

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF THE VILLAGE OF ATLANTIC BEACH
AND
PUBLIC HEARING TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE VILLAGE OF ATLANTIC BEACH
65 THE PLAZA, ATLANTIC BEACH, NY 11509

JANUARY 13, 2025

CALL TO ORDER - 7:30 PM

SALUTE TO THE FLAG

ROLL CALL

Present were:

Mayor George J. Pappas
Trustees Patricia Beaumont
Nathan Etrog
Barry M. Frohlinger
Anthony Livreri
Village Treasurer Herbert A. Klibanoff
Village Attorney Jared A. Kasschau
Village Clerk Emily Siniscalchi
Superintendent Vincent Amoroso

REPORTS

- I. A. Police Activity Report – December 2024 – Given by PO Thomas Ahrens
Movers: 43 Parkers: 0 Aided: 6
Larceny (other than auto) 1 incident
Criminal Mischief 1 incident
- B. Atlantic Beach Rescue Report – Chief Danny Hammelburg
Report given and attached
- C. Parks & Beaches Commission Report - Chairman Nat Etrog
Report given and attached
- D. The Village Garden – Chairperson Suzy Schneider
Report given and attached
- E. AB Cats – Beth Brenner – Report attached
- F. Beautification Report – Dolores Friedel - report read by Village Clerk
Everything remains stable – looking forward to a prosperous spring
- G. Sanitation Report – Allan Jacobs - no report
- II. PUBLIC WORKS & BUILDING DEPARTMENT REPORT – Vincent Amoroso
Report given and attached
- III. CODE ENFORCEMENT REPORT – Vincent Amoroso - Report attached
- IV. TREASURER'S REPORT – Treasurer Herbert A. Klibanoff
For the month of December 2024– we had \$1,722,606.90 total cash available
Capital checking \$253,359.49; BZA Escrow \$32,601.56
General Fund \$1,436,645.85

At 8:10 PM Trustee Livreri made a motion to open the Public Hearing regarding proposed Local Law 1-2025.

Seconded by Trustee Etrog

Vote: All Ayes

Local Law No: _____ 1 _____ of the year 2025

Village of Atlantic Beach, County of Nassau

A Local Law to Amend the Code of the Incorporated Village of Atlantic Beach Chapter 235 entitled "Vehicles and Traffic"

Be it enacted by the Board of Trustees of the Incorporated Village of Atlantic Beach as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 235 entitled "Vehicles and Traffic", Section 235-23 entitled "Angle Parking" is hereby amended to add the following underlined language:

"No person shall park a vehicle upon any of the streets or parts thereof described in Schedule XIX (§ 235-64), attached to and made a part of this chapter, except at the angle designated and only within the painted stall lines. On all streets or portions thereof where angle parking is now or shall hereafter be authorized, all vehicles parked thereon shall be parked with the front thereof nearest the curb. Additionally, no person shall park parallel to the curb on any street other than with the front of the vehicle facing the direction of travel on a one-way street or one-way drive aisle or, on a two-way street, with the front of the vehicle facing the direction of travel in the travel lane located closest to the curb where the vehicle is parked.

Section 3. Full Force & Effect.

Except as hereinabove amended, Chapter 235 shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. Repealer.

All ordinances, local laws or resolutions, or parts of ordinances, local laws or resolutions of the Incorporated Village of Atlantic Beach inconsistent with the provisions of this local law are hereby repealed, provided, however, that such repeal shall be only to the extent of such inconsistency and in all other respects this local law shall be in addition to other legislation regulating and governing the subject matter covered by this local law.

Section 5. Severability.

If any section, paragraph, subdivision or provision of this local law shall be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional, the same shall not affect the validity of this local law as a whole or any part or provision thereof, other than the part so decided to be invalid or unconstitutional.

Section 6. Effective Date.

This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of the State of New York.

Superintendent Amoroso provided background information regarding the proposed law to the Board of Trustees

Local Law No: 2 of the year 2025
Village of Atlantic Beach, County of Nassau (Continued)

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Superintendent Amoroso provided background information regarding the proposed law to the Board of Trustees and explained that it was necessary to correct an error.

At 8:17 PM Trustee Livreri made a motion to close the public hearing regarding proposed Local Law 2-2025 adjourn the Public Hearings and go back to the open meeting.

At 8:18 PM Mayor Pappas made a motion to adopt Resolution 2A-2025, which provides that the Board of Trustees of the Village of Atlantic Beach is the lead agency under the New York State Environmental Quality Review Act with regards to the proposed Local Law 2-2025 related to parking, determines that the law is an Unlisted Action, and finds that the Board's adoption of the law will not have the potential for a significant negative environmental impact.

At 8:20 PM Trustee Livreri made a motion to adopt Local Law 2-2025.

Seconded by: Trustee Beaumont Vote: All ayes

GOOD AND WELFARE

Residents had various questions and concerns:

- Discussion regarding review and training on village policies
- Discussion regarding limitations on use of gas leaf blowers
- Finance Task Force
- Dog Park
- Gios Restaurant

ETHICS BOARD

Mayor Pappas said the village will now have a Board of Ethics. if anyone is interested in being a member contact the Village Clerk.

RESOLUTION – PUBLISH NOTICE SETTING DATE OF VILLAGE ELECTION AS JUNE 17, 2025 AND OFFICE TO BE FILLED AND TERMS THEREOF – TWO TRUSTEES - TWO YEAR TERMS; VILLAGE JUSTICE -FOUR YEAR TERM

Motion by: Trustee Livreri Seconded by: Trustee Etrog
Vote: All ayes

GRANTED

RESOLVED, 1-that the General Village Election of the Village of Atlantic Beach shall be held on Tuesday, June 17, 2025 and that the office to be filled and the terms thereof are as follows: 1- (2)two Trustees for two year terms; (1) one Village Justice for four year term
2- that the Village Clerk is ordered and directed to cause a copy of this Resolution to be published in the Nassau Herald; 3 – that this Resolution shall take effect immediately.

RESOLUTION - EXPANDING RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR ELECTION INSPECTORS

GRANTED

RESOLVED, to expand the residency requirements to the county for the position of election inspector.

Motion by: Trustee Beaumont Seconded by: Trustee Livreri
Vote: All ayes

RECOVERY OF UNPAID TAXES FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JUNE 1, 2024

Motion by: Trustee Livreri Seconded by: Trustee Etrog
Vote: All ayes

GRANTED

WHEREBY, from the account of unpaid taxes heretofore returned by the Village Clerk of the Village of Atlantic Beach, New York to this Board for the fiscal year beginning June 1, 2024 the taxes remain due and unpaid after due notice and demand on each of the property owners for the payment of said taxes, and

WHEREAS, no action has been commenced to recover said unpaid taxes and no sale on account of said unpaid taxes had heretofore been held, pursuant to law.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that such unpaid taxes shall be collected by the sale for taxes, as provided in Section 1452 of the Real Property Tax Law of the State of New York, that a copy of this resolution, duly certified by the clerk, public auction at a place in said

Village to be designated by the said Village Treasurer, to discharge the taxes, fees, interest charges aforesaid, which may be due thereon at the time of such sale and that said Village Treasurer, at the time and place specified in said Notice proceed with the sale of said real estate upon which such taxes are unpaid as above set forth and continue the same from day to day until the sale is completed; and it is further

RESOLVED, that in all cases where no bid shall be made on a lot or parcel of land so offered for sale, for an amount sufficient to pay the said taxes, fees, interest and charges, the said premises shall be deemed to have been sold and purchased by the said Village of Atlantic Beach, New York

RESOLUTION – NOTIFICATION OF DELINQUENT TAX OWNERS – LIST OF UNPAID TAXES - 2024/2025

Motion by: Trustee Livreri Seconded by: Trustee Beaumont
Vote: All Ayes

The Village Clerk submitted the attached list of 2024 unpaid taxes (with 11% penalty)
\$28,328.18 computed to January 31, 2025;
unpaid public works - none
SEE ATTACHED LIST - CERTIFICATION BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

RESOLVED, that the Board members compared the list of unpaid taxes for the fiscal year beginning June 1, 2024 to the current assessment roll, found same in order.

OUTSTANDING TAX LIENS

NOTE: the following taxes were purchased at tax lien sale - when the lien is paid by the owner of the property, the purchaser of the lien will receive the amount they paid at the lien sale plus 1% for per month - but the taxes are paid as far as the village for tax years indicated.

- HACI ALPER TUTUS, 2010 PARK STREET
- WOLF, 47 FULTON AVENUE

RESOLUTION – 2025 REGULAR MEETING DATE CHANGES

Motion by: Trustee Livreri Seconded by: Trustee Etrog
Vote: All Ayes

Monday, April 14, 2025 – Jewish Holiday - Date change to: Tuesday, April 15, 2025
Monday, October 13, 2025 Columbus Day – Date change to Monday, October 20, 2025

APPROVAL OF BILLS

RESOLVED, that all bills be paid in the amount of \$124,785.89

Motion by: Trustee Beaumont Seconded by: Trustee Etrog
Vote: All Ayes

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

December 9, 2024 Minutes were accepted a written by the Village Clerk

GRANTED

Motion by: Trustee Livreri Seconded by: Trustee Beaumont
Vote: All Ayes

DATE OF NEXT MEETING – Monday, February 10, 2025

ADJOURNMENT

At 8:50 PM Trustee Beaumont motion to adjourn.
Seconded by: Trustee Etrog
Vote: All Ayes