SPECIAL MEETING JUNE 2, 2012

A Special Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Somerset, County of Niagara and the State of New York was held at the Town Hall, 8700 Haight Road, Barker, New York on the 2nd day of June 2012.

Present: Daniel M. Engert ----- Supervisor

Randall J. Wayner ----- Councilman Gary R. Alt ----- Councilman Robin R. Jansen ----- Councilman

Rebecca A. Connolly ---- Clerk

Mindy Austin ----- Confidential Asst. to the Supervisor

Absent: Jeffrey M. Dewart ----- Councilman

Attended by: Three residents

Notice of said meeting was sent to the <u>Lockport Union-Sun & Journal</u> on May 30, 2012 with same notice being posted on the same day at the Town Hall and on the Town Website.

Supervisor Engert called the meeting to order at 9:00AM with the Pledge to the Flag and prayer for guidance.

RESIGNATION OF RANDALL HILDEBRANT

Clerk Connolly read a letter of resignation of Code Enforcement Officer Randall Hildebrant effective May 29, 2012.

RESOLUTION 64-2012

APPOINTMENT OF INTERIM CODE ENDFORCEMENT OFFICER

Councilman Wayner stated that he and Councilman Alt met with Mark Remington, Village Code Enforcement Officer, to discuss him acting as an interim Code Enforcement Officer for the Town of Somerset. He stated that they are going to study and analyze what other options would be available to the town including shared services. He stated that Mr. Remington would be working after 3:30PM so it would not interfere with his duties for the Village of Barker. He would be retained for \$1,250.00 per month and would work on a month to month basis while the study is being done. He stated that Mr. Remington has received all the training required and is certified by New York State.

Councilman Alt said they will look at all options including the possibility of sharing the services with another municipality. He said they will have their report ready by August.

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On a motion of Councilman Jansen, seconded by Councilman Alt, the following resolution was

ADOPTED Ayes 4 Engert, Wayner, Alt, Jansen Nays 0

Resolved Mark Remington is appointed Building Inspector part-time for \$1,250.00 per month, on a month to month basis, and is authorized to enforce the codes of the Town of Somerset.

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

Norm Jansen stated that he has received an extensive list of car cruises in the area and asked that Clerk Connolly have copies available for the public.

<u>Bill Rucker</u> asked if there would be any code enforcement and presented a list of unkempt properties on Johnson Creek Road.

Supervisor Engert said there are some outstanding violations at this time and they will be going before the Court. He said he will give the list to Mr. Remington.

POLICE SERVICES FOR VILLAGE OF BARKER RESIDENTS

Councilman Jansen said in light of what transpired at a meeting the Village of Barker Mayor, Herbert Meyer, had with Supervisor Engert, she asked Supervisor Engert to send a letter to the Village of Barker Mayor and Board to have them put in writing that they do not wish to have the Town Police Constables provide any service to the Village residents so there is a written communication on file.

On a motion of Councilman Wayner, seconded by Councilman Alt, the meeting adjourned at 9:25 AM subject to the Call of the Clerk. Carried unanimously.

Rebecca A. Connolly, MMC Town Clerk