

On May 9, 2011 a Public Hearing of the Attica Town Board was held in the Board Room of the Municipal Building, 9 Water Street, Attica, New York, with the following members present:

<b>PRESENT:</b>	Douglas P. Patti	Supervisor
	Howard Barraclough	Councilman
	Ralph Mucher	Councilman
	Angelo Corcimiglia	Councilman
	Gary Wysko	Councilman
	Kristen Mell	Town Clerk

**ABSENT:** None

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Lanny Blum, Mark Burry, Ray Caryl, Doug Stedman and Donald Wagner.

At 7:00pm Supervisor Patti called the meeting to order with the Pledge to the Flag. Supervisor Patti then requested a moment of silence to honor our military.

- Councilman Corcimiglia offered the motion to open the Public Hearing, seconded by Councilman Wysko. Supervisor Patti opened the Public Hearing for the advisability of enacting proposed zoning local law. Copies of the zoning law were available for all attendees.

On a call of the roll as follows: 5 Ayes Mucher, Corcimiglia, Wysko, Barraclough, Patti  
0 Nays

- Supervisor Patti then read the following statement: The purpose of this evenings Public Hearing is to serve as a notice to the public that the Town of Attica has prepared an updated zoning plan that will better serve to protect the health, safety, an welfare of the Town residents and property owners, by providing for the orderly development of land within the Town by protecting property values and by preserving the rural, agricultural character of the community in accord with the goals and recommendations of the Attica Comprehensive Plan. These proposed zoning amendments have been an ongoing work for the past decade and I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Town of Attica Planning Board under the guidance of Chairman, Lanny Blum for their hard work and dedication to this task.

- Supervisor Patti welcomed Jennifer Wilkinson from the law firm of Dadd, Nelson & Wilkinson, who are the Town Attorneys. She is attending the meeting to answer any legal questions which may arise.
  
- Supervisor Patti asked if there were any questions regarding the proposed local law.
  - Ray Caryl, appointed ZBA member, found a few typos in the proposed law, these were reviewed for changes to the law.
  - Town Clerk Mell questioned when the Local Law would be effective, and per Mrs. Wilkinson, the date it is filed with the Secretary of State is the effective date of this law.
  - There was also discussion regarding outdoor furnaces and the limitations of burning throughout the year. Mr. Caryl did not agree there should be limits on when you could burn in these furnaces; many people use them to heat their water. Mr. Stedman expressed that residents also use them to burn things they should not be burning. If everyone just burned wood and did things the right way, there wouldn't be a need for restrictions.
  
- There being no additional questions/comments, Councilman Mucher offered the motion to close the Public Hearing for the advisability of enacting proposed zoning local law, seconded by Councilman Barraclough.

On a call of the roll as follows: 5 Ayes Mucher, Corcimiglia, Wysko, Barraclough, Patti

0 Nays

- There being no further business to discuss, a motion to adjourn the Public Hearing was made by Councilman Barraclough, seconded by Councilman Corcimiglia at 7:50pm.

On a call of the roll as follows: 5 Ayes Mucher, Corcimiglia, Wysko, Barraclough, Patti

0 Nays

Respectfully submitted,

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Kristen Mell, Town Clerk