

**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE  
VILLAGE OF MARCELLUS  
HELD AT THE VILLAGE HALL  
ON SEPTEMBER 26, 2016**

**PRESENT:** John P. Curtin, Mayor See List  
Sara N. Tallman, Trustee  
Jeff Brown, Attorney

**ABSENT:** Patrick W. Cox, Trustee

Mayor Curtin asked for a motion to open the public hearing at 7:00 p.m. Trustee Tallman made a motion to open the hearing, seconded by Mayor Curtin. Both board members voted aye, and the public hearing was opened.

The Village Clerk read the legal notice of the public hearing to those in attendance.

Mayor Curtin explained that the purpose of the public hearing was to allow all interested parties the opportunity to be heard regarding proposed Local Law #3 of 2016, which will repeal and replace Chapter 89, Flood Damage Prevention, of the Code of the Village of Marcellus with updated language which reflects the most current and effective flood management measures.

Mayor Curtin made the following comments:

- The repeal and replacement of the Village's Flood Damage Prevention Law became necessary because of new FEMA regulations and maps that were devised.
- FEMA requires that communities submit to periodic evaluations of their floodplain management program in order to maintain program eligibility. The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, as state coordinator for the National Flood Insurance Program, contracted with FEMA to perform the evaluation.
- The Village submitted its new Flood Damage Prevention Law to FEMA for review and FEMA found the law acceptable. The law was reviewed and approved by the Village Attorney, and is on file in the Village Office. The new law will also be posted on the Village's website, under Village Codes.
- At the advice of Attorney Brown, the Board intends to authorize a SEQR Resolution and Negative Declaration for Local Law #3, prior to the approval of the Local Law.

Mayor Curtin then asked for questions or comments from the public. There were none. Trustee Tallman made a motion to close the public hearing at 7:05p.m.. The motion was seconded by Mayor Curtin. Mayor Curtin called for a vote. Both board members voted aye and the public hearing was closed.

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Dawn M. O'Hara, Village Clerk