

TB Workshop Mtg May 12, 2022
TOWN BOARD WORKSHOP MEETING
COLDEN TOWN HALL May 12, 2022

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT 6:07PM

PRESENT: Councilman Dennis Robinson
Councilman Jesse Hrycik
Councilwoman Patricia Zurbrick
Councilman Gerald Pietraszek
Supervisor James DePasquale

ALSO PRESENT: Town Clerk Christina Kerlin
Planning Board Chairman Walt Kammer
Approximately 1 resident

1. Change of Use: Nardolillo-Tree Service

Supervisor DePasquale stated that the Planning Board turned in a recommendation and conditions for the Change of Use for Nardolillo Tree Service on Phillips Road. The Town Board discussed the recommendations and conditions that were turned over from the Planning Board and addressed their concerns with the property that will be used for the business. The Town Board will address this at tonight's meeting.

2. Town Health Insurance

Supervisor DePasquale stated that Councilman Robinson will be commenting on the health insurance tonight.

Councilman Robinson stated that he met with eligible town employees on the health insurance coverage increase. With the increase this year there is no way the town can keep up with making the full payment, the Town Board needs to decide where to draw a line and have employee's start to contribute towards health insurance. The town board does not want the employees to come up with the full increase but would like to start the employee out with a fair percentage of the increase. The Town Board discussed different percentages of the increase to be covered by the employees. Town Board is looking for a fair portion for the employees out of pocket contribution. The increase currently for a family plan is 8.2%, If the employee covered 10% of the increase the cost would run \$5.16 per pay period for a single plan and \$10.45 per pay period for a family plan. The cost seems sustainable for the employee, and each year the Town Board would evaluate the cost of the health insurance based upon any increase in coverage that occurs. The decision will be decided later at the Regular Town Board meeting tonight.

3. Open Town Board Discussion

ADJOURN

MOTION made by Councilman Hrycik and seconded by Councilman Robinson and unanimously adjourned the meeting at 6:58pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Christina M. Kerlin
Town Clerk