TOWN OF ROSEBOOM

 Public Hearing on Local Law #3

**October 12, 2017**

The Public Hearing regarding partial exemption from town taxation on real property for 65 years of age and older, instituting an income based sliding scale, local law 3-2017 was held on October 12, 2017. Supervisor Gustafson called the public hearing to order at 6:30 pm.

**PRESENT**: Supervisor Patti Gustafson. Councilperson’s Curtis VanDewerker, Allegra Schecter, Dan Gage and Charles Diamond. Superintendent Mitchell VanBuren.

**Absent/Excused:** None

**VISITORS LISTING:** Attachment #1

**The Town Clerk read the newspaper posting regarding the public hearing.**

**The Town Clerk read the local law aloud.**

**SUPERVISOR COMMENTS**

* Supervisor Gustafson discussed the law with the town board and the public.

**TOWN BOARD COMMENTS**

* The board discussed the law in detail.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

* John Mead asked a question regarding the scale, who it would help and how the savings from those impacted would then be distributed amongst those that this would not help. Supervisor Gustafson answered the question and provided specifics regarding the scale, the projected number impacted and a dollar value.

**PUBLIC HEARING ADJOURNMENT**:

* A **MOTION** to adjourn the Public Hearing regarding partial exemption from town taxation on real property for 65 years of age and older, instituting an income based sliding scale, local law 3-2017 was made by Councilperson VanDewerker and seconded by Councilperson Schecter. All were in favor. The public hearing was adjourned at 6:45 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Erin Seeley

Town Clerk

Note: See Town Board Meeting Minutes (October 12, 2017) for MOTION to approve.