm sure that will help many people

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Trustee Crandall: I know that some folks, you know, receive you know the rest of their compensation in January and this will certainly help people plan. But of course, you know, nothing's ever as simple as it seems. And I need to learn more about what our an extra administrative costs might be

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Trustee Crandall: You know if there's any way to recoup at least some of those. And what do our neighboring villages. Do you know what what can happen.

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Trustee Crandall: I know that in the state of in on our town here up in Vermont and pulled me Vermont. We have the option to pay our taxes and four installments.

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Trustee Crandall: And we're given a 2% incentive. I don't believe that type of thing is legal in New York. But if if there's some way perhaps for us to recoup our extra administrative costs, which I'm sure there are

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Trustee Crandall: That's something I'd like to hear more about and discuss with with my fellow trustees and legal counsel, of course. So thank you so much, glad we're looking into this

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you trust your Crandall I believe trustee Lewis's next

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Trustee Lewis: Thank you. Um, I think this is a very, very important initiative and I'd like to second. The themes laid out by trust the artist.

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Trustee Lewis: We're suffering through the greatest economic crisis since the Depression.

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Trustee Lewis: And it's not just an economic crisis, it's a threat to people's very existence, their families, their livelihoods their loved ones.

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Trustee Lewis: And and to the maximum extent possible, it's incumbent upon us to find ways to provide people with financial relief and financial flexibility so that they can manage through this in the best possible way.

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Trustee Lewis: That they can I think incumbent upon us to ensure that we're doing that responsibly and as stewards.

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Trustee Lewis: Of the village, we need more analysis, we need to understand how these permutations and how the change in our cash flows impacts our reserves. Our reserves. Our rainy day fund.

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Trustee Lewis: Their the financial cushion upon which we rest upon which the stability of our village and our ability to provide essential services rest.

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Trustee Lewis: So I think we need to model out these potential changes the impact changing cash flows has on trough reserve levels and determine

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Trustee Lewis: Sort of, sort of the point beyond which we shall not go even under worst case scenarios and then and then be as innovative as we possibly can.

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Trustee Lewis: To provide our neighbors with relief you know i think it's it's it's important to note that you know we we are stewards of a nonpartisan system where we're asked to be technocratic and approach to be to be

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Trustee Lewis: Managerial in our mindset and and when this system was crafted 100 years ago it was it was with

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Trustee Lewis: A very revolutionary idea that that if we as neighbors come together in this nonpartisan matter, we can focus on the details of governance.

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Trustee Lewis: I think this is another time for us to to be both evolutionary and revolutionary, just as the nonpartisan system was 100 years ago a breakthrough.

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Trustee Lewis: I think this is a moment for us to challenge ourselves is how we can be most technocratic and innovative in our approach to help our neighbors with the relief that they need. So I think the quicker and the more analytical, we can approach this, the better.

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you trust your Lewis trust you burn.

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Trustee Veron: Thank you, mayor. I just wanted to lend my voice to the comments made by my colleagues, which I agree with, these are extraordinarily difficult times for our residents and I am

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Trustee Veron: 100% in favor of doing what we can ease the burden on taxpayers, I support the recommendation from the school board and I look forward to the opportunity to sort through

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Trustee Veron: The operational fiscal and other implications with this board. We need to as a trustee Lewis just so definitely explain, we need to look at plans to mitigate

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Trustee Veron: Impact and to assess impact and and then as trustee ours had mentioned, I'm very much in favor of exploring any and all options.

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Trustee Veron: Available to us to help hardship cases throughout the village and actually trustee Crandall also offer a great suggestion. So I

really appreciate the Great thinking of the board and the collaborative spirit. Thank you.

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you for us to grow, I echo all of the comments that were made. I think that, you know, we've been very clear in terms of our focus on on trying to help taxpayers our residents, our neighbors.

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Mayor Samwick: In any way that we can, and this is certainly one opportunity to do that. So I look forward to having more discussion about that in two weeks time

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Mayor Samwick: That concludes mayor's comments as expanded to trustees and manager, your comments.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Thank you, Mayor

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Couple items tonight.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: The first one has to do with

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Our required annual reporting of our stormwater phase two program for the previous year.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Village attorney David guesses with us tonight.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: To provide us with that information, just to introduce the topic.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: It was the year 2000 that the Federal EPA promulgated rules, establishing its face to National Pollutant discharge elimination system stormwater program.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: The face to rule required all operators of what we refer to as Ms force, which stands for municipal separate storm sewer systems.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: With populations under 100,000 residents to implement a stormwater management program. People ask sometimes, why is it, why is it stoneware to phase two. What's Phase one or Phase one

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Where the larger cities in the country. The goal of the program was to reduce

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Village Manager Pappalardo: And still is polluted storm water discharges from these MS for us to local streams and rivers and ultimately ending up in navigable waters.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Of the federal government. These pollutants can impair the waterways, thereby discouraging recreational use of the resource.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Contaminating drinking water supplies and interfering with the habitat of fish other organic organisms and wildlife.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Operators of these regulated MS force that's us are required to design their programs to reduce the discharge of pollutants to the maximum extent practicable.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Implementation requires a development of implementation of best management practices and the achievement of measurable goals to satisfy

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Each of six identified minimum control measures when David goes over the reporting. I'll talk about what we've done on each one of these six but just quickly their public education and outreach.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Public participation and involvement elicit discharge detection and elimination construction site runoff control post construction runoff control and pollution prevention and good housekeeping.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: As an MS for the village much report. Anyways, I mentioned to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Who administers this phase two program, on behalf of the federal EPA, the report detail Scarsdale implementation of our reporting goals.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: And our best management practices for all six of these minimum measures the report must be filed with the state by June 1 each year and I said mentioned be reported publicly at a village board meeting, and that is tonight.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: A copy of the report is always filed with the village clerk's office, which isn't going to help folks who may want to read it currently with the village hall being close to the public.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: But we also post it on the website. And if anybody has an interest, they can find it there. So David, I'll turn it over to you and you can give the board, a little more detail as to

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Village Manager Pappalardo: How we met these these goals and objectives for each, each one of these six minimum control measures in the last

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Program year. Thank you.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Getting good evening, everybody.

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Village Engineer Goessl: As the village manager has previously mentioned as a community where the numbers for the village is required to submit

our annual report by June 1 to the New York State DC to demonstrate compliance for all six women measures.

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Village Engineer Goessl: This year's report was prepared with assistance from consultant engineer doc Redfield engineering with input provided by public works building engineering and administrative staff.

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Village Engineer Goessl: A summary of the storm water of the villages continued stormwater management program with respect to the six middle measures is as follows.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Middle measure one, which is the public education and outreach component this category is intended to inform the public about negative impacts to divulge a storm water system, the electric kiosk in the village, Bobby.

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Village Engineer Goessl: As seen behind Deputy Manager.

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Village Engineer Goessl: His screenshot continues to show informational slides that repeat on segments of loops storm water related posters placed in the billboard located adjacent to us. Post Office on special place continues to target pedestrians in the village center.

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Village Engineer Goessl: In from informative pamphlets and flyers located in the first floor village hall on recycling hazardous waste disposal pesticides, fertilizers, pet waste.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Recycling flood protection and what a conservation are all available while village stormwater permanent procedures informative tips and winks to key references are located on the stormwater management section of the villages website.

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Village Engineer Goessl: The informing the village those residents of leaf mulching activities and receiving voluntary participants is continuing to provide benefits to the drainage system by reducing the bond with leaves that may answer system.

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Village Engineer Goessl: This information was passed on to residents in an annual mailing to 5600 households from the sanitation divisional public works.

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Village Engineer Goessl: On additionally informational science previously installed at the libraries rain garden and distance learning and tagging of municipal catch basins are other examples of public education outreach.

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Village Engineer Goessl: The scout government day also qualifies as another form of public education outreach which which is performed annually.

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Village Engineer Goessl: We don't measure to which is public involvement and participation.

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Village Engineer Goessl: This middle and measure takes the next step in education and gets the public involved in those don't want to management.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Examples of this measure of the following activities.

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Village Engineer Goessl: The village hosting of Arbor Day plantings and parks and open spaces as well as sponsoring cleanup days throughout the Community is one for

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Village Engineer Goessl: The village through the Parks and Recreation Department continuing to encourage the residential participation in the county's rain harvesting program.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Through yourself rainbows is another form.

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Village Engineer Goessl: The recently developed food recycling program and the, the distribution of the mulch and product by Bill of sanitation

and public works staff continues to promote the public involvement through pollution control conservation and recycling.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And as the village manager mentioned presentation of this annual MS for report an open discussion before the Village Board of Trustees.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Is a another form of public participation as well as being a requirement of the permit.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And lastly, volunteer volunteer groups such as the Friends of Scottsdale parks and the conservation Advisory Council also continue to serve as public venues often promoting the message of the village, when it comes to environmental concerns education conservation and public Obama

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Village Engineer Goessl: Minimal most of your three which is talks about elicit discharge detection and elimination

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Village Engineer Goessl: under this category. The village documents and the annual and then the annual inspections of all our falls.

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Village Engineer Goessl: The awful is defined as a portion of the MS four separate storm water, sewer system with the discharges into an open water body or what. Of course, the villages Scarsdale has 44 documented alpha loss in the numeric Hudson River and Bronx River Valley watersheds.

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Village Engineer Goessl: All the false or maps and part of our GIS data set. And during this reporting period for the for the village engineering staff inspected and screen or 44 out false for abnormal dry weather flows, any kind of sense of contamination or require maintenance.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Building an engine engineering department staff are also trained in detecting elicit discharges and are continually inspecting properties throughout the course of business and especially those with open what of courses.

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Village Engineer Goessl: During this last reporting period on the village encountered for elicited discharges involving sanitary sewer which wastewaters

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Village Engineer Goessl: And all of which were discovered by private property owners and there was one situation where the village encountered a in oil spill as well.

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Village Engineer Goessl: One of the commercial properties, how the delivery and little bit oil spills and wind up in their, their interior drainage pit, which ultimately with discharge to the roadway and that was mitigated immediately. So

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Village Engineer Goessl: With that, I'm going to go to measure for which is called construction site stormwater runoff control.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And with this category and federal law construction activities that disturb more than 500 square feet of land.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Which is also reduced to 200 square foot in are sensitive drainage area require stormwater permits to the village and additionally all projects that disturb more than one acre of land require separate permit from New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

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Village Engineer Goessl: During this reporting period, there were five new

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Village Engineer Goessl: New York State permits authorized in the village, and there was a continuation of a previously issued Dec stormwater management permits that continue to operate.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And also in this category is on the monitoring active construction sites in the village. And we do this through several forms in one particular is prior to, prior to a heavy rain event.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Staff we send out an email blast to contract this with active construction projects in the village and the letter. Let's email reminds us to inspector still fencing and an asset tracking pads hay bales and shore up any other protective devices. They may have other properties.

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Village Engineer Goessl: With that we've got a minimum measure five which is post construction stormwater management.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And stormwater management systems.

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Village Engineer Goessl: That are installed as part of the state permit are required to the mat and maintained regularly.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And examples are the plantings. And what courses throughout George Hill Park Cooper green South Fox mental Harcourt woods and the library rain garden.

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Village Engineer Goessl: All these sites are continuously monitoring and maintained throughout the course of a year at any second and debris that's collected in these areas will be properly remove them disposed of.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Additional in this category. There's 34 catch bass and inserts that were installed a few years back.

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Village Engineer Goessl: That originally. Some of them. So as part of the library rainbow and project. They're also continually inspected and maintained by village cpw staff.

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Village Engineer Goessl: during pre storm events engineering public work staff also inspected national mandate open what of courses and channels.

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Village Engineer Goessl: For flood mitigation measures in part of this category also includes post construction.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Inspection to some of the capital projects and the restoration of George field park this past winter and the Catholic origin of

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Village Engineer Goessl: Crane Berkeley ponds and what courses and the detention based in two years ago are also projects that are continuously monitored for maintenance activity is required.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Lastly, bit of a measure six is the stormwater management program related to minister operations.

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Village Engineer Goessl: This category is what's referred to as a municipality housekeeping program.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And under this minimum measure the village. We had reported that 16 acres of parking lots, were swept and maintained throughout the village and 1620 miles of streets were swept

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Village Engineer Goessl: And 550 minutes we'll catch basins were service in house with our own jetpack machine and then with outside contracting forces and included in the 550 minutes we'll catch basins were 34 previously mentioned catch basin inserts.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Lastly, also falling in this category is staff training is one of the requirements that the DC likes to see performed annually.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And we have the report as October 22 of 2019 the village. We hosted a continual training seminar in rather rather for hall where 11 municipal staff members.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Receive formal training on stormwater management practices and this more than qualified for the year state DCMS for annual requirements. The course agenda and topics were discussed and discussion were provided by Dr Butterfield engineering and

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Village Engineer Goessl: And basically that's it that's summarizes our efforts for the atmosphere report and if anybody has questions, I'd be happy to answer.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: David, thank you for that comprehensive report, it's clear that, you know, compliance with this so stormwater phase two relations on an annual basis is is a major effort.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: By

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Village Manager Pappalardo: By the Public Works Department engineering and and the administration and it's it's a worthwhile undertaking and I think it keeps all of the municipalities on their toes.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: With regards to general housekeeping, but also with public education and outreach, which is always a very important part

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Of our phase two program. And I think we've we've, we've done a nice job over the years and making sure that our residents are understand

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Village Manager Pappalardo: You know the necessity of maintaining our source and our storm sewer system.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: And the CAC has always been a big help in that regard as well. So I appreciate it. Again, the report will be posted on the website.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: If anybody's interested in seeing it in whole mayor. I also had a another report here. I thought I would

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Provide a an update to what's been happening with cold at 19 related work in the administration.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: I was going to start to talk about what Governor Cuomo mentioned with his face for approach but you did a nice job of summarizing that so there's no reason to it for everyone else to have to listen to that again.

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you, Steve. Steve before it before you get into that part of the report.

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Mayor Samwick: It related question for David while we have in

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Mayor Samwick: You know, we know that we just recently executed.

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Mayor Samwick: An agreement to continue to do work in the Drake edge which section of town to evaluate the issues that are happening there and

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Mayor Samwick: And to see what we can do to try to to mitigate some of the issues. Can you give us a little sense of where that is and what kind of timeline, we should expect and and you know if it has started, how the how that's going

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Village Engineer Goessl: Yeah.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Sure, a little bit of background on that yet. I project on

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Village Engineer Goessl: As you recall we initiated dialogue, probably in November. I believe there's a meeting before the Board of Trustees.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And since then, we did move forward on

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Village Engineer Goessl: The board did except in authorize the professional services agreement with HTM which is our consultant that we've been using for the numeric value district.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And as of late the village. We had a head start to the study prior to that agreement on. We have an existing contract with national Waterman

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Village Engineer Goessl: It's a two year contract with a third year extension. So we were able to to get a head start in February early March on the on the cleaning and televising of the the system throughout the trick Edgewood

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Village Engineer Goessl: Sewer District, which is which is really the majority of the Hudson River Valley Sewer District in part of the Bronx River. So we got a head start on the CCTV work and televising and the videos. The reports have been coming in. We got about

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Village Engineer Goessl: 75% of the reports coming in via mail to my office and on Friday, we did follow the videos that we had on hand to HTM to start the process of

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Village Engineer Goessl: watching the videos evaluating the pipes and coming up with a an analysis for the integrity of the products.

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Village Engineer Goessl: There are signs of infiltration that were witness with the televising the groundwater table was sub somewhat elevated at the time. So we did find some good data.

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Village Engineer Goessl: There was a lot of maintenance activity performed as well a lot of balls were found in the pipe so so the maintenance element of it should be an added benefit to possibly some of the

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Village Engineer Goessl: Things that are being seen in that in that part of the community.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And that's really what we have accomplished so far. So moving forward. The next step would be for our consultant that part of the part of the

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Village Engineer Goessl: proposal was to do some theoretical modeling of the village system comparatively to the Trump Seward, which is located in the Hudson River and the next that task is starting to begin right now the consultant during his downtime is really starting that process and should have

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Village Engineer Goessl: An indication of whether or not the Trump's who are maybe undersized today. Today's day and age.

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Village Engineer Goessl: That the sewer was installed and I think about 1910 1911 and back then Scarsdale was basically all farmland an open space.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And I don't know if they ever upsize from that 10 to 12 inch diameter Trump's to work. Since then, we don't see any evidence of that. So that's part two.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And a lot of parts, three and four. There's going to be a couple, not so much flow monitoring devices, but more of a flow sensors on they're going to be. There's two of them identified

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Village Engineer Goessl: To be installed in strategic strategic areas of that system one probably on Barry road and a second one further downstream maybe closer to Johnson in that area. We were thinking

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Village Engineer Goessl: I would that once the data is reviewed with the review of the videos we would consider a smoke testing.

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Village Engineer Goessl: And possibly die testing throughout the neighborhood. So that'd be the latter part of the study. And I think all three parts should give us an indication

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Village Engineer Goessl: Of the three parts being the study the smoke testing and the review of the videos and the flow sensors would give us an indication of where the problem lies.

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Village Engineer Goessl: That system is also contiguous to the city of new shop the trucks over that is so

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Village Manager Pappalardo: David just, just to be clear that you the trunk sewer you're referring to is the county trunks or

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Village Engineer Goessl: The account and trucks that are correct.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Right, so we did the county's involved here because they are because they own the trunk line where the sewage goes from the villages collection system.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: On one side of the river and where they nourish shell city nourish shells. So which goes on the other side of the river so that trunk line is integral to being able to carry

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Village Manager Pappalardo: The sewage down to these treatment plants. And if that gets backed up and it's not cared for. We've got problems on our end

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Village Engineer Goessl: That's right. But this parallel flow is coming into from both sides and really

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Village Engineer Goessl: The thought is, we can help resolve our issues in our community, but also participation from New Rochelle should be part of the overall global

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Village Engineer Goessl: Solution finding for that neighborhood on we did reach out to New Rochelle and hopefully they could start revisiting their side of that trunk sore parallel to our study

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Mayor Samwick: And

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Mayor Samwick: David, what it. What's the county's role during all of this evaluation period. Are they actively engaged or are we going to go to them with results where, where do they come in.

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Village Engineer Goessl: Well, we did ask the county to to clean and flush the trunk sword. I believe in June of 2019 they actually went through.

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Village Engineer Goessl: With a contractor and did such thing. They remove some settlement and debris. Some grit from the pipe in some areas, we were told, we're maybe 25%

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Village Engineer Goessl: Accumulated with some solids which was removed and other not they're going to continue to monitor, I think, really, they have responsibility they understand the issues.

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Village Engineer Goessl: They became aware from the village repeatedly in 2011. We did a lot of work and put them on notice.

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Village Engineer Goessl: With our flow monitoring data that data was shared back then and I think now, they understand that we're going to embark and do a study and try to

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Village Engineer Goessl: See that if we can't find the results and then the improvements that could resolve the matter on our end, we're going to ask for them to participate and hopefully find a solution on their end

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Village Engineer Goessl: I mean, that's your ankle with nitasha also being a participant.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: That's

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Village Manager Pappalardo: That's the only way it can be done. David since we've got the three minutes apologies that are intricately involved in this. So that's the approach we've taken that's the approach we've taken from the beginning.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: And you know, I trust that this time around, we'll have better data and come up with some solution that can help.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: The folks on our side of the river, who are experiencing you know problems that we've already talked about.

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Mayor Samwick: Right, trusting, Louis, I believe, has a question or comment as well.

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Trustee Lewis: As well, first of all, I think we're very fortunate David to have such a extremely diligent presentation, obviously you're in complete command of your subject, and we are very well served and grateful to have you as our village engineer. I just want to state that

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Trustee Lewis: Also, I think, I think the mastery of detail that you showed

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Trustee Lewis: demonstrates the seriousness with which that we seek to be good stewards of the environment.

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Trustee Lewis: As well as good stewards of the health of our neighbors, the sewer project with regards to the being good stewards of the environment. I'll just note that

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Trustee Lewis: There's a growing movement, both in private finance and public finance regarding SG environmental, social and governance factors and how you evaluate evaluate

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Trustee Lewis: equity and debt issuers, we are a debt issue or should we, at some point time in the future, seek to issue debt.

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Trustee Lewis: It will be useful and very valuable for us to be able to in the way that you've just done lay out the ways that we are managing our environmental resources and the resources.

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Trustee Lewis: Of our of our village staff and team to protect and shepherd the environment for future generations. So this is just something we should give further thought to about how to showcase this work.

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Trustee Lewis: Because it's it's valuable, not just for the environment, but actually it can help us reduce the cost of capital.

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Trustee Lewis: Should we seek to issue debt at a later date, because there are investors who are looking for responsible stewards of the environment when they purchased municipal bonds. So thank you for your service.

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Trustee Lewis: Thank you.

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Mayor Samwick: Anybody else have questions or comments.

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Mayor Samwick: David. Thank you. Thank you very much. It was a very comprehensive and thoughtful presentation. Thank you. Thank

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Village Engineer Goessl: You pleasure. My pleasure. Thanks.

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David

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Okay, so

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Let's run through some of these things that we're that we're doing here at village hall, the administration, the mayor said, as I stated, you know, spoke about the the governor's some press conference that he had. I think it was yesterday.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: With regards to, you know, this phased approach to starting to reopen certain regions of the of the state.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: You know, three regions where tab. This time around. We're part of the mid Hudson Valley region.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: And we'll see how that progress is going forward. And I want to rehash what the mayor said

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Village Manager Pappalardo: But the existing closure.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: In the state.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Runs through the end of this week it's may 15 and we're still awaiting the governor's word as to whether or not

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Well, I think he's already intimated that it will be extended, but we just don't know through when so

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Village Manager Pappalardo: That's the next item that we're waiting for here at village hall. Suffice it to say that we're not in a position right now to open

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Village Manager Pappalardo: But we are certainly working towards that the government if if the government does close, as I said, and we expect that will be subject to that closure for that additional amount of time the village remains at roughly 50% of staffing levels on site. And that's what all the departments.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: The other employees, the so called non essential employees. I don't like that term, but it's a term of art now continue to assist from home, the laptop and phone

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Back to work plan in anticipation of some phase one opening by the governor in our region at sometime in the near future.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Will provide the necessary safeguards legal requirements and liability protections without being overly comprehensive

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Or too unwieldy and difficult for everyone to understand to implement. It's a, there's a, you know, there's a balancing act with

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Village Manager Pappalardo: With being comprehensive with with with these types of operations and making them. Simple enough. And so that people can understand what needs to be done. That's the trick.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Obviously, we're going to focus on human resources and operational components which are designed around employee safety and that of the public that's doing business with the village.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Now in advance of this eventual reopening we are in the process of implementing a plan to begin accepting to building permit applications. While village hall remains closed.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: we've purchased a few large receptacles which will be placed out front of the village hall for the plans to be dropped off building department staff will retrieve daily and begin the review process. We hope to implement this plan this week or next and

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Rob call are our public information officers working with our building inspector now in a press release to inform the residents and the, you know, local land use professionals have this opportunity.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: All plan review documents submitted to the village prior to the closing ability has been reviewed.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: And comments provided to the applicants this work during the village hall closure has facilitated the opportunity to accept these additional applications that I'm discussing

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Village Manager Pappalardo: concurrent with this program. The village land use sports will commence meeting monthly via zoom to review applications.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: All three boards are scheduled to meet to deliberate on pending application scheduled on their respective agendas prior to closure.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Planning Board is meeting on May 27 the board of architectural review is meeting on June 1 and the Zoning Board of appeals is meeting on June 10

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Village Manager Pappalardo: The building department has been in contact with the applicants.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Which were held over one of the village hall was closed. As I mentioned, we will continue to fill the land use board agendas on a first in first out basis to hope and hope to continue these monthly board meetings, land use board meetings via zoom

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Village Manager Pappalardo: If the permits that we get in or the applications we get in, do not require land use board review and approval. We will review them and issue building permits as applicable.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: And I can grow into accepting these new building permits. We will also start performing title searches for homeowners and realtors for timely completion of home sales and transfers since been

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Some of these have gotten backed up. We've gotten some calls from local realtors, and you know, we're going to try to move this forward.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: It's difficult because the title companies come in and the realtors come in and spend a lot of time in village hall.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Going through the records. This includes both the treasurer's office for water bills and tax payments and

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Village Manager Pappalardo: And the building department as it relates to open permits and violations. So those two departments are going to work together to provide this information.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: For the realtors for the title companies and our village attorney was asked to draft a disclaimer and dem to find the village, have any liability relative to the accuracy of the information provided

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Which would otherwise be performed by these folks, it'll be signed and return to the village and any associated fees for reproducing any necessary documents that are required.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Would be requested and paid for before. Before we provided the documents and just want to make sure that the village.

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01:01:01.200 --> 01:01:09.840

Village Manager Pappalardo: You know, don't get ourselves in any problems with liability issues should this information not be, you know, not be accurate in their problems will at some at some home closing

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01:01:10.950 --> 01:01:14.220

Village Manager Pappalardo: But we're happy to provide that service and get started again with assisting them.

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01:01:15.450 --> 01:01:16.710

Village Manager Pappalardo: Relative to land use.

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01:01:17.940 --> 01:01:24.270

Village Manager Pappalardo: Village planner Elizabeth Maryland is scheduled to retire as of May 21 and she will be replaced by Gregory Kotler

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01:01:25.230 --> 01:01:33.660

Village Manager Pappalardo: Current planning director for the village of mamaroneck there's a Caitlyn, we'll start with a village on June 1 Liz has agreed to stay until Greg arrives.

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01:01:34.470 --> 01:01:40.200

Village Manager Pappalardo: We've got that planning board meeting on May 27. So Liz will be there and hopefully Greg can join her that night.

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01:01:41.160 --> 01:01:47.550

Village Manager Pappalardo: She's agreed to stay until your horizon and overlap for a few weeks to provide a proper orientation and handoff.

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01:01:48.540 --> 01:02:02.220

Village Manager Pappalardo: So I would just ask everyone to join me in thanking Liz for her 20 years of dedicated professional service to the village and wish her well into retirement, and we'll be sure to properly. Welcome, Greg. Upon his arrival. The first of next month.

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01:02:04.200 --> 01:02:19.200

Village Manager Pappalardo: As far as assessments concerned. Our assessor Victoria serota and staff have been hard at work, completing the tentative assessment role, which must be filed by June 1 the role would be noticed in the enquirer and posted on the village website by June one

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Village Manager Pappalardo: In person doing of the role is unavailable, as long as village hall is closed, Victoria will make yourself available by appointment to taxpayers from June one through June 12

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Via zoom or by phone, and this will be part of our outreach and messaging to the community if they want to speak with her, they can they can set schedule an appointment via zoom or by phone to discuss their individual assessments.

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01:02:45.210 --> 01:02:53.970

Village Manager Pappalardo: This if this opportunity and successful, we may head off some of the grievances that will eventually be filed a grievance applications are available online.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Grievance day statutorily schedule for the third Tuesday in June this year it's June 16, this will be held via zoom as well.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: The Board of assessment review will sit for three separate sessions from 10am to noon to 4pm and six to 8pm

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Or grievance applications must be received before the assessment board adjourns on this date.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: appointments to meet with the board on grievance. They are being scheduled by assessor's office staff phone number seven, two to 1133

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01:03:24.900 --> 01:03:29.130

Village Manager Pappalardo: And as I mentioned, the press releases forthcoming. So our residents and our taxpayers have

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01:03:29.880 --> 01:03:36.360

Village Manager Pappalardo: Opportunities to better understand what I'm talking about here and avail themselves of the options that they have to discuss their senses.

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01:03:36.690 --> 01:03:45.930

Village Manager Pappalardo: The assessments. Once that tentative role is filed and posted on June one, anyone who has their assessment change will get a change of assessment letter as well.

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01:03:48.060 --> 01:03:55.410

Village Manager Pappalardo: I should note that the Governor has provided for the extension of the June 1 tentative, roll, roll, filing date and grievance day by local option.

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01:03:56.070 --> 01:04:09.930

Village Manager Pappalardo: The assessor village attorney and I reviewed and discussed and the assessor additionally discuss discuss with the

Assessment Review Board via zoom meeting and all parties believed it best to maintain the existing assessment calendar.

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01:04:11.160 --> 01:04:18.750

Village Manager Pappalardo: Donna's with us tell you a little bit about what's going on in her office focusing on parking permit sales, which you're going to commence in June.

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01:04:20.010 --> 01:04:26.400

Village Manager Pappalardo: public notice on details will be provided within the next week or so we've we're working on that right now.

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01:04:27.240 --> 01:04:35.400

Village Manager Pappalardo: Applications will be accepted via mail or Dropbox. Only we won't accept them at all during closure and really afterwards as well.

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01:04:35.760 --> 01:04:44.400

Village Manager Pappalardo: assuming we're going to be under some continued social distancing requirements. If any of you have been in village hall when those permits go on sale. We've got long lines.

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01:04:44.850 --> 01:04:50.730

Village Manager Pappalardo: And people on top of each other. And we're just not comfortable with that at this point. And we'd like to get them in the habit of

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01:04:51.120 --> 01:05:01.440

Village Manager Pappalardo: Of doing these electronically. Anyhow, so we're going to try it one benefit with the license plate reader in place now is that we no longer have to issue paper permits.

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01:05:01.920 --> 01:05:09.480

Village Manager Pappalardo: which complicates matters as the as the vehicle, the permitted vehicle license plate is effectively the permanent. So that's worked out well.

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01:05:09.780 --> 01:05:16.230

Village Manager Pappalardo: And I don't want to get into details of what we're gonna do. We're gonna have some, you know, our lotteries right Donna, with some of these, but

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01:05:16.680 --> 01:05:27.720

Village Manager Pappalardo: What's in the works. And we're working it out and we are very hopeful that are commuting population here will be well served with their permits and and get to use them in short order.

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01:05:30.060 --> 01:05:35.580

Village Manager Pappalardo: As far as elections are concerned you folks probably all know this, but you know we got some information on

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01:05:36.060 --> 01:05:44.340

Village Manager Pappalardo: The school budget election is scheduled for June 9 the absentee ballot. The primary election for the Democratic presidential candidates are scheduled for June 23

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Village Manager Pappalardo: That election is run by Westchester County village hall is usually used as a polling place so village hall is still closed on June 23

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01:05:54.840 --> 01:06:09.960

Village Manager Pappalardo: Val complicate things a bit the county is going to need to find an alternative polling location which Donna's prepared to help them do, and we'll see how that works out. And of course the village election was recently be scheduled by the governor for September 15

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Was originally scheduled for what Donna march 16

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Village Clerk Conkling: Of March at

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Anything.

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Village Clerk Conkling: And then we moved to June and now earns temper.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: September 15 is the date now.

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01:06:26.190 --> 01:06:36.330

Village Manager Pappalardo: Talk a little bit about recreation, or rec superintendent continues to closely track expenses consult with service

vendors and review and consider guidance from state and county governments and local recreation professionals.

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01:06:36.780 --> 01:06:42.060

Village Manager Pappalardo: Regarding our summer and really now we're starting to look at the fall programs to determine our ability to offer them.

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01:06:42.570 --> 01:06:52.020

Village Manager Pappalardo: To date, there have been no clear decisions from the Governor or county and this would be the health department at the county on summer day camp and swimming pool openings.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Are deadline to make a decision. Prior to committing non recoverable funds is over the next five business days due to lead times to plan for each of these programs.

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01:07:04.470 --> 01:07:20.880

Village Manager Pappalardo: Regarding the pool, a total of \$30,064 has been expensive which 25,461 is recoverable because the items purchase can be used for the 2021 season any event, we do not open in 2020

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01:07:21.480 --> 01:07:29.220

Village Manager Pappalardo: Today de winter ization of the complex out of expensive about 40 \$600 is the only non recoverable expense, as it relates to the pool.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: clock is ticking on day camp as well. We need to organize the seasonal counseling staff and determine enrollment.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: With social distancing still very much a part of our lives, it will be difficult to run a day camp and open pool without some relaxing of the current six foot requirement.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: A handful of Westchester municipalities have already canceled their day camps and fool openings.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: In the mayor and I have spoken about both camp and pool is recreational outlets and activities for children and families and the potential return to normalcy.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: However, neither of these programs can be offered at the flip of a switch and are seasonal and and time sensitive will hold out as long as we can.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: On the good news side. At least I think it is the recent the governance recent executive order provided for tennis court play and the rep rec department is working towards opening the tennis court soon in anticipation of some allowance.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: By the state, both the hard true and hard surface courts have been prepared and are ready for play

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01:08:33.120 --> 01:08:49.740

Village Manager Pappalardo: Staff is in the process of reviewing the United States Tennis Association is coded 19 safety recommendations and establishing protocols and lining up tennis attendance prior to notifying notifying current permit holders and announcing on the website but but that's coming along shortly.

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01:08:51.240 --> 01:08:56.460

Village Manager Pappalardo: We've got it. We've got to reduce them some documentation that was provided to us today by the Recreation Department

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Village Manager Pappalardo: And and meet with them and see what we can do to get that started

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Village Manager Pappalardo: As far as DP w in engineering quickly road resurfacing

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Village Manager Pappalardo: I recently executed agreement with Con Edison for \$498,000 in curbing and paving cost for the roads disturbed during their gas main work in 2019 and and up to this year.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: The work will be performed by the villages paving contractor curbing working on the section of Fox metal road between often and Olmstead the underway. This week prior to resurfacing

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Village Manager Pappalardo: The other roads on the list are all the, all of the rich crests and dogs terrorists, as well as parts of grand park on the other side of town.

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01:09:40.020 --> 01:09:52.050

Village Manager Pappalardo: Paving is tentatively scheduled for May 25 we plan on submitting these costs to the D. O. T. As part of our Chips. Chips grant reimbursement, we get back a little bit more than this, but this should cover most of it.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: We want to submit as early as possible, is this New York state grant funding and many others aren't are in jeopardy for fiscal year 2021

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Village Manager Pappalardo: We will not use any 2021 village capital funds on road resurfacing until we have a better idea on the overall financial budgetary impacts from Colbert 19

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Again, this this painting, we're talking about now is being paid 400% by Con Edison.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: sidewalk cafes. The village engineers receive calls from local merchants regarding sidewalk cafe permits in anticipation of reopening

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Village Manager Pappalardo: Were amenable. But again, social distancing must must be adhere to. But we're gonna do what we can to help our, our merchants.

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01:10:33.120 --> 01:10:41.700

Village Manager Pappalardo: And on a related matter a meeting is scheduled this week via zoom with the Scottsdale Business Alliance and village staff to discuss the current status of the village center.

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01:10:42.210 --> 01:10:56.940

Village Manager Pappalardo: As we contemplate reopening public access and the economy in general, and I believe, there'll be representation there from the golden horseshoe shopping center and he's got five corners as

well. Trustee there on may have more to say about that. And if she has comments tonight.

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01:10:58.110 --> 01:10:59.910

Village Manager Pappalardo: Also, the American Legion Post

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01:11:01.650 --> 01:11:03.750

Village Manager Pappalardo: Commander has been in contact with us.

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Village Manager Pappalardo: And we are working with him on planning a small and short Memorial Day ceremony on May 25, it would be a 10:30am and it would be at the memorial Garvey's mamaroneck road, not in the village center.

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01:11:17.910 --> 01:11:33.150

Village Manager Pappalardo: That's a jag the board knows. But for those that may be watching that that facility is adjacent to kids base in the pool swimming pool parking lot, members of the public wishing to attend are reminded to wear a mask and maintain proper social distancing when when President

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01:11:35.130 --> 01:11:39.810

Village Manager Pappalardo: The police enforcement police department is enforcement at the village facilities.

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01:11:40.440 --> 01:11:55.530

Village Manager Pappalardo: Is going well residents are out but more cognizant of social distancing then last month Butler field was busy again this past weekend with social distancing and group plate issue issues with these items in some instances mask wearing is not as prevalent as it should be, as well.

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01:11:57.090 --> 01:12:07.680

Village Manager Pappalardo: I asked today to have one of the electronic message, message boards moved to the high school track to remind people to wear masks in public to protect themselves and others.

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01:12:09.030 --> 01:12:23.790

Village Manager Pappalardo: So that should happen before the weekend, the library construction project continues with substantial COMPLETION OF AUGUST 2020 construction crews. There have also been instructed on proper proper social distancing and personal safety and this regard, while on the job.

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01:12:25.950 --> 01:12:28.110

Village Manager Pappalardo: I didn't mention this before, but the Justice Court

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01:12:29.640 --> 01:12:37.500

Village Manager Pappalardo: The judge, Judge elevated received a letter from the New York State unified court system that all justice courts must continue to remain closed until further notice.

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01:12:38.100 --> 01:12:44.010

Village Manager Pappalardo: The court clerk had been a journey all court case dispositions for reopening in June, so we'll have to see what happens there.

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01:12:45.480 --> 01:12:48.930

Village Manager Pappalardo: Finally, an item that's coming to the office over the last week. Rob's been handling it.

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01:12:50.070 --> 01:12:54.210

Village Manager Pappalardo: Metro north is interested in performing certain necessary worked on the railroad tracks.

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01:12:55.980 --> 01:13:11.100

Village Manager Pappalardo: The further requesting use of the village parking lot of budding the tracks on Scarsdale Avenue in a portion of the freight way open lot this work is expected to take anywhere from 10 to 16 weeks with overnight work plan during times of scheduled or up track outages.

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01:13:13.500 --> 01:13:20.790

Village Manager Pappalardo: It is a metro north end of villages best interest for the work to start during the current shut down with less trains running and less commuters parking

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01:13:21.930 --> 01:13:29.370

Village Manager Pappalardo: It's a long period of time. We're expecting this work to be done. Some of it overnight. So this isn't an insignificant item.

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01:13:30.480 --> 01:13:35.640

Village Manager Pappalardo: But again, it can't. It's been time sensitive because they need to do this work regardless of whether

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01:13:36.600 --> 01:13:43.620

Village Manager Pappalardo: You know, we're open for business or we've got a partial shutdown. So we're trying to work with them as best we can to get them started.

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01:13:44.490 --> 01:13:50.730

Village Manager Pappalardo: But it's a, it's a, it's a pretty significant period of time, and they're going to be making some noise out there. So we've got neighbors to be concerned about as well.

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01:13:51.210 --> 01:13:58.260

Village Manager Pappalardo: More to follow you may see an item on your agenda for the 26th of May. I apologize for being long winded. And thank you for listening.

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01:13:59.880 --> 01:14:05.040

Mayor Samwick: Thank you, Steve. And yeah, I'll take the opposite. I was actually just going to thank you for such a comprehensive report.

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01:14:06.360 --> 01:14:20.340

Mayor Samwick: You know everything that's going on in the midst of, you know, just providing essential services, it's it's really admirable and really shows the with the hard work that's being done by you and all of staff and so thank you. We really appreciate it.

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01:14:20.640 --> 01:14:22.260

Village Manager Pappalardo: You're welcome. Staff deserves all the credit

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01:14:24.450 --> 01:14:41.550

Mayor Samwick: We now move on to public comment. Public comment as I think most people know is, is five minutes, tonight we're going to be changing the monitoring of that a little bit assistant to the village manager, a loan cats and is going to be running the timer.

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01:14:43.260 --> 01:14:48.720

Mayor Samwick: And so I'm not sure if we're going to have a four minute warning or not, but just. We do have a five minute limit.

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Mayor Samwick: To the extent that it is prior to 10 billion when we get to the second public comment section of the meeting, we will hold a second public comments section of meeting.

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01:15:01.020 --> 01:15:01.920

Mayor Samwick: And that is

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01:15:04.020 --> 01:15:15.390

Mayor Samwick: During the town board at the end of the town board agenda with that I would like to open the public comments section. Hold on just a moment, I believe, Bob, are you there.

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01:15:17.040 --> 01:15:18.450

Jill Krutick: I'm here. Can you hear me.

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01:15:18.750 --> 01:15:19.410

Mayor Samwick: Yes, we can be

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01:15:20.040 --> 01:15:28.500

Jill Krutick: Great Robert Berg 32 Tisdale road. I'm going to speak a little bit about the installment billing plan for the school Tex.

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Jill Krutick: I find it more than a bit repulsive that this for tonight is all of a sudden, so the few soup in embracing the possibility of this installment program recommended by the school board last night.

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Jill Krutick: This initiative began in early April when Sean con Bob. So, Bob, you and I

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Jill Krutick: We reached out to senators senator and rescued cousin and Amy Paulin to try to see if there was any way we could get tax relief to our

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Jill Krutick: Residence and Amy actually told me that the Westchester County tax code.

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01:16:04.980 --> 01:16:16.410

Jill Krutick: Provided for the town board. The Village Board acting as the town board to unilaterally make the decision to adopt the two part installment building for the school tax.

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01:16:16.710 --> 01:16:29.730

Jill Krutick: So once I found that out. I did a little bit of research and I analyze the matter and concluded that there's really no reason why we had not been doing that here and I reached out to the school board and I

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01:16:30.570 --> 01:16:41.640

Jill Krutick: spoke to them I suggested to them that they look into this and I wanted them to recommend to the village board that this be done because I figured it would be certainly more

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01:16:42.570 --> 01:16:59.370

Jill Krutick: Better for them to be behind this than for me just to be pushing this and it took me a little bit of convincing over a couple of weeks. They looked into it. They got some information from the village, which gave them a bit of pause and I believe that information was not correct.

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01:17:00.540 --> 01:17:07.590

Jill Krutick: They were told that there would be an operational impact on the village that the programming for the tax software.

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Jill Krutick: To require double billing a to Bill bills would require reprogramming which would be expensive and sending two bills would require perhaps hiring another staff person in the village. It turns out that

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Jill Krutick: The two installment plan is adopted, virtually everywhere in Westchester County and no one since two bills they spend one bill.

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Jill Krutick: In August, and that bill has to coupons and they're perforated

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01:17:36.780 --> 01:17:47.460

Jill Krutick: One is for the payment that's do in September and one is for the payment that's do in January and you just keep it to coupons, you send the one in in September and you hold on to the other one.

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01:17:47.820 --> 01:17:58.080

Jill Krutick: And there's no double billing. There's no to billing there, so there's no need to reprogram your software at all. Generally most towns that do the billing don't

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01:17:58.470 --> 01:18:15.180

Jill Krutick: send reminders, some do as a courtesy on email but most places don't send another bill or another reminder. So there's no issue there and I can't imagine you need to hire an extra person just to collect the bill in January. So that is misleading.

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01:18:16.650 --> 01:18:23.670

Jill Krutick: It turns out, so once the at some point over the past week with additional prodding by me.

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Jill Krutick: Last night, the school board decided that this seems like a good idea. It's not going to impact them at all, virtually and it looks like a benefit of substantial benefit for

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01:18:36.150 --> 01:18:53.460

Jill Krutick: Most taxpayers here, and indeed it is because 70% of our resident taxpayers paid directly their property taxes. They don't go into an escrow account. So this directly impacts their cash flow and the penalties for paying later so extortionate

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01:18:55.110 --> 01:18:58.590

Jill Krutick: If you're a day late and you pay on an average price house.

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01:18:59.130 --> 01:19:12.960

Jill Krutick: in Scarsdale which is a \$20,000 school bill. You're paying \$400 as your penalty. And if you pay 32 days later, you're paying \$1,000 penalty and that penalty accrues to the village, and you guys have set up a revenue.

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01:19:13.710 --> 01:19:27.240

Jill Krutick: Account for 520 \$5,000 in real estate penalty fees, which accrues to the villages benefit and that's obviously why perpetuated this whole late penalty.

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01:19:27.930 --> 01:19:37.860

Jill Krutick: billing cycle. It turns out that every single town in Westchester, except for Scarsdale has adopted the school.

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01:19:38.430 --> 01:19:52.380

Jill Krutick: payment plan, the two parts school tax payment plan every single town and also the City of New Rochelle city of Mount Vernon city of White Plains city of ROI and the city of Peekskill, and in fact

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Jill Krutick: Many villages in Westchester have adopted a two part village tax collection plan, including village of ardently port Chester rye Brook mamaroneck

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Jill Krutick: Bronxville Ossining Pleasantville Tucker hope Briarcliff Manor. The manor Sleepy Hollow Irvington mount kisco Tarrytown and possibly the two poems town of Harrison, the school town and village.

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Jill Krutick: Double you know installment plan. So there's no the city of Peekskill does city taxes twice. City of New York.

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Jill Krutick: City of Mount Vernon, does it. And so the White Plains. There's no reason we shouldn't be doing the village taxes in two installments with no penalties if you pay on time.

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01:20:36.690 --> 01:20:42.030

Jill Krutick: This is how you help our taxpayers in this environment when they're suffering so much so I

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01:20:42.570 --> 01:20:56.310

Jill Krutick: Really have to do this for the school tax and then you should also look into it for the village, and it may require you getting an executive order from the governance of the village, but the school tax you can do unilaterally by Village Board as a town board. Thank you.

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01:20:56.940 --> 01:20:57.810

Mayor Samwick: Thank you, Mr.

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01:21:09.720 --> 01:21:11.220

Mayor Samwick: Mike are you there.

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01:21:11.580 --> 01:21:24.600

Mike Otten: Yes, I am there, Sam, what I just wanted to first of all thank Bob for his input, which I hope will be useful to the board and I don't want to commend the board for looking at this as expeditiously.

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01:21:25.140 --> 01:21:40.320

Mike Otten: As it is, I think, hopefully this will have a good result. And I'm speaking of course of the two installment plan. I'm glad the school board and recognize that is a good idea. And I'm glad you're considering it as well. So that's all I have to say thank you.

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you Mike.

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Mayor Samwick: Randy, are you there.

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Yes.

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01:22:00.990 --> 01:22:01.680
RB Whitestone: Thank you, Mayor

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RB Whitestone: Good evening, Randy white stone 94 Sprague road as we enter the third month of this pandemic crisis again want to thank the first responders and the staff.

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01:22:13.830 --> 01:22:23.910
RB Whitestone: Who've been there for us for many, many weeks now. Your dedication and good work are much appreciated. During these devastating times I'd like to make three points tonight.

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RB Whitestone: First, what did we learn from this extraordinary period that will be instructive and running the business of the village going forward.

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RB Whitestone: We've learned expect the unexpected and ways we could not have imagined three or four months ago.

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RB Whitestone: What this means in practical terms is that we should think of the budget in new ways, making it more modular unable to hinge spending based on circumstance.

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RB Whitestone: In essence to toggle spending, we will sorely need that flexibility and months to come. But if we rethink the budget process going forward, we can better incorporate this idea of if then planning.

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RB Whitestone: Certainly have already seen operating and capital spending items deferred but there may be a way to put in place triggers and thresholds for spending items.

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RB Whitestone: Based on what we're actually seeing in the local and regional economy and I do support analysis of allowing tax payments to be spread into two installments.

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RB Whitestone: Second, a reflect budget process should have is one of its pillars and openness to ideas and creative thinking

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RB Whitestone: Should we think about different ways to bring thoughtful participants into the process. We've already seen how technology is spread a wide net like tonight for people to offer comments and ideas.

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RB Whitestone: Think about it this way. If the village had a huge windfall in its budget and we should be so lucky, we would have an open discussion about how to spend that went for

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RB Whitestone: By the same token, what we've seen in recent weeks, and will, I hope, continue to see going forward is a dialogue with residents, but how to deal with this damaging shortfall we have encountered

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RB Whitestone: Finally, in future, I'd like to see the village set strategic goals to guidance budgeting process enunciating our priorities and what we stand for. Before we start talking about any numbers.

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RB Whitestone: Tactics flow from strategy and numbers should not be enzyme to themselves, they should flow from what we are trying to accomplish as a village, both in the short and long term like the state slogan. Let's build our budget back

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RB Whitestone: In the interim, we are dealing with what I call the Live fire exercise and budgeting and look forward to the village board and staff.

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RB Whitestone: Continuing to take a proactive communicative approach to managing our new reality, and that includes keeping the community posted with regular updates on the quote dashboard.

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RB Whitestone: What we're seeing in terms of conditions on the ground and how we're acting in accordance with that changing picture. Thank you.

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you. Ready.

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Mayor Samwick: Anyone else wishing to be heard this evening at the first public comment session.

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Mayor Samwick: My right there.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Hi, good evening Mr Sam I can you hear me.

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Mayor Samwick: I can

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Thank you very much. I hope that yourself, your loved ones and you are well at Mr Pappalardo. Thank you very much. First of all, for mentioning the train repairs. I was

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: not aware of this and this is fantastic. Very much appreciated. I also appreciate your candor about the loud noise personally

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: I'm thrilled to hear that there's going to be repairs America's infrastructure has been crumbling and so I personally am very happy to hear about this repairs. I'll just go out and find some earplugs.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: However, I do have to recall that I am the secretary and communications officer for the old Scarsdale neighborhood association.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Which, as you know, a bots, the whole area right in front of the train station all the way to way side and all the way up to the post road.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: So as as an officer of that association, I cannot apply for what all of the residents will feel so I do encourage you to please. As soon as you know more details do please write me

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Write my husband Bryce, who is the president and I'd love to inform our residents as soon as possible. Also I kindly encourage you to reach out to the neighborhood presidents of over hill brambly etc. Because they of course would be the closest

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Secondly, I do appreciate Randy's comments just now, but the need for a strategy and he also commented that numbers of us come from strategy, as many of you know I have been advocating for over three years.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Alone or I should say on my own as a resident, but also in conjunction with the voters choice party candidates, Bob.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Burg, and Bob salado and Sean Cohen that in long term financial plan is essential for the village of Scarsdale i when i was the

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Chair and the Co Chair of the forums Education Committee, together with former mayor Hartford we jointly worked on recommending a long term financial plan for the

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: School districts. So absolutely numbers by themselves do not mean a lot. And they have to be part of a long term financial planning, which both sides. The village servicing so

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Randy. Absolutely. There needs to be a strategy. It needs to be a long term financial plan and had we had one, we would be much better prepared for the worst economic crisis.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: since the Great Depression, to the village board. I thank you very much for mentioning the plan.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Discussing to pay school taxes and to installment plans. This is a framework which exists in numerous municipalities, as Bob Burg just enumerated

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: And over a month ago, Bob Burg Sean Cohen and Bob's a la Joe who are not only long term Scarsdale residents and, as everyone knows, I hope.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: They are voter's choice party trustee candidates. They wrote legislators Paulin and Stuart can cousins, asking them to please explore how to bring respite.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Not only to Scarsdale residents, frankly, but to all New York residents to allow them to pay school taxes in two installments liquidity.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: That is the ability to have cash on hand to meet all obligations when they come do is paramount to the stability, not only of residence, but of course of companies.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Also, I'd like to of course thank all of the village board for stating right now that you want to do everything to help residents.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: That means a lot and I appreciate that you say that you want to explore all kinds of options to bring help to our residents. The first option would have been not to pass the budget.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Of which so much was unexplained undocumented and unquantified there was no stress test. There was never any disclosure on the data and the assumptions for the alleged stress test.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Frankly, with all due respect my clients would have fired me if I had ever presented this kind of a budget with no documentation of processes surrounding it frankly

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: I'm a bit surprised that Moody's has not called you and asked for more information.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Perhaps she has the potential of the Wall Street Journal, who has been writing a series of articles about her rating agencies have engaged in readings inflation for decades, because after all, they are paid by the assures

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: will hire them to underwrite may have a point, a number of the trustees have mentioned that they want to do everything that's helpful to residents.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: I urge all of you to please clarify exactly what that means. A number of you have mentioned that you want data that there could be impacts to any decision I urge you to explain to residents. What is impacts mean what metrics are you using and hence, what kind of data derives from that.

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Mayor Samwick: In a data store control over the years. I appreciate your comments.

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Mayor Samwick: Give me just a moment here.

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Mayor Samwick: Nicholas. Are you there.

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nicholasT: Yes, I am Mayor. I'm actually, I'm Nicholas Thompson, I am at one forest lane, I would like to thank the town.

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nicholasT: Workers and the town board for doing this job under

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nicholasT: Under the current circumstances I read the town budget. And frankly, I was

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nicholasT: Disturbed that again we are raising taxes on people right now who

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nicholasT: Are going through a economic crisis that is about as bad as it was in the 1930s, I would urge the town board and the and I would urge the town in general to to, I would urge them to cut expenses, it's, it is time for shared sacrifice.

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nicholasT: I also read that our that our that our day camp may be opening and that our and that our town pool may or may not be reopening I am very curious as to why

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nicholasT: I would like some I would like some

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nicholasT: clarification on that.

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nicholasT: I

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nicholasT: That under the current circumstances that yes, people don't like paying higher taxes than they officially need, but on the other hand, I would have liked it. If our town had gone to a flat or zero tax increase this year under the current circumstances.

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nicholasT: It would have, I think it would have

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nicholasT: Been nicer to help people under what's going on right now. And I think that

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nicholasT: By bye bye keep raising taxes. Every, every single year that all the town is doing is forcing not only middle income people. But as well, older people and as well younger people, which 50

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01:33:38.880 --> 01:33:54.960

nicholasT: About 53% of us have left since the year 2000 and it's only getting worse. And if we're the farm team for how these towns are going to survive, then things need to radically changed.

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nicholasT: I had mentioned this to the mayor, about two months ago that that there is data out there that says that

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nicholasT: towns across Westchester are absolutely suffering from a complete collapse of their youth population be extra funds they are moving elsewhere.

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nicholasT: And I think that the town board really needs to take a good hard, hard look at that and figure out how to make changes as be because we are the future of this town.

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nicholasT: I would like to applaud trustee Lewis for

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nicholasT: showing his convictions as to why he voted no on the on this year's Tom budget. I think that it showed a lot of

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nicholasT: respect toward the people who right now are suffering due to the current

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nicholasT: Economic and again, thank you for all you guys are doing right now and I will end, and my comments.

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you. Nicholas

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Mayor Samwick: Sean, are you there. I'm not sure we have yet. Hold on a minute.

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seancohen87@aol.com: Oh yeah, I'm here.

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Mayor Samwick: Okay, we got

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01:35:50.400 --> 01:35:52.560
seancohen87@aol.com: Shawn con Chesterfield roads.

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01:35:53.970 --> 01:36:07.830
seancohen87@aol.com: Firstly, I want to thank my colleagues at V CP for working on the payment plan. And actually, I think it's great that the village is considering it.

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01:36:09.780 --> 01:36:19.740
seancohen87@aol.com: I also would like to touch marriage. If I can on transparency, because it's a word I have bandied about a fair bit and

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01:36:20.850 --> 01:36:27.390
seancohen87@aol.com: I know there was correspondence last week from other vintage residents, it would be nice to have heard what they said.

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seancohen87@aol.com: It would be nice to start seeing some of the fright way data that's being collected and I do note that the board is for people to participate.

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01:36:40.560 --> 01:36:54.030
seancohen87@aol.com: And it's nice to be able to give inputs, but I would also like to have some sometimes, sometimes discussion on some of that inputs and so last week as an example.

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seancohen87@aol.com: We never got to the second comment section. And maybe we need to formalize the second comment sections so that when people participate and comment and then the meeting goes on that evolves. The whole practice and I'd really like to put that forwards and

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01:37:14.190 --> 01:37:34.830
seancohen87@aol.com: I would like to recognize also to trust these, if I may. What is trusted Crandall I really appreciated what you said last

week about us working together as neighbors and also our trust the lawyers for a very analytical and clear.

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01:37:36.090 --> 01:37:42.930

seancohen87@aol.com: Points that is making about how we need to look at the future and that that's my comment for this week. Thank you.

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you, Sean.

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Mayor Samwick: Mr Harrison.

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Harrison: Hello.

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Harrison: How are you

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Mayor Samwick: I'm doing well, Bob, how are you

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Harrison: Nice to talk to you for a while.

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Mayor Samwick: It's been a couple of hours.

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Harrison: Okay. All right. Anyway, Bob Harrison 65 Fox metal road. I'm going to be speaking as the chairman of the Scarsdale taxpayer alert. It's been in existence since 1989 we've been

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Harrison: Getting labels from the school district her every year since then, which we do periodic mailings and we have spoken actually at the school board meetings, as well as the budget meetings for the village.

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Harrison: Kate. Can you see me. Do you see the people who are speaking or now. No. No. Okay. Because I have a

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Harrison: Sign which show you won't see but it said there are many of these blue signs around the village that says I support health care heroes.

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Harrison: Thinking of you White Plains hospital I urge every community member and Fox metro area we have

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Harrison: Wow. Many, many of these signs on the lines. The \$50 contribution to White Plains hospital call up the hospital asked for Megan's she's in charge of

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Harrison: Fundraising, and it's great to see these signs all around the village, as we

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Harrison: honor our health care he rose. Those are the true heroes on the front lines every day going to work in a hospital and dealing with the code and virus. So I hope people who hear, hear me tonight will follow up and will have even more signs around the village. It's exciting to see them.

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Harrison: Also want to thank Jonathan Jonathan Lewis her his wrote at the last meeting and

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Harrison: He was so he had about five or six points that wasn't just a no vote on the on the budget, but it was so much thought and i n g is

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Harrison: How we should be proceeding. And tonight, again, he mentioned a number of things that we shouldn't be thinking about for the future. So I compliment Jonathan and I sent as he knows an email to him immediately after the last meeting complimenting him and

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Harrison: They want to thank good David get guests over his report that tonight, very thorough and detailed and I hope that, particularly the barrier road residents.

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Harrison: You're communicating with them if they didn't see tonight's meeting and hopefully to resolve some of the problems in that area with sewage and then I want to thank

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Harrison: Village manager see Pappalardo Steve, I thought that was a fantastic report, it must have taken the at least five days to write it.

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Harrison: But you're a good writer, so maybe it did a little faster, but it wasn't great review. I hope people if they haven't watched this program that you'll have your report up on the website. So our citizens know what's going on, and all the hard work that's being done behind the scenes.

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Harrison: Getting to the, the two party payment over school taxes, I strongly endorse this I spoken to at the school board meeting, and with

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Harrison: Let's see, having a senior moment Allison.

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Harrison: Anyway, the interested in being born. She's vice chairman of the board and she she led the effort and

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Harrison: Then pencil and drew up the resolution that they voted on. After much discussion. And I think there were written

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Harrison: Comment was forward into the village, and I'm glad the mayor did his job in bringing it up at the beginning of the meeting and having discussion by all the trustees and quite frankly short Maggi one of the senior administrators of the school district said publicly that most of the

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Harrison: towns in Westchester allow for two payments over the school tax and if there ever was a time that we should allow Scarsdale residents to do what it is now because it will help out.

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Harrison: People with their cash flow and I'm optimistic, there's going to be a change of administration's in Washington. I'm not hiding anything how I feel about Washington who took away our salt tax deduction. And maybe if the Democrats take over to the House and Senate and the White House.

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Harrison: Chuck Schumer will eat and after to bring back the full salt tax deduction. So if we pay half of our school taxes next January in 2021 we might be able to get

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Harrison: That tax deductions and full tax deduction back. So I urge you to move quickly. I didn't quite maybe mayor or when I'm finished. You can

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Mayor Samwick: Carson, thank you very much for your comments. Please stay with us, you'll have another opportunity shortly.

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Mayor Samwick: Okay. Not seeing

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Mayor Samwick: Anyone else wish you just speak. I will close the first public comments section of the meeting and move on to trustee liaison reports.

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Mayor Samwick: Trusted Crandall I know you had a couple of words you wanted to share

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Trustee Crandall: Yes. Thank you, Mayor and of course I'd like to thank village. We had our lives Marin, and for her years of service.

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Trustee Crandall: You know back when I was a volunteer with friends of Scarsdale parks and even before then, when I was a volunteer with the fox Middle School. Environmental Committee, I had quite a few questions.

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Trustee Crandall: And Liz would always answer them, you know, in her kind informative way and I i really owe a lot to her because you know thanks to her. I've been able to learn quite a bit about our land use process wetlands and all sorts of things. So Liz. Enjoy your retirement.

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Trustee Crandall: You've really been such a great asset to our village all these years. Thank you for your service.

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Trustee Crandall: And. And as you all know, I'm liaison to the friends with Scarsdale Park. I spoke with Madeline up and steam today. And sadly,

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Trustee Crandall: She informed me that the annual community planting day had to be canceled due to the virus situation, but in an effort to keep the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation trees for trips grant program going at the friends of the parks.

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Trustee Crandall: Have ordered and received several tree saplings which they will be planting in the Harvard Park along the south Fox meadowbrook. So that's the area.

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Trustee Crandall: Along the, the high school in the stream that's their former Mayor Dan hawk Burt continues his heroic efforts to cut back the knotweed which is a horrible non native invasive plants.

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Trustee Crandall: Thanks to Dan that the plants that were were put in in previous years are able to grow and thrive otherwise that not we would

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Trustee Crandall: You know suffocate them in shade all of their sunlight, so thank you once again, Dan hopper.

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Trustee Crandall: Scarsdale seniors Carol Silverman chair the village Advisory Council on senior citizens would like you to know that the chair yoga class is now being offered online through the Scarsdale Adult School

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Trustee Crandall: If you're looking for some free online exercise classes that are age appropriate. You can also find some through the AARP YWCA YMCA silver sneakers.

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Trustee Crandall: helpline and other outlets, she shared a list with me if you like, you can send an email to L Crandall at Scarsdale calm. I'll be happy to forward that list to you. You can also call me on my cell 914-874-3779 and I can read through the list that Carol so nicely provided

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Trustee Crandall: Finally,

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Trustee Crandall: You know, this is certainly a tough time for all of us.

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Trustee Crandall: And I'd like to share that a good friend of mine recently had a positive experience with a New York State Office of Mental Health emotional support helpline. If this is a free and confidential service aimed to help callers who are experiencing.

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Trustee Crandall: You know, more anxiety due to the coronavirus the helpline is available in many different languages. The number is 844-863-9314 and there are more resources on the New York State Office of Mental Health website. So it's a, it's okay.

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Trustee Crandall: To, you know, to, to reach out for some assistance. It's certainly a trying time and I

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Trustee Crandall: All of you the best stay strong Scarsdale and continue to be good neighbors and where your masks. Thank you.

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you very much, trusted Crandall. That was a very, very good productive report trust him around.

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Trustee Veron: Thank you, mayor. First I want to echo village manager purple outers, thanks to Liz Marion for her 20 years of service to Scarsdale as our village planner.

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Trustee Veron: I had the good fortune to work with Liz when I was a member of the planning board then as planning board chair and now on the Village Board.

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Trustee Veron: Elizabeth Liz is an incredible font of knowledge and she taught me so much of what I know about land use.

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Trustee Veron: She impressed me with her command of local law her open door policy and her dedication to an abundance of Lang is projects.

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Trustee Veron: Was carried the torch for thoughtful planning and we are in her debt. I also want to welcome Greg Cutler, who has big shoes to fill. But by observation in our interview, he is up to the challenge and can't wait to get started.

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Trustee Veron: In all the disruption caused by Kovac 19 one thing remains constant. And that is an unwavering commitment and emotion of our community volunteers.

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Trustee Veron: This time of year is a time of transition and I want to acknowledge to community leaders who are leaving the boards. They had served for many years.

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Trustee Veron: Dan Steinberg has been a dedicated leader and member of the planning board and he extended his service in a time of need to guide the board with his deep knowledge and commitment to excellence.

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Trustee Veron: Dan's leadership was marked by a thoughtful steady intelligent understated style and he worked overtime, not only on regular planning board matters, but also on the bookie House committee subcommittee, as well as many other issues, Dan. We are in measurably grateful.

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Trustee Veron: Dying greenwald serve as a two term library board president and force extraordinaire.

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Trustee Veron: With her unflagging work ethic Diane worked on overdrive to garner community feedback right size a library project and provide the village government with the information needed to approve the bond issue.

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Trustee Veron: She then quickly transition to an architectural design building and communication wonder, bringing the library concept into reality and promoting a spirit of transparency and inclusion.

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Trustee Veron: While her term is up on the library board her devotion and commitment has not ceased as she volunteers on a myriad of library tasks Diana. Simple. Thank you, does not do justice to our deep appreciation

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01:50:15.510 --> 01:50:26.970

Trustee Veron: For the library update construction is continuing at 54 own said road the workers are following safety guidelines and wearing masks if working together and can't be more than six feet apart.

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01:50:27.360 --> 01:50:30.990

Trustee Veron: But also cleaning hands with hand sanitizer, which is available for them.

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01:50:31.680 --> 01:50:44.100

Trustee Veron: Substantial completion of the work is still on schedule to be completed late July or early August work has begun the library furniture and we are told, it is on scheduled to be completed by August

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01:50:44.790 --> 01:50:56.370

Trustee Veron: Library staff has increased its offering a virtual programs and activities for scar so patrons and shares this information on the website and through other social media, including Facebook, Instagram and emails.

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01:50:57.240 --> 01:51:01.950

Trustee Veron: We're grateful to local residents who have helped provide some of these programs for their community.

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01:51:02.790 --> 01:51:11.010

Trustee Veron: Beth Burma, the library director is working with other local libraries to determine how they will follow state and county health regulations and reopening the loft.

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01:51:11.460 --> 01:51:26.580

Trustee Veron: Safely for residents and workers in the meantime, if you have any questions or need assistance from any of the librarians. The best way to reach them is through email, which is a C A R E f at W L e s mail.org

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01:51:28.470 --> 01:51:36.840

Trustee Veron: SBA update. Well we await guidance from the governor, the score so business community is already planning for reopening

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01:51:37.350 --> 01:51:50.820

Trustee Veron: Tomorrow I mean that is on Thursday we will convene property owners merchants and government in a collaborative dialogue we will share goals articulate gaps and devise strategies as we think about staging RV openings.

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01:51:51.420 --> 01:52:01.530

Trustee Veron: Next week, the scars of Business Alliance will be meeting with County Executive Latimer, and Mayor Sam like an other officials and we'll discuss how best to serve their constituents.

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01:52:02.220 --> 01:52:09.270

Trustee Veron: I want to commend co presidents Marci Berman Goldstein of I am more and can get in a Rothmans and the entire SBA board.

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Trustee Veron: For their outreach to all of the 10583 business community they provided essential leadership and representation during these unprecedented times. I also want to thank the community for the outpouring of support and patronage of 1583 businesses.

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01:52:27.300 --> 01:52:38.160

Trustee Veron: Work sessions like this one with the business community is an example of what I believe needs to occur on a regular basis with all constituent groups and departments.

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01:52:38.850 --> 01:52:50.040

Trustee Veron: I would like to propose that this board scheduled twice monthly work sessions to evaluate how the village. Adjust the impact of covert as we learn how to live with the virus over the next many months.

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Trustee Veron: Are millage staff has been doing an extraordinary job serving our residents during this very difficult time. I am an all of their dedication and smarts.

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Trustee Veron: They have also found creative solutions to meet the needs of our residents. I like to take these key learnings coupled with resident input and explore alternatives for service delivery.

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01:53:12.360 --> 01:53:21.900

Trustee Veron: I would like to discuss what our residents truly value what they miss most while we pared down to Central Services. I'd also like to know what we can live without.

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01:53:22.830 --> 01:53:33.450

Trustee Veron: These are and will continue to be very tough financial times the silver lining to the disruption. We're all experiences is a chance to experiment and reimagine

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01:53:34.140 --> 01:53:41.730

Trustee Veron: We will have tight budgets, but I think with our collective wisdom, we will find ways to maintain Scarsdale excellence. I'm eager to get started.

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01:53:45.180 --> 01:53:47.160

Mayor Samwick: Thank you trusted around trustee arrest.

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01:53:48.360 --> 01:53:56.490

Trustee Arest: Thank you Mary I would definitely regret not also adding my thanks to Liz for her time dedicated service to Scarsdale all that she's done

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01:53:56.820 --> 01:54:03.330

Trustee Arest: Clearly knowledgeable. Personally, for me, serving on the zoning board. We spent quite a lot of time on the phone together and in meetings together.

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01:54:03.690 --> 01:54:11.910

Trustee Arest: And she was even patient with all of my questions. And even when we disagree. We always smiled and appreciate each other. Listen, I hope so.

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01:54:12.450 --> 01:54:26.460

Trustee Arest: But I appreciate appreciated her then. And I certainly appreciate all of her years of service. And I think you will hopefully have a very well deserved retirement and hopefully come back and see us and be well thank you

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01:54:27.690 --> 01:54:28.620

Mayor Samwick: Thank you trust. Yes.

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01:54:30.150 --> 01:54:37.800

Mayor Samwick: I obviously echo everyone's comments, Liz. Thank you. You've done a tremendous job for the past 20 years it's been a pleasure working with you over the years.

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01:54:38.460 --> 01:54:50.460

Mayor Samwick: We're definitely gonna miss you, Greg, welcome you with open arms and look forward to working with you as well. And with that, we move on to our agenda items trustee Crandall I believe you have a resolution.

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01:54:51.150 --> 01:55:04.650

Trustee Crandall: Yes, indeed, this resolution regards an intermittent internet inter municipal agreement with Westchester County for food waste disposal pilot program before I read the resolution.

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01:55:05.220 --> 01:55:23.580

Trustee Crandall: I'd like to ask all of my Scarsdale neighbors to please. Once again, make an effort to separate food scraps of put them in the proper compostable bags and take them over to our recycling center on see core road. I know it's a big ask because

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01:55:24.930 --> 01:55:37.410

Trustee Crandall: You know I'm living this with you and you know it's a it's sometimes hard to stick with the old routines and now that we don't have the weekly pick up you know it's even more difficult.

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01:55:37.920 --> 01:55:50.310

Trustee Crandall: But with this pilot program will actually see a bit of a financial benefit. The more we recycle our food scraps and, of course, the more we recycle the other items that can be recycled.

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01:55:50.760 --> 01:56:02.340

Trustee Crandall: The less we have to pay in tipping fees to get rid of our garbage. So everyone's concerned about taxes, let's let's uh let's work together to reduce our waste.

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01:56:02.730 --> 01:56:15.330

Trustee Crandall: And save a few dollars. Okay. So with that, I will read the resolution, whereas the Westchester County Department of Environmental facilities completed a food waste recycling setting in January 2020

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01:56:15.720 --> 01:56:23.160

Trustee Crandall: And pursuant to study recommendations targeting growth and municipal food scrap composting throughout the county as well.

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Trustee Crandall: Increase operational efficiency lower program costs and reduced transportation impacts Westchester County has requested to partner with the village of Scarsdale to implement

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Trustee Crandall: A six week pilot program involving village personnel collecting and delivering food scraps to the county's Yonkers tipping station.

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Trustee Crandall: Where the county will consolidate them for shipping to a Composting facility and whereas food scraps transported to the Westchester County Yonkers transfer station.

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Trustee Crandall: As part of the pilot program will be tipped at no fee to the village of Scarsdale

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Trustee Crandall: constituting a savings of approximately \$2,000 in fees that would otherwise be paid via contract to a private transfer station operator and hauler and whereas Westchester County requires execution of interviews.

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01:57:19.110 --> 01:57:28.200

Trustee Crandall: Agreement to participate in the pilot program which the village administration and the conservation Advisory Council support. Now, therefore it, be it resolved.

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Trustee Crandall: That the Village Board of Trustees here in authorizes the village manager to execute the inter municipal agreement between the villagers Scarsdale

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Trustee Crandall: And Westchester County in substantially the same form as attached here to and to undertake all administrative X required pursuant to the terms of the agreement.

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01:57:48.330 --> 01:57:48.720

Second,

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01:57:50.190 --> 01:57:51.930

Mayor Samwick: This is row column is concrete, please.

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01:57:55.740 --> 01:57:56.640

Village Clerk Conkling: Proceed trust the errors.

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01:57:56.790 --> 01:57:58.650

Village Clerk Conkling: I Christy Crandall

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Village Clerk Conkling: From St. Louis.

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01:58:02.070 --> 01:58:06.210

Trustee Lewis: And easy. Yes. Another way to model our commitment to environmental stewardship. Yes.

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01:58:07.170 --> 01:58:08.160

Village Clerk Conkling: Trustee Ross.

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01:58:08.730 --> 01:58:10.680

Village Clerk Conkling: Hi, Christy Baron

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01:58:10.980 --> 01:58:12.540

Village Clerk Conkling: I host the Wildman

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Mayor Samwick: Didn't hear you but I'm going to say I anyway.

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01:58:20.310 --> 01:58:22.800

Mayor Samwick: Thank you, is gone. That's okay.

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01:58:24.660 --> 01:58:30.240

Mayor Samwick: Trust involvement, I believe you have two resolutions. Thank you. By the way across. Trustee cradle.

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01:58:31.740 --> 01:58:42.060

Trustee Waldman: Yes, I do. I have two resolutions appointing to new chairs to two of our boards and councils. The first is the appointment of the planning board chair.

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Trustee Waldman: As Trustee Baron mentioned Dan Steinberg will no longer be serving as chair of the planning board. He informed the village.

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Trustee Waldman: Of his desire to transition off the board and therefore has subsequently resigned from his position of chair and planning board member

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Trustee Waldman: And whereas John Clap, a senior planning board member having served since 2016 is available and desirous serving as chair of the planning board immediately through April 5 2021

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01:59:09.660 --> 01:59:26.400

Trustee Waldman: Now, therefore, be it resolved that John Claps six sage terrorists is here and appointed Chair of the planning board to fill the unexpired term of Dan Steinberg through April 5 2021 or until such as it as a successor is appointed and be it further resolved.

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01:59:27.570 --> 01:59:32.820

Trustee Waldman: That the Village Board will endeavor to replace the vacancy in the planning board created by Dan Steinberg's resignation.

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01:59:33.960 --> 01:59:40.050

Trustee Waldman: The second resolution is the appointment of a new chair to the Advisory Council on Parks and

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01:59:40.050 --> 01:59:43.470

Mayor Samwick: Recreation Robin, let's, let's just hold on the first. Oh, sorry. Sorry.

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01:59:43.650 --> 01:59:43.860

Mayor Samwick: That's

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01:59:44.430 --> 01:59:46.380

Mayor Samwick: A second. All in favor.

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01:59:46.920 --> 01:59:47.700
Trustee Arest: Aye. Aye.

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01:59:48.690 --> 01:59:50.010
Mayor Samwick: Sir, I trust you, Robin. Go ahead.

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01:59:50.070 --> 01:59:51.480
Trustee Waldman: No, I apologize for that.

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01:59:51.540 --> 01:59:52.170
Trustee Arest: Was on the way.

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01:59:55.620 --> 02:00:05.790
Trustee Waldman: Lewis Citroen has subsequently resigned from his position of chair. While expressing his desire to continue to serve as a member on the Parks and Recreation Council.

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02:00:06.090 --> 02:00:15.930
Trustee Waldman: Where and whereas Larry mud Minsky, a senior member of the Council since 2017 is desirous of serving as chair of the Council now, therefore, be it resolved that Larry

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02:00:17.250 --> 02:00:29.250
Trustee Waldman: Town road is having an appointed Chair of the Advisory Council I'm Parks and Recreation to fill the unexpired term of Lewis patrol through April 5 2021 or until such time as a successor is appointed

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02:00:30.960 --> 02:00:31.680
Mayor Samwick: All in favor.

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02:00:32.490 --> 02:00:32.850
Aye.

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02:00:34.410 --> 02:00:35.520
Mayor Samwick: Thank you trust the Roman

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02:00:37.080 --> 02:00:38.820
Mayor Samwick: Catholic written communications, please.

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02:00:39.420 --> 02:00:45.690
Village Clerk Conkling: AND THANK YOU MAYOR. We've received 16 communications since last regular Board of Trustees meeting.

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02:00:46.230 --> 02:01:07.800

Village Clerk Conkling: All written communications include responses from the mayor and may be viewed on the villages website@www.scarsdale.com emails will receive from Robert Harrison regarding in Scarsdale taxpayer alerts letter to the editor urging and zero tax increase for the 2020 2021 village budget.

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02:01:08.820 --> 02:01:17.250

Village Clerk Conkling: Mayor Kirkland da Rodrigues regarding the April 28 Village Board meeting and the lack of a second public comment period.

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02:01:18.300 --> 02:01:23.940

Village Clerk Conkling: Jeannie and Bernard mackler regarding the fiscal year 2020 2021 village budget.

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02:01:24.990 --> 02:01:33.450

Village Clerk Conkling: Peter Glaser regarding increase those taxes, David by regarding the number of coven 19 cases in Scarsdale

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02:01:34.320 --> 02:01:45.060

Village Clerk Conkling: Mayor Griffin door and Regus regarding a petition generated by the voters choice party signed by 424 residents to lower taxes during the pandemic crisis.

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02:01:45.720 --> 02:01:53.760

Village Clerk Conkling: Two emails were received from God and Bernard mackler regarding coven 19 and the importance of face coverings.

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02:01:54.330 --> 02:02:15.840

Village Clerk Conkling: Additional emails will receive from Patrick say regarding the number of coven 19 cases in Scarsdale Jody Celts regarding increase village taxes, Robert Harrison regarding an April 2009 article in Scarsdale inquirer concerning a salary freeze for top Scarsdale school administrators

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02:02:16.860 --> 02:02:28.710

Village Clerk Conkling: Melissa check Peru requesting that notices be posted on how to help during the coven 19th and Dimmick Richard Pinto was praise for the mayoral updates.

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02:02:29.400 --> 02:02:42.780

Village Clerk Conkling: A letter was received from Thomas, do you know which was sent to the village in school boards requesting that's school

board board urge Village Board to implement a split payment plan for school taxes.

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02:02:43.410 --> 02:03:03.540

Village Clerk Conkling: And emails received from Robert Harrison urging the board to adopt a resolution to allow residents to pay their school taxes in split payments and finally a letter from the stars to school board supporting a change to a two installment tax option for the fiscal year 20 2021 and beyond.

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02:03:05.490 --> 02:03:06.420

Mayor Samwick: Thank you. This kind of thing.

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02:03:07.680 --> 02:03:11.700

Mayor Samwick: That concludes the Village Board meeting. Do we have a motion to close this meeting.

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02:03:14.430 --> 02:03:14.820

Trustee Ross: Second,

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02:03:14.880 --> 02:03:16.860

Trustee Waldman: Ever I

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02:03:16.980 --> 02:03:23.340

Mayor Samwick: I thank you know like to call the town board meeting to order. Roll call please misconduct.

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02:03:23.820 --> 02:03:24.720

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02:03:26.550 --> 02:03:27.060

Trustee Arest: Here.

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02:03:27.390 --> 02:03:28.290

Village Clerk Conkling: Miss Crandall

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02:03:28.860 --> 02:03:30.480

Village Clerk Conkling: Here. Mr. Lewis.

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02:03:30.990 --> 02:03:31.350

Here.

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02:03:33.240 --> 02:03:33.510
Mayor Samwick: Here.

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02:03:35.280 --> 02:03:35.670
Trustee Veron: Here.

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02:03:35.970 --> 02:03:37.650
Trustee Waldman: This woman here.

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02:03:37.800 --> 02:03:40.770
Mayor Samwick: Is the Samara here. Thank you, Scott when

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02:03:41.790 --> 02:03:46.380
Mayor Samwick: Do we have motion to approve the town board minutes from
the meeting of

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02:03:46.440 --> 02:03:51.900
April 14 20 22nd.

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02:03:53.040 --> 02:03:53.760
Mayor Samwick: All in favor.

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02:03:54.180 --> 02:03:55.170
Mayor Samwick: Aye. Hi.

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02:03:55.410 --> 02:04:01.050
Mayor Samwick: Thank you. And do we have a motion to approve the minutes
of a special town board meeting of April 28 2020

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02:04:01.920 --> 02:04:02.550
Trustee Crandall: So moved.

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02:04:03.960 --> 02:04:04.320
Trustee Arest: Second,

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02:04:04.710 --> 02:04:05.490
Mayor Samwick: All in favor.

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02:04:07.380 --> 02:04:13.320

Mayor Samwick: Thank you. We now move to the report of the custodian of taxes as of April 30 2020

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Treasurer McClure: Good evening, members of the board. I've asked a loan catching to read those to read the comments on the April results for the town.

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Asst to Mgr Katzin: Received the town financial reports for April 2020 as of April 30 2020 99.30% of the school tax levy for 2019 has been received and submitted to the school district in addition 99.73% of the

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02:04:53.730 --> 02:04:55.920

Asst to Mgr Katzin: County tax levy has been collected

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Asst to Mgr Katzin: 93.05% of the county tax levy was collected in April. This is down 1.86% from last year's rate of 94.91%

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02:05:10.950 --> 02:05:26.370

Asst to Mgr Katzin: Total uncollected 2019 town taxes are \$1,094,225 at the end of April, compared with 620 \$8,367 at this

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02:05:26.580 --> 02:05:42.360

Asst to Mgr Katzin: At this time last year total delinquent taxes are 1,110,000 \$214 this year versus the figure of \$1,016,985 last year.

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02:05:43.440 --> 02:05:55.590

Asst to Mgr Katzin: Reminder notes for the 2020 county taxes will be mailed shortly. We will update the board this this time next month on the Collection, Results. If there are no if there are no questions. This concludes the report.

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02:05:58.710 --> 02:06:00.210

Mayor Samwick: Thank you. Hello. And any questions.

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02:06:04.890 --> 02:06:15.420

Mayor Samwick: Okay, with that we move to the second public comment portion of the meeting like open public comment for a second time. Give me just a moment here.

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Mayor Samwick: BK are there.

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02:06:25.470 --> 02:06:26.730

Mayor Samwick: I'll try again. Hold on.

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02:06:27.030 --> 02:06:27.930

B. Kathleen Munguia: Here I am.

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02:06:28.170 --> 02:06:29.160

Mayor Samwick: Okay, there you are.

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02:06:29.850 --> 02:06:42.180

B. Kathleen Munguia: Up. So I have three this is became on gear 58 Libra. I have three short points. One is lean. I wish you could remind me of the third are, but I really do.

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02:06:43.590 --> 02:06:48.300

B. Kathleen Munguia: Encourage our residents to reuse, recycle and what was the third one.

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B. Kathleen Munguia: If you can remember

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02:06:52.770 --> 02:06:56.130

Trustee Crandall: Reduce, reuse, recycle repurpose

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02:06:57.480 --> 02:06:57.780

Trustee Crandall: It.

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02:07:00.180 --> 02:07:10.980

B. Kathleen Munguia: I hope, I hope that we all do this. It's just makes good sense. My second point is I'm asking that as a member of a

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B. Kathleen Munguia: Group of Girl Scout leaders that when there is a discussion with respect to

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B. Kathleen Munguia: The possible reopening and use by the village of the Betty Talbert Girl Scout House that the local Girl Scout community be involved and the safe reopening of it. We anticipate, as a community, the need for the house for

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02:07:37.410 --> 02:07:45.630

B. Kathleen Munguia: Many Girl Scouts, who we feel are not going to be going away this summer. And if we can plan some safe programming.

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B. Kathleen Munguia: In small groups. We want to make sure that we can again use our house, which has been closed since March.

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B. Kathleen Munguia: And my third point is just as a citizen and resident of Scarsdale that while this evening trustee Lewis seem to have been the only one who got thank us for his known full

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B. Kathleen Munguia: I would like to thank the mayor and the other five trustees who voted yes on the proposed budget.

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B. Kathleen Munguia: Which was crafted after thoughtful review and careful consideration of all of our residents suggestions over many public meetings.

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B. Kathleen Munguia: That some residents suggestions may have not been taken, does not mean that their voices are not heard or their suggestions were not considered

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B. Kathleen Munguia: I'm grateful for this boards dedicated service to our community and I applaud, I applaud the incredible hard work of our staff, led by the village manager Steve Pappalardo. I want to thank you all.

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Mayor Samwick: BK. Thank you. We appreciate your comments.

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02:09:19.980 --> 02:09:21.120

Mayor Samwick: Mr Joe Rodriguez, either.

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02:09:21.780 --> 02:09:25.020

Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Yes, thank you very much. Mayor, Mark. I appreciate it.

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02:09:26.160 --> 02:09:34.020

Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Fantastic to hear BK moon Ghia a fellow Texan from San Antonio's so it's wonderful to hear her.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Absolutely. Every trustee should be thanked for her and his willingness to step up and serve. So, in that we absolutely concur.

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02:09:46.320 --> 02:09:59.430

Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Yes, absolutely. I am very biased and I am happy to state my biases. I was ran out of time. Previously, but I am very biased toward

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Trustee Lewis. And why is that actually I barely ever met him, although he is the liaison to the old Scarsdale neighborhood associations, of course, I've met him in that context.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: But I am biased toward him because he has the quants he has the chops to ask the hard questions. Where was the documentation. Where was the documentation, where were the

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02:10:24.120 --> 02:10:33.240

Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: The various numbers and documented information to prove that there were ever was a stress test on this budget.

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02:10:33.660 --> 02:10:43.710

Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: But I'm also very much in good occurrence with BK that I do hope we find a way to open up the Girl Scouts house.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: I am not involved with the Girl Scouts, but I am an assistant to the Cub Scouts here in Scarsdale off which everyone knows my husband is the

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: The Cub Scout master and I am the first leader of the first girl scouts dead so i i do concur with Mr pop a lot of that.

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02:11:02.400 --> 02:11:13.590

Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: With time and with the proper procedures and processes. All of that will happen, and I certainly look forward to that. So thank you very much for the case comments and

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: For everybody's efforts to try to slowly reopen the economy, which is absolutely devastated so many people, including here.

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02:11:24.240 --> 02:11:35.820

Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: I am and continue to be concerned with remarks from the village board of trustees that you want to do everything you want you possibly can to help the residents and

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02:11:36.690 --> 02:11:46.200

Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: I appreciate your remarks, but you should have never passed a budget, where you ignored over 305 residents who not only signed a petition.

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02:11:46.890 --> 02:11:57.480

Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Respectfully asking you to lower the tax burden, but they also many of them row you and asked you, and it was really incredible to read all of those letters and all of those

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02:12:01.980 --> 02:12:07.830

Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: These people set up numbers they sent you information they sent you citations.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: And

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: This worries me you had all the information you had all of the details. Trustee arrest. I agree with you. I appreciate your respect for data. You keep saying you want data.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: I want to hear from you trust the nearest what other data, could you possibly want.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Residents of saying you that data. I have sent you the data. The Scarsdale enquire editorial board publish an amazing piece on Friday writing in very elusive dating language that you

should have listened to residents, other than trustees and Lewis, I'm afraid you ignored our feedback.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: I thank the Village Board, all of you for your time to listen to us and I think especially the voter's choice party for

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: Stepping up Bob Burg Sean coed Bob salvati you guys are amazing. I will miss you, as everybody knows I'm stepping down as the campaign chair.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: It's a very hard decision for me. These guys have been amazing. And I am running for the school board and I can only do so much as much as I'd like to be involved in village me

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Mayor Samwick: Yes, I'm sorry, this is, this is really not a forum for

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Mayor Samwick: political statements and we appreciate your volunteering to run for public office, but I don't think this is the right forum for that.

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Mayra Rodriguez Valladares: I was only. Thank you, you're ready. That's it.

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you very much.

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Mayor Samwick: Mr Berger you there. I

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Jill Krutick: Am indeed. Good evening. Again, the more I researched the two installment property tax billing over the past few weeks, the more frustrated that become with this village board.

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Jill Krutick: And indeed, its predecessor boards, as I mentioned earlier tonight. Every single town board in Westchester County, besides the town of Scarsdale

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Jill Krutick: has adopted the two installment no penalty school tax billing plan for taxpayers, I believe most of done so years ago.

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Jill Krutick: The reason is obvious. This provides great cash flow flexibility and taxpayers, the school tax is the largest payment most residents pay, other than their income tax bills each year.

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Jill Krutick: When they're required to do so in one lump sum it often becomes very challenging for taxpayers to come up with the money.

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Jill Krutick: The two part payment plan cuts them a four month break recording them only to pay 50% in September and 50% four months later.

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Jill Krutick: Also the plan allows them to avoid the loan shark like penalties or all at least to minimize them. It's really a no brainer. When for taxpayers.

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Jill Krutick: And that's again is why every single town in the cities of ROI Peekskill, New Rochelle Mount Vernon and White Plains have implemented this plan.

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Jill Krutick: There's no question that this board must implement this long program for the school tax and there's no time to waste. So that our residents can take advantage of this plan for this year school tax.

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Jill Krutick: But you shouldn't stop there. My research also shows that many villages cities and some towns also allow that to installment building for their Texas to

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Jill Krutick: That includes the village of artists lead the villager porchester village of rye Brook village of mamaroneck

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Jill Krutick: villager Bronxville today actually build your Bronxville requested governor issue and executive order granting the 21 day extension.

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Jill Krutick: Because it sends out the normally it sends its village in school tax bills on June 1 and they're doing June 30 the first half installments. So they need additional time

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Jill Krutick: The village of Ossining village Pleasantville villager taco village of Briarcliff Manor village Hastings on Hudson.

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Jill Krutick: Village or Sleepy Hollow building Irvington village mount kisco military town all do the two part billing for their village taxes kind of Harrison, does the town and village taxes in two parts.

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Jill Krutick: So really, there's no excuse. Right, a city of Peekskill does it city taxes in two installments city of Mount Vernon, does the same entity White Plains.

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Jill Krutick: So really, you've got to look into doing it for the village taxes, time is really short with that.

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Jill Krutick: I don't know the exact way you can do it. I believe you have to request the governor to issue an executive order, but I think you should do that. Forthwith and

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Jill Krutick: You should really enlist and rescue and cousins and Amy Paul and in that endeavor. But that's another no brainer to me. Thank you.

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Mayor Samwick: Mr.

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Mayor Samwick: Closer there.

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nicholasT: Yes, I'm here. How is everybody

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nicholasT: Actually, I'm Nick Nicholas Thompson one forest lane. I was I was interested to hear earlier in the meeting about our local businesses downtown and I was hoping that on the village website that maybe up on the front page somewhere.

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nicholasT: Maybe up by the very top that there could be

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nicholasT: a listing of what stores are open and what kind of services they are doing or offering because that would be helpful to folks when they need to say go to see town or go to the hardware store.

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nicholasT: The, the, the other one is

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nicholasT: I know that right now that our library loft is actually closed.

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nicholasT: Is there any way any shape that the that the that the library website.

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nicholasT: Should

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nicholasT: Be have some sort of

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nicholasT: wording on their about when they might be reopening and also

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nicholasT: In what capacity, they will be doing this, whether whether it will be

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nicholasT: 25% 50% as well as what they need.

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nicholasT: Residents to do concerning

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nicholasT: Masks or items like that. And third is, I wrote a letter to the Scarsdale inquirer which you guys may or may not have read

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nicholasT: Concerning the town town budget and that I was very concerned that

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nicholasT: You guys

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nicholasT: aren't listening to the residents who are begging for relief in these in these completely

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nicholasT: On

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nicholasT: In these very uncertain times I was reading some of the comments on the village.

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nicholasT: Website. A concerning the book budget increases and some of them are apps are absolutely heartbreaking, there were there were folks who are

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nicholasT: Out of work, there were there were folks that have been retired for years that are that are having issues, trying to figure out whether they want to stay here or or

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nicholasT: Or whether they will have to move be extra because of increased taxes.

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nicholasT: I, I would hope that the board would understand that it is the taxpayers who actually pay the salaries of the people who who actually work for the, the town.

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nicholasT: And actually, and I would hope that they would learn to

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nicholasT: Respect that fact and that we as town residents are not a dime in a piggy bank that they that they cannot get out, year after year after year and expect us to go willingly

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nicholasT: Under the certain times, which are right now. Um, the last point.

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nicholasT: I'll make is that

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nicholasT: As a boy who actually made Eagle Scout that we need to do shared sacrifice and that needs to happen right now, actually.

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nicholasT: Thank you for your time and I appreciate everything that you are doing

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Mayor Samwick: Because. Thank you.

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Mayor Samwick: Mr. Harris and bear with me. I'm trying to make this work and it does not seem as though, getting it quite there yet. Are you there, Bob.

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Harrison: Yes. Do you hear me.

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Mayor Samwick: Yes, we can.

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Harrison: How about that isn't zoom great mayor.

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Mayor Samwick: Actually I'm struggling just a bit right now. But yes, it is.

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Harrison: Where is it in my hand, maybe you wanted to meet me last one, I don't care. Whatever.

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Mayor Samwick: I tell me the order they come up

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Harrison: There. Fair enough, fair, how many people are on zoom. Can you say briefly number

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Mayor Samwick: Of I can. So, so there are 16 panelists. There are 12 non panelists attendees at the moment that number was as high as 90 maybe 20 yeah

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Harrison: Okay, because if we were sitting in Rutherford always see who was there, right. So we're just talking about open government here.

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Harrison: Right attorney Posen, how are you. Hi.

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Harrison: Eddie I wave to you, maybe you didn't see me okay I'm using up my time here. So just to I forgot. Allison singer his last name and Allison as vice president of the school board and she took the lead on and writing the brief letter to the village to to promote the

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Harrison: Two installment payments for the

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Harrison: School taxes. So thank you. Allison publicly so people know that

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Harrison: And and Pam pure the President's award did a terrific job in leading the school board discussion last night and I spoke with her today and they're having another meeting tomorrow and their budget.

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Harrison: They cut their tax increase down to about 1.498% they were up at 1.99% so they're doing some hard work. They got

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Harrison: \$400,000 from non union personnel. They didn't define it directly, but they put it into tax reduction and

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Harrison: Village Board, put it into some kind of reserve fund where I think you had about \$97,000 per server reduction from non union personnel would have been nice.

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Harrison: shared that with the taxpayers and I think Mr. Thompson for his comments he spoke at the school board meeting last night and again today and appreciate is one of the younger members of our community and

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Harrison: He's very thoughtful and hopefully his words will make an impact on the morning so so hopefully the he you're going to have a workshop coming up to discuss the, the two payment to installment payments for the

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Harrison: School taxes and strongly urge you to approve that and and we're hearing is just about every other community has been doing it and we shouldn't do it to to help our taxpayers and

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Harrison: Let's see the might have made a comment actually her petition. I threw out some 300 number was 458 signatures on that petition to keep taxes at no increase or even trying to reduce them so

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Harrison: There was strong feeling in the community that the village tax rate should not be increased too late now. Yeah, we're going to get build on. On July 1 and would be nice if that was done in two payments for the future for you folks to discuss so

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Harrison: I'd like asked a really treasure. I think she's on. Can you make any comment on me county tax seemed a little confusing if you

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Harrison: Didn't pay your tax by the end of April. Are there penalties. Is there a certain penalty for the first month of May. Is there additional penalty for if you pay in

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Harrison: In June, maybe you could clarify that and be helpful to our residents and I don't know if we have any indication of the clothes out surplus yet. We got about

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Harrison: 18 days till the end of the fiscal year, you probably don't have the numbers except you have some ideas. And I don't know if people want to share them at this point in time, I realized it's still still early so the

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Harrison: Doctor, just one one last area. For those of you who don't follow the markets that closely last Friday unemployment rates spiked to 14.7%

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Harrison: Much higher than it was back in the great recession of 2008 nine the economy lost 25.5 million jobs, the unemployment claims are now up to 33 million people, it's a disaster out there.

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Harrison: Scarsdale is not immune to what's going on across the nation and as too bad. You can see your way to have no tax increase. But that's done, and I'm sure you'll be

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Harrison: Working during the year to be efficient. And so a lot of difficult decisions to make on the summer camp and

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Harrison: And other things. And of course, the school board has touched decisions without leaving school and in the fall.

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Harrison: So thanks for all the time and work you're doing. I cannot emphasize shared sacrifice by everybody. And certainly, let's think of

the taxpayers who have supported our, our village in our school for all the years that they lived here. Thank you very much.

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Mayor Samwick: So just a couple of comments to just clarify a few things, you know, first with respect to

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Mayor Samwick: two installments for the school tax on this is not the first time that this topic has been brought up, it is brought up periodically.

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Mayor Samwick: And the approach that the Village Board has taken every time is to be collaborative with the school district.

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Mayor Samwick: We clearly recognize that there are impacts on the school district. And in fact, you don't have to look that far back to see a \$1 million plus swing interest income to the school district.

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Mayor Samwick: As a result of having one payment instead of two. So clearly, getting the letter we received just late this afternoon.

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Mayor Samwick: Having the school districts support such a move is, is, you know, the way that we're approaching this

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Mayor Samwick: And looking at it in a way that is constructive and collaborative as we always do our taxpayers are a paramount importance to us.

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Mayor Samwick: As is with the school district. And when we work together on items like this, we're going to get a much better outcome. This is not something that the Village Board felt should be done in a vacuum.

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Mayor Samwick: I'd also like to clarify that ended all penalties, whether someone wants to refer to them as loan shark like or not.

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Mayor Samwick: Are really mandated by the state. These are not something that are that are determined by this board or any other Village Board. And so that is something that we all live with and by and by the way that I don't want to lose that point either

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Mayor Samwick: We are all taxpayers these things matter of us as well. If we're able to

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Mayor Samwick: Look at the impacts and find that it is beneficial to move to to installment payments for the for the school tax and for that matter the village tax. That's something that benefit all of us, if it's something that is achievable. We've been working

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Mayor Samwick: With Council and with others to look into what options exist for for exactly these things. And these are things that we have been and will continue to work on.

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Mayor Samwick: There was a question about the reopening of the library loft. And again, getting back to some of the comments I started with in the village manager mentioned

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Mayor Samwick: In those, those are decisions that are going to come with the reopening of the economy and the reopening of everything that we do in order to really just follow the governor's lead

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Mayor Samwick: And then with regard to, you know, did Mr garrison just referred to

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Mayor Samwick: His school reducing the tax levy and he praised the school for reducing the tax levy from 1.99%

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Mayor Samwick: To 1.49% and you know as coincidental as this seems the village did exactly the same thing.

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Mayor Samwick: We found some tax savings that we did pass it along to our residents and we did initially have a 1.98% increase in the budget that we were able to reduce to 1.46%

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Mayor Samwick: So, you know, everything that we're doing the school district is doing is with residents and taxpayers at the forefront of our mind. We are keenly aware and we as individuals are not immune to what's going on in the coven economy that we're living in right now.

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Mayor Samwick: With that said, I would like to see a couple of other trustees that want to say a couple of words. Give me just a moment here trust you and I believe

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Mayor Samwick: I think I just tried to

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Trustee Veron: Me. Thank you. Thank

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Trustee Veron: YOU. Mayor, just a comment, Nicholas you first of all, thank you for your sincere care for our merchants.

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Trustee Veron: And our business community, obviously they're essential to the fabric of our community and having residents support the business communities is actually so greatly appreciated by our merchants.

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Trustee Veron: I you asked about a listing at the last meeting. I know that the Scarsdale Business Alliance provided for

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Trustee Veron: Provisional membership for actually all of 10583 businesses and they are building a website so that you can get exactly the information that you're seeking

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Trustee Veron: We will be speaking again about that when we meet as a collaborative group on Thursday. So great suggestion. We're working on it and thank you for your care.

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Mayor Samwick: Interest you burn trust yours.

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Trustee Arest: Thank you, mayor. I just wanted to make two points. I think there's a misconception that automatically going to two installments means fewer penalties and interest. It's very possible that that's the outcome will, we will see

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Trustee Arest: After I assume we move forward. This way, but in my research as I started to look into this and find data to back up whatever decision we make and a lot of the things that we do.

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Trustee Arest: You were to convert the Bronxville actual and I don't have this in front of me. I apologize, but my recollection is if you were to convert the actual penalties and interest collected from Bronxville in 1920 and if you did that, based on population size or parcel size.

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Trustee Arest: They collected more

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Trustee Arest: Interest in penalties than we did

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Trustee Arest: In 1920 so just anecdotal one, you know, one of their village to compare to.

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Trustee Arest: But I think it's important to note, I also think it's important than any of these decisions that and we've been saying saying this for quite a while. And I think we we truly believe it obviously

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Trustee Arest: That we shouldn't make hasty decisions in a panic or in fear, without better information and you know going to to partial payments for the village right now.

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Trustee Arest: It might be a good idea. I would be a little hesitant without a lot of further analysis looking into it, it would be under Section 928 a because I've researched this as well.

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Trustee Arest: We do not need an executive order. Normally, in this case, because we're within the 60 day window, we would need an executive order.

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Trustee Arest: And this is one of the things I hope to discuss at our next work session because while I think it would be imprudent

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Trustee Arest: To advocate for such a change permanently there there is the ability to have conditions on such a change. And I would be in favor of personally I'm one of seven, but I would be in favor of perhaps looking to do something like that for this year.

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Trustee Arest: You know, as a condition of hardship for one year only. If it's going to benefit our residents, where it gets a little more complicated. And I'm sorry we can talk about this more at the work session, but

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Trustee Arest: The counties are able to then opt out of the interest and penalties on the second payment, we would not be able to do that without another executive order or an act of the assembly, etc.

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Trustee Arest: So it gets a little more complicated. There we can have more of a discussion, but that again would be a 928 day and I look forward to meeting in two weeks. Thank you.

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Mayor Samwick: Thank you very much. Trustee errs

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Mayor Samwick: Moving out in the future meeting schedule on Tuesday, May 26 2020 at 7pm will be a regular Village Board meeting held again the zoom

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Mayor Samwick: The meeting notice with the time and the format will follow and be available to all that will be preceded by a work session, as we've been discussing that will also have a notice associated with that emotion to close the town board.

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Trustee Ross: So,

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Mayor Samwick: Second. All in favor. Aye. Aye. Thank you very much. And everybody be well please