

August 3, 2023

The special meeting of the Tyre Town Board was held Thursday, August 3, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. in the Tyre Municipal Building, 1082 Gravel Road, Seneca Falls, NY 13148

Supervisor Partee called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Councilman Reginald Aceto – absent; Councilman Jeff Bennett - here; Councilman Henry Bickel – absent; Councilman Kenneth Sutterby – here; Supervisor Beth Partee – here

Others Present: Dallyn Jenkins; Tim Rease; Curtis Horning

Open Privilege of the Floor: None

Workshop: Review/Discussion of the Town of Tyre Dog Kennel Law from 2015 and the Draft Dog and Cat Breeding Facilities Law

Currently there are no kennels in the Town of Tyre. Discussion this evening centered around the need for a commercial kennel license in the Town of Tyre along with updating the old law from 2015. Different ideas were discussed and it was finally decided that all individuals within the Town including commercial kennels need to license and have rabies vaccinations done for dogs 4 months of age or older.

Then it was discussed at great length about the number of dogs that should be allowed per individual or kennel. This was finally decided and agreed upon by all that regardless of individual or commercial kennel license that anyone can have up to 9 dogs. If you have more than 9 dogs then you have to license as a commercial kennel and are allowed to have up to 15 dogs. If there is a need for you to have more than 15 dogs then they would need to get a special use permit in increments of 2 up to 20 dogs.

It was also discussed that discussion needs to take place with our Town Court Judges and make them aware of the penalties and get them to agree to impose if this law is ever broken. For first offense it would be a \$50 fine; second offense it would be a \$100 fine; and for the third or subsequent offenses it would be \$300 fine within a 12 month period for all.

Further discussion to follow

Other Business: None

Adjournment: Councilman Sutterby moved, seconded by Councilman Bennett that the meeting be adjourned at 7:39 p.m.

VOTE: Aye – 3; Nay – 0; Absent – 2; Abstain – 0

Submitted by,

Carolyn Sosnowski
Tyre Town Clerk