

Minutes For General Meeting March 5, 2026
Meeting #3487

Time: Chairman Mannone convened the meeting at 6pm

Commissioners: Chairman Mannone, Vice Chairman Beckman, Commissioners Samoles, Morgan and Doherty and Counsel John Ciampoli

Treasurer Lisa Lazansky and Secretary to The Board Missy Kornbluth did not attend. Stacey Ward was present in their absence.

Motion to waive the reading of the minutes and to approve the minutes of the General Board Meeting held on February 5, 2026.

Motion by: Vice Chairman Beckman
Seconded by: Commissioner Samoles
Vote: 5-0

Motion to approve the payments of District operating expenses, including payroll, from the period from February 5, 2026- March 5, 2026.

Motion by: Commissioner Doherty
Seconded by: Vice Chairman Beckman
Vote: 5-0

Motion to approve payments to each claimant included in the abstract of claims provided by the District Treasurer and audited by the Board for the period from February 5, 2026- March 5, 2026.

Motion by: Commissioner Samoles
Seconded by: Commissioner Morgan
Vote: 5-0

Old Business

Overtime policy tabled to the next meeting to be approved.

New Business

Accept the resignation of Luke Kurshner, Sanitation Worker.

Motion by: Commissioner Doherty
Seconded by: Commissioner Samoles
Vote: 5-0

Chairman Mannone discussed with the 553 Shop Steward the replacement of Luke Kursner, and the hiring of another part time worker to replace Eric Catalanotto. Note, Eric Catalanotto will be hired full-time at the April General Meeting.

Supervisor Frank Catapano asked when the new part timer could start, as Civil Service approved him. Can he start Monday, March 9, 2026? The Chairman said he has questions for the Supervisors re the next part time hire.

A ratification was made as The Chairman signed off on a fuel contract for oil maintenance that was time sensitive to hold the negotiated price of \$3195 vs \$3795.

Chairman Report

Update on 553 wanting to utilize Oceanside Road coming back from the dump.

Chairman Mannone shared his findings re having the truck using Oceanside Road. While Oceanside Road has a weight limit per his conversation with the town, the weight limit except municipal vehicles. Our secretary contacted the Department of transportation at the county. Nassau County's position is they follow whatever the town of Hempstead dictates. No restrictions. When discussing with the supervisors that was one objection. The other objection was a potential insurance issue. After contacting the insurance agent, we learned that if it is legal to drive that road, our trucks are allowed to use Oceanside Road. The Chairman feels this is a non-issue. From a practical concern, coming down OSD Road you pass two schools. When heading back via Merrick Road from the dump you pass three schools. What Joe Capitelli, Shop Steward of 553 suggested to use re OSD Rd coming back from the dump to avoid traffic on Long Beach Road. The suggestion is to wait until after 8:45am otherwise use Long Beach Road. Typically, the drivers are not back by 8:45am unless they have an extremely light day.

The chairman spoke with Mike D'Ambrosio, a supervisor suggested to come down pass one school then cut over to Oceanside Road. Davidson Ave, the library block, then said it is not good as it is hard to make the turn. It is recommended to go down Howard Ave, the third left on Long Beach Road. Vice Chairman Beckman and Frank Catapano, supervisor agreed as well.

Commissioner Morgan asked about coming all the way down Oceanside Road until you get to Mott St and make the right on Neil Ct. Vice Chairman Beckman shared it is much better if you make the right on Mott St because of the JCC has pick up and drop off until 11am. The concern is there would be too many kids. Commissioner Doherty asked if we pick up past Oceanside Road.

Vice Chairman Beeckman answered the trucks do not come down Oceanside Road. The route is Long Beach Road to Mott St. Commissioner Morgan asked what road is currently used from the dump to Oceanside Road? Joe Capitelli added we take Long Beach Road back from the dump via Sunrise Highway. Commissioner Morgan

said to take Oceanside Road back, and Vice Chairman Beckman said that is what we are saying. Capitelli said if you turn on from Sunrise Highway to Merrick Road you will be going through the village and the village will not allow it.

Chairman Mannone has spoken with all four supervisors and is aware of their position. We do not want to have any issues. If we make a change and get a lot of feedback from the community, we can re address. Counsel stated we have the right to be on community Road.

Motion to enter executive session at 6:38pm to discuss matters and for the purpose of asking for and receiving legal advice.

Motion by: Vice Chairman Beckman
Seconded by: Commissioner Doherty
Vote: 5-0

Motion to exit executive session at 8:08pm. Noting Commissioners Morgan and Samoles left mid executive session.

Motion by: Commissioner Doherty
Seconded by: Vice Chairman Beckman
Vote: 3-0

Motion to approve this year's auditor EFPR Group for 2025 ending December 31,2025

Motion by: Commissioner Doherty
Seconded by: Commissioner Samoles
Vote: 3-0

Buybacks

Motion to approve days pursuant to CBA contract terms for 2026.

Employee #134

\$2061.84

Motion by: Commissioner Doherty
Seconded by: Vice Chairman Beckman
Vote: 3-0

Buybacks

Motion to approve days pursuant to CBA contract terms for 2026.

Employee #8297

\$46,740.99

Motion by: Commissioner Doherty
Seconded by: Vice Chairman Beckman
Vote: 3-0

Buybacks

Motion to approve days pursuant to CBA contract terms for 2026.

Employee #128

\$8332.80

Motion by: Commissioner Doherty
Seconded by: Vice Chairman Beckman
Vote: 3-0

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Motion to approve days pursuant to CBA contract terms for 2026.

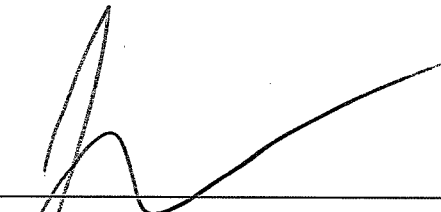
Employee # 9791

\$5895.40


Motion by: Commissioner Doherty
Seconded by: Vice Chairman Beckman
Vote: 3-0

Motion to exit adjourn meeting.

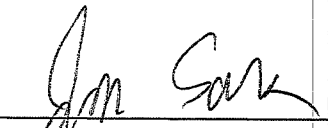
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Seconded by: Vice Chairman Beckman
Vote: 3-0



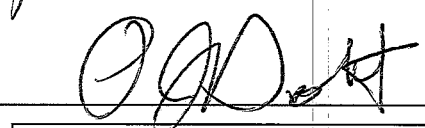
John Mannone Chairman



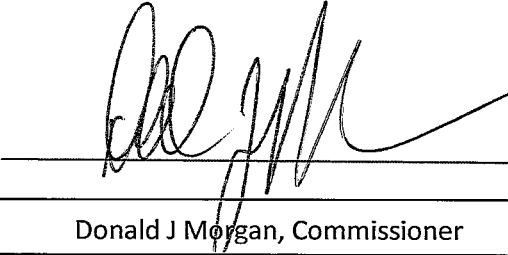
Sheryl Beckman, Vice Chairman



Joseph Samoles, Commissioner



Patrick Doherty, Commissioner



Donald J Morgan, Commissioner