

THE CORAM CIVIC ASSOCIATION

General Membership Meeting

February 24, 2020

The meeting was called to order at 7:40 PM by President Erma Gluck, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence for our troops home and abroad. Board members present: Erma Gluck, Bob Gluck, Vana McClure, Chris Reilly, and Jean Hartling. There were approximately 40 members and guests in attendance.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. The **Coram Civic 3rd Annual Country Line Dancing Event** will be held Friday, March 27 at the Coram Fire House. Flyers with registration form were available for those wishing to participate.
2. **The 4th annual Coram Summer Fun Community Concert** is scheduled for Saturday, August 8 (rain date Friday, August 28) at the Coram Fire Department Substation II. The concert is free and starts at 7:00PM. Southbound will perform.
3. The **Lions Club Chinese Auction** is Friday, May 8, 6:30PM. The event benefits area families, students and organizations.
5. The **Coram Fire Police Craft Fair** is scheduled for Saturday April 25, 10:00 to 5:00PM at the Coram Fire House. Vendors wanted.
6. The **TOB Youth Bureau** will offer prom gowns and accessories for teens beginning in March and ending in June.

GUEST SPEAKER:

TOB Highway Superintendent Dan Losquadro highlighted roadwork that has been completed to date and plans for work to be done through 2020-2021. Additional funding has been secured for road maintenance, resurfacing, concrete and drainage. The funds will be distributed evenly among the six council districts. All street light fixtures are being changed to LED and should be complete in the next two years. Mr. Losquadro explained the difference Town roads and those that are State owned (Rt. 25 and 112 in Coram). The State DOT needs to be contacted about State road issues. A question and answer period followed. Members asked about:

1. Removal of trees when roads are redone.
2. Oil price adjustments on asphalt work.
3. The Storm Water Project at the Ecology Site.
4. Uses for recycled glass.
5. Redesign of the intersection of RT. 25 (State road) and Coram Mt. Sinai Rd. (Town road).
6. A sidewalk needed on Coram Mt. Sinai from the Coram School to the Davis House.
7. Individual members had questions about roads in their areas. Mr. Losquadro provided his contact information for response to these questions.

OTHER ITEMS:

Chris Reilly gave an update of the Davis House progress and upcoming events. He also provided information on our Business Development Committee and current concerns in the area.

50/50 DRAWING:

The 50/50 was won by Peter Covati who took home \$15.00.

MOTION TO ADJOURN:

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Jean Hartling