



TOWN OF AMENIA TOWN BOARD

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November 15, 2018
Supervisor's Report

1. **Wassaic Trail to the Train Update** – Wassaic Trail to the Trail has received ROW clearance and has been issued Authorization to Proceed to Construction Activities. Bid documents have been sent to Dutchess County to put on the Empire Bid-Net site and are available at the Town Clerk's office for bidders only. Two companies interested in the project have already contacted the Town of Amenia and requested bid documents.
2. **Town of Amenia Highway Garage Land Update** – waiting to be notified of the closing date for the property
3. **Amenia Town Hall Upgrades** – Replacement window/ ADA upgrade in process
4. **Water Laws** – Water laws have been approved and new water rates will be enclosed with the January 2019 water billing.
5. **Noise Law Update** – Introduction to Local Law and Public Hearing Resolution for Noise Law will be presented on November 15, 2018 and Public Hearing date will be set for December 6, 2018. Information will be available in the Town Clerk's office and on the Town of Amenia website.
6. **Wassaic Park** – Greenway grant plan for Wassaic Park upgrade not awarded yet
7. **2019 Budget** – The Tax Freeze rebate for STAR taxpayers if Towns and Villages stayed under the 2% tax Cap ended two years ago. Rebate checks will only be sent if the School District has stayed below the 2% Tax Cap. The Town of Amenia Tax Cap includes the tax levy for the General, Highway, Water, Amenia Lighting, and Wassaic Lighting Funds. Amenia Library, Amenia Fire, and Wassaic Fire each have their own Tax Cap and also need a Resolution to override the Tax Cap. The amounts of their budgets are put into the Town of Amenia budget to collect the taxes only and the Town of Amenia according to Municipal Law does not have any authority over their budgets.