

TOWN OF CONCORD PUBLIC HEARING
Re: Community Development Block Grant

October 10, 2024
6:15 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING OPENED BY PHILIP DROZD, SUPERVISOR

ROLL CALL:

PRESENT: PHILIP DROZD, SUPERVISOR
CLYDE M. DRAKE, COUNCIL MEMBER
KENNETH D. ZITTEL, COUNCIL MEMBER
KIMBERLY S. KRZEMIEN, COUNCIL MEMBER
KENNETH KASSEL, COUNCIL MEMBER

ALSO PRESENT: DARLENE G. SCHWEIKERT, Town Clerk
BARRY A. EDWARDS, Hwy Supt.
BRIAN F. ATTEA, Town Attorney

SHAWN CRAMER
KAREN GEELAN

WILLIAM GOSS

Supervisor Drozd opened the hearing at 6:17 p.m. Town Clerk Schweikert had published the Notice of Public Hearing in the Springville Journal on September 19, 2024. The Public Hearing Notice was posted on the signboard at the Town Hall and on the Town's website: townofconcordny.com on September 16, 2024.

This is for next year. The Town will put as their #1 project: Improvements at Community Park to include rehabilitation of the restroom at Community Park to make it handicap accessible; and then as their #2 project: the Rural Transit Service Van Program.

Supervisor Drozd noted that the Town may not receive a grant next year because the Town has a current CDBG for Senior Center improvements and that has not yet been completed.

Supervisor Drozd asked if anyone had any questions or comments. Karen Geelan asked if this is for a grant the Town already has or one that the Town is applying for? Supervisor Drozd noted that this is a grant available from the Erie County Department of Environment and Planning from Federal funding. Every municipality in Erie County can put in an application for a project. Mrs. Geelan asked what the Town was putting in for; Supervisor Drozd answered that on advice from Erie County, the Town will be putting in an application to make our old restroom building at Community Park handicap accessible. There is also a van that runs around the Town which is owned by the Rural Transit Association of Erie County and is funded through the respective towns and villages that use the service. That will be the #2 project submitted.

There were no more questions or comments.

The Public Hearing remained open until 6:32 p.m.

Motion by Councilman Drake, seconded by Councilman Zittel to close the hearing at 6:32 p.m. Council Members Drake, Zittel, Krzemien & Kassel; Supervisor Drozd, voting aye. Carried.



Darlene G. Schweikert
Town Clerk