

**TOWN BOARD SPECIAL MEETING
TOWN OF COXSACKIE
March 11, 2015**

PRESENT: Richard Hanse, Supervisor
Thomas Hobart, Councilman
Patrick Kennedy, Councilman, (arrived 4:25 p.m.)
Michael Veeder, Councilman

Absent: Bambi Hotaling, Town Clerk

GUESTS: Ted Hilscher, Esq., Clark Pell, Frank Gerrain, Hal Beaumont, Warren Mueller

Supervisor called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance at 3:55 p.m.

The board members discussed the comments made by participants in the March 10 public hearing objecting to the complexity of the proposed law Local Law No. 1 of 2015, duplication of regulations already contained in the code and unreasonable limitations placed on operators of event venues. Additionally the town board dialogued with the three members of the planning board and crafted a revised Local Law No. 1. As the new proposed local law was substantively different from the original proposal, the town board scheduled a public hearing for April 7 at 7:00 p.m.

Supervisor Hanse asked planning board Chairman Pell how urgently he wanted to fill the unexpired term on the planning board caused by the resignation of board member Gordon Pebler. Chairman Pell said that he would like to fill the vacancy as soon as possible. The planning board had earlier recommended the appointment of Betty Cure. Patrick Kennedy made a motion to appoint Mrs. Cure. Michael Veeder seconded the motion which was duly carried.

Ayes: 4 – Hanse, Hobart, Kennedy, Veeder

A motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:50 p.m. was made by Thomas Hobart, seconded by Patrick Kennedy and duly carried.

Bambi Hotaling, Town Clerk*

*Supervisor Hanse prepared the minutes in the absence of the Town Clerk.