

**TOWN OF SAND LAKE**  
**TOWN BOARD BUDGET MEETING**  
October 21, 2020

A meeting of the Sand Lake Town Board was held on October 21, 2020 at 6:00 P.M. at the Sand Lake Town Hall. After the Pledge of Allegiance, the following answered roll call:

**PRESENT:** Councilman Bulmer  
Councilwoman Erickson  
Councilman Film  
Councilman Nippes  
Town Attorney Ely - Absent  
Supervisor Perry

**RECORDING SECRETARY:** Barbara Hansen, Town Clerk

**OTHERS PRESENT:** See attached sign in sheet

**CALL TO ORDER:** Supervisor Perry opened the meeting at 6:00 P.M.

Supervisor Perry opened the meeting reading the following Resolution.

**RESOLUTION #2020-10-88**

**Approval to Contract with Ryan Holohan to Construct a Pump Track Adjacent to the Town Trails**

**Moved by: Supervisor**

**Seconded by: Councilwoman Erickson**

*Whereas*, a group of enthusiastic citizens and the Boy Scouts have expressed interest in constructing a pump track on the Town lands near the walking trails on Eastern Union Turnpike and have spent a great deal of time planning the track; and

*Whereas*, the Pump Track will serve as another recreation area for the youth in our town; and

*Whereas*, there is very little public moneys being spent on this project and two quotes were obtained to construct the track; now therefore

***Be it Resolved***, the Town Board authorizes Ryan Holohan to construct a Pump Track on the Town lands near the walking trails on Eastern Union Turnpike at a total cost not-to-exceed \$3,000.

Public Comments: Doug Worden spoke about the growing interest in mountain biking and pump tracks. Supervisor Perry said the idea of creating a pump track in Town was first brought to her by Melissa Toni, Chairwoman of the Zoning Board whose children are avid advocates of the pump track. Looking for activities she and her family could participate in this summer within the restrictions of the Covid 19 epidemic, they traveled to pump tracks in the northeast and found them packed with kids enjoying the sport. It is a sport that makes it easy to social distance, is great exercise and most of all fun. A local Boy Scout Troop, in attendance at the meeting, was instrumental in designing the track and will be building and maintaining the track. Scout Matthew Dangler advised that the sport is safe and will appeal to all levels of participation, from beginners to extreme sports enthusiasts. John Slyer, owner of Skyhigh Adventure Camp spoke about his first encounter with pump tracks and how his campers felt it would be an asset to his camp. Mr. Slyer assured the Board that the pump track is not high maintenance nor is it highly dangerous and is just a lot of fun for the kids. He said his goal is to put together a mountain

biking team for kids in the area. Jim Rooney, another avid mountain biker, spoke in support of the pump track.

MOTION CARRIED: UNANIMOUS

**RESOLUTION #2020-10-87**

**Notice of Establishment of Preliminary Budget and Notice of Public Hearing**

**Moved by: Supervisor Perry**

**Seconded by: Councilman Film**

***Be it Resolved,*** that the Town Board does hereby establish the Preliminary Budget for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2021 and the budget will be filed in the Office of the Town Clerk at the Sand Lake Town Hall, 8428 NY 66, Sand Lake, New York where it is available for inspection by any interested person during regular office hours; and

***Be it Further Resolved,*** that notice was given that the Town Board of the Town of Sand Lake will review said Preliminary Budget and hold a Public Hearing thereon, at the Sand Lake Town Hall, 8428 NY 66, Sand Lake, New York at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 28, 2020 and that at such hearing any person may be heard in favor or against any item or items contained; and

***Be it Further Resolved,*** that the Town Clerk has been directed to publish the notice of public hearing in the official newspaper, bulletin board, and town's website and that copies of the Preliminary Budget are made available for public review; and at least five days must elapse between the first publication of the notice and date specified for the Public Hearing; and

***Be it Further Resolved,*** that pursuant to Section 108 of Town Law, the proposed salaries of the elected officials are hereby specified as follows:

**Town of Sand Lake  
2020 Schedule of Salaries of Elected Officials  
(Article 8 of Town Law)**

<u>Officer</u>	<u>Salary</u>
Supervisor	\$25,000
Councilpersons (4@\$8,518)	\$34,072
Town Clerk	\$43,888
Receiver of Taxes	\$10,180

MOTION CARRIED: UNANIMOUS

SUPERVISOR Perry made a motion to adjourn the October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020 Town Board meeting at 6:17 pm. The Motion was seconded by Councilman Nippes