

Town of Olive  
County of Ulster  
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January 22, 2010

Minutes of a workshop meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Olive held Friday, January 22, 2010, 7:00 pm at the Town Meeting Hall in Shokan, NY. The purpose of the special meeting was to review maps regarding wireless coverage in Olive.

Members Present:                Berndt Leifeld, Supervisor  
   Henry Rank, Board Member  
   Linda Burkhardt, Board Member  
   Bruce La Monda, Board Member  
   Peter Friedel, Board Member  
Recording Secretary:        Sylvia B. Rozzelle, Town Clerk  
Others Present:                Ed Zellefrow and Jerry Washington

Mr. Zellefrow and Mr. Washington distributed correspondence #6-10 representing current and prospective cell phone coverage for the Town of Olive. Mr. Washington noted the computer type of technology he was projecting on the screen lets one see various options regarding placement of cell towers and their coverage. Mr. Washington showed several panels noting that Olive is the primary concern in this presentation as he was asked to find the best location from town or public property so the revenue stream would stay within the Town of Olive. Some of the locations that he showed the potential coverage areas from were South Mountain, Basin Road in Hurley, Samsonville Fire House at the end of Sheldon Hill Road, and the First Aid Unit on Grassy Ridge and Sheldon Hill.

Mr. Zellefrow noted the best reception is within three (3) miles of an antenna noting that towers should theoretically be six (6) miles apart. He noted that a 120 ft. tower could handle 4 antennae at 10 ft. apart.

Mr. Washington noted that the Olive Transfer Station projection doesn't get anything into the flat area of Olivebridge and doesn't cover much more than South Mountain does. The Sheldon Hill Fire House location will provide pretty good coverage for most of the southern portion of Olive and some of the Town of Rochester. He stated he checked with Rochester and Hurley but there are no areas that would help us.

Supervisor Leifeld asked about coverage for the Haver Road area to which Mr. Washington stated the projections do not look favorable for that area as the wireless waves do not bend.

Bob Barringer asked about the potential coverage for the town from his property off of Freeman Avery Road. Mr. Washington used the computer program to approximate this location on the map to which the projection was favorable for the southern part of Olive and most of

Samsonville. Supervisor Leifeld asked if they can take the area of Haver Road and Upper Samonville Road and pick the best spot.

Supervisor Leifeld stated that Verizon was at one time interested in the Transfer Station but pulled the application and are not interested at this time. He stated the town wasn't interested since that location doesn't satisfy the needs of the Town of Olive.

All business pertinent having been discussed the Town Board adjourned at 8:15 pm on a Leifeld/La Monda motion.

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Sylvia Rozzelle, Town Clerk