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DECEMBER 30, 2010

The Town Of Corinth Town Board held a regular meeting on December 18, 2010 at 4:30 PM at the Town Hall.

Present: Richard Lucia, Supervisor
 Charles Brown, Councilman
 John Major, Councilman
 Edward Byrnes, Councilman
 Mitchell Saunders, Councilman
 Shawn Eggleston, Highway Superintendent
 Fred Mann, Code Enforcement Officer
 Rose E. Farr, Town Clerk

Public: Jim Murray, Sr., Linda Hamm and Sigrid Koch

After roll call the following business was transacted:

Supervisor Lucia told the board that this was a time for “Remembering Joe”. (Joseph Hughes)
Supervisor Lucia read the following he had written about Joe:

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“Remembering Joe”

Joseph H. Hughes, A Father, Grandfather, A Great Grandfather, An Uncle, A Veteran, A friend, A Welder, a Democratic Chairman, A Councilman, And a Town Supervisor.

Joe, was in the United States Army, in World War II, And received many medals. Therefore bringing Joe to Be an important member of Corinth’s, Horace D Washburn, Post # 533

Joe was a welder at International Paper Company, For 35 years, where his ambassadorship earned him Many friends.

Joe was a natural born statesman, his “gift” earned

Him the title of Toastmaster at many I P Union Banquets, and at all the Corinth Emergency Squad Officer Banquets. His Toasts were always filled with True stories about whichever event he was attending.

Joe loved his Community and served many volunteer Positions, while being a Town Councilman from 1978 to 1981, and Town Supervisor from 1984, until 1987.

Although Joe and I were always on opposite sides of The aisle in our Party preferences, we were always Friends, never letting our party affiliations spoil our Friendship. I remember one time when I was first Running for office, I came to the polls early as a Committeeman and brought the girls coffee and Doughnuts, & pastries, when Joe, came in the Democratic

**Inspector said to Joe He is on the ballot and been
Hanging around here
For 2 hours. Joes, reply, Young Man, I can have you
Thrown off the
Ballot for this, but he didn't, but, lesson learned.**

**When Supervisor MacDonald Passed away and I was
Being considered to replace her, Joe was the first to
Come to support me for the position. He stayed by my
Side in support, through the whole process.**

**After this he came by the office or called me often to
Give me his opinion on Town Issues or just get the facts.
Joe, for many years was a fixture at the Senior Center
For lunch and always wanted the correct scoop to
Discuss with the seniors.**

**He always had a firm handshake and a smile, and
You knew you had a friend in Joseph Hughes. You**

leave

**A huge void, not only with your family, but the
Community of Corinth.**

God Bless you Joe, R.I.P..

Sincerely, Supervisor Dick Lucia

Supervisor Lucia told the Town Board that the Reorganizational Meeting at the County will be held on January 3rd and the Reorganizational Meeting for the Town would be held January 6th with Oaths and Audits at 6:30 PM and Town Board Meeting at 7:00 PM.

Public Comment

Jim Murray, Sr. told the Town Board “Happy New Year”

Town Board

Nothing

Town Clerk

Town Clerk Farr wished everyone “Happy New Year”.

Highway

Highway Superintendent Eggleston told the Town Board that he has the Specifications for the Bulldozer that he and the Village wish to purchase. He said that the money is in the budget for the Town’s half and the Village will be doing the bidding. He said that one of the conditions of the purchase would be that they take the 1984 John Deere bulldozer in as trade.

RESOLUTION #265

PLACE THE PURCHASE OF A BULL DOZER WITH THE VILLAGE UP FOR BID

On a motion made by Councilman Brown and seconded by Councilman Byrnes and the following resolution was

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ADOPTED Ayes 5

Lucia, Brown, Major, Byrnes and Saunders

RESOLVED that the Town agrees to have the Village put a bulldozer up for bid and the town and Village will share the cost in purchasing said bulldozer, and be it further

RESOLVED that the Town Attorney must approve the specifications and bidding for said bulldozer.

Code Enforcement

Code Enforcement Officer Mann told the Town Board that Mr. Paquin had come in to request a building permit for a garage on the former Eagle property. Code Enforcement Officer Mann said that he know he cannot issue a permit with violations on the property. He said that Mr. Paquin has cleaned up the property and there are only two trailers left on the property and a pile of stuff. He asked that perhaps a couple of Town Board members could accompany him to the property to see if a building permit for the garage could be issued. A tentative date for Councilman Byrnes and Councilman Brown to accompany the Code Enforcement Officer was set for Monday, January 10, 2011.

RESOLUTION #266

TRANSFERS

On a motion made by Councilman Saunders and seconded by Councilman Major and the following resolution was

ADOPTED Ayes 5
Nays 0

Lucia, Brown, Major, Byrnes and Saunders

RESOLVED that the following transfers be made:

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Transfer \$158.15 from Appropriation 19904.01 (Contingency) to Appropriation 16804.01 (Data Processing) for \$64.40 and Appropriation 47894.01 (Economic Development) for \$93.75 to cover shortages.

Transfer \$188.50 from Appropriation 75504.01 (Celebrations) to Appropriation 19101.01 (Unallocated Insurance) for ½ Image Committee Insurance Invoice.

Transfer \$134.20 from Appropriation 49892.01 (Paramedics Equipment) to Appropriation 49891.01 (Paramedics Personal Services) for shortage.

Increase Appropriation 51122.04 (Permanent Improvements Equipment) in the amount of \$16,780.83 and Revenue Account 3501.04 (CHIPS) in the amount of \$61.83 for 2010 NYSDOT Payment.

Transfer \$1,072.00 from 12201.01 (Supervisor Personal Services) to 10101.01 (Town Board Personal Services) for Deputy Supervisor Pay.

Transfer \$789.20 from 90608.04 (Medical Insurance) to 51104.04 (General Repairs Contractual) for fuel shortage.

RESOLUTION #267

MOTION TO ADJOURN TO BILL PAYING

On a motion made by Councilman Byrnes and seconded by Councilman Major and the following resolution was

ADOPTED	Ayes	5	Lucia, Brown, Major, Byrnes and Saunders
	Nays	0	

RESOLVED that the board adjourns to bill paying.

RESOLUTION #268

MOTION TO PAY BILLS AS AUDITED WITH NO EXCEPTION

On a motion of Councilman Brown and seconded by Councilman Saunders the following resolution was

ADOPTED	Ayes	5	Lucia, Brown, Major, Byrnes and Saunders
	Nays	0	

RESOLVED that the board pays bills as audited with any exceptions as follows:

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Abstracts For 12/30/2010

General Fund/Town Wide – A:

\$57,502.59

General Fund/Outside Village – B:

\$3,418.44

Community Development Grant – CD:

\$0

Highway/Town Wide – DA:

\$0

Highway/Part Town – DB:

\$33,459.74

Capital Project/Landfill Upgrades – H1:

\$0

Fire Protection – SF:

\$0

Street Lighting – SL:

\$0

Sewer/Water – SW:

\$6,471.00

Trust & Agency – TA:

\$147,188.29

Scenic Train –

\$0

Town of Corinth Railroad –

\$48,692.22

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RESOLUTION #269

MOTION TO ADJOURN TO EXECUTIVE SESSION

On a motion of Councilman Major and seconded by Councilman Saunders the following resolution was

ADOPTED Ayes 5 Lucia, Brown, Major, Byrnes and Saunders
 Nays 0

RESOLVED that at 4:40 PM the Town Board adjourn to Executive Session on personnel with no decisions being made.

Respectfully submitted,

Rose E. Farr, RMC
Town Clerk