

July 18, 2020

Special Meeting-

The special meeting of the City of Port Jervis Common Council was held via Zoom teleconference from the Acting Mayor's home in Port Jervis, New York on Saturday July 18th, 2020 at 10:00 am. Present on the Zoom meeting were Lisa Randazzo Acting Mayor and Councilwoman-at-large, Council Members Kristin Trovei, Regis Foster, Timothy Simmons, Chandler Campbell, Maria Mann and City Clerk Treasurer Robin Waizenegger.

Absent members were Stanley Siegel, Dominick Santini, Gerald Oney and Mayor Kelly Decker

Lisa Randazzo:

It is 10:00 AM, Saturday July 18th 2020 via zoom. We are having a special meeting of the Port Jervis Common Council. I have a little flag here. Please stand for the pledge.

All Present:

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America. And to the republic for which it stands, one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Timothy Simmons:

God Bless America.

Lisa Randazzo:

Purpose of the meeting this morning is for a resolution to establish an occupancy tax of up to 3% that some of you may remember we had passed this previously in 2019 to go forth to the Senate and Assembly to even have the option to establish an occupancy tax. With that I will read the resolution and I will need a motion and a second

WHEREAS, the City of Port Jervis Common Council desires to establish an occupancy tax of up to three percent

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Common Council of the City of Port Jervis pursuant to Article IX of the NYS Constitution, the City of Port Jervis requests the enactment of Assembly Bill A6079 and Senate Bill S04717-A.

I will make that a motion

Regis Foster:

I will move that motion

Timothy Simmons:

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Lisa Randazzo: Ok motion by Regis Foster and second by Mr. Simmons. All in Favor.

Chorus of Ayes

Lisa Randazzo: Opposed? Oh sorry Any discussion?

Silence

Lisa Randazzo: Again all in favor

Chorus of Ayes

Lisa Randazzo: Opposed? *Silence* So moved. Now I just need a motion to adjourn and go enjoy our Saturday.

Timothy Simmons:

So moved

Regis Foster:

Second

Lisa Randazzo:

Motion by Timothy Simmons and second by Regis Foster all in Favor.

Chorus of Ayes

Lisa Randazzo: Opposed? *Silence* So moved.

Meeting adjourned at 10:02 pm

Next Regular Meeting is tentatively scheduled for 6:30 pm Executive Session and 7:15 pm Regular Meeting on Monday July 27th, 2020 in the Council Room at City Hall, 20 Hammond Street, Port Jervis NY subject to change based on the conditions under Emergency order related to the COVID 19 Outbreak.

Robin Waizenegger
City Clerk Treasurer