

The Public Hearing to hear public comments on the Proposed Local Law #8 of 2021 entitled "Adult Use Cannabis Retail Dispensaries and On Site Consumption within the Town of Augusta" was held on Wednesday, the 15th day of December 2021, on the second floor of the Village Hall, Oriskany Falls, NY at 5:45 PM.

Present were the following Supervisor, Suzanne Collins, Councilmen: Charles Peck, and Travis Wright.

Absent were Councilmen James Dowd and Mark Russell

Public Present: Phil Eaton, Skip Staelens, Anne Brown, Steve Roys, Aaron Browka and Adam Shaver.

Supervisor Collins called the meeting to order at 5:45 PM.

Public Hearing Notice and proposed Local Law was read.

Aaron Browka spoke against this law stating that the teenagers would have increased access to availability. He also said that the impairment of driving puts us all at risk especially our Amish community and horses.

A motion by Councilman Peck and seconded by Councilman Wright to adjourn Public Hearing at 6:00 PM. Motion carried unanimously.

Public Hearing - Moratorium on Ground Mounted Solar Energy Systems and Facilities within the Town of Augusta.

Resolved that Supervisor Collins and Councilman Wright were in favor of opting out and letting nature take its course, although Councilman Peck does not want to allow for selling and/or use. Since there was no majority, the Supervisor would like to tentatively have a meeting on 12/29/2021, whereas all members may be present and take a vote due to the seriousness of this issue

Respectively submitted,
Sonya Furness
Town Clerk