

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING

April 11, 2007 – 3:30 p.m.

PRESENT: Chairman Thompson; Supervisors Grattidge, Hargrave, Janik, Lucia, Raymond; Wood, Trotter; David Wickerham, Co. Administrator; Joe Ritchey, DPW; Press

Chairman Thompson called the meeting to order.

Mr. Hargrave moved to approve the minutes of the January 8th meeting. Mr. Grattidge seconded. Unanimous.

Ms. Raymond said the bridge department of DOT has released their draft report and environmental assessment on the Batchellerville Bridge, and they will hold a public hearing on April 24th in Northville. She stated the replacement bridge will be 42' in the center. She mentioned on the left side, there are 10 camps that share a bridge. It will impact five camps and take half of the bridge away from five of the remaining camps, she said. She stated Design Alternative 5B is the alternative on the south side with the sidewalk. She said the Town wanted a raised sidewalk separate from the road as opposed to walking on the shoulder of the road. She stated this sidewalk will be closed in the winter. Mr. Grattidge asked if there has been any discussion on the old bridge. Ms. Raymond said once the new bridge is built, DOT will take the old bridge down.

Mr. Grattidge moved to approve a resolution endorsing and supporting the NYSDOT Batchellerville Draft Design Report Alternative 5B at a height of 42 feet. Mr. Hargrave seconded. Unanimous.

On a motion by Mr. Janik, seconded by Mr. Hargrave, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Elaine M. Sodemann