

Binghamton, New York in the amount of \$32,200. A motion was made by Councilperson Bensley to adopt a Resolution to approve the allocation of funds for the McRae property located at 3493 Margery Street, Binghamton, New York in the amount of \$32,200, and the motion was duly seconded by Councilperson Xlander. All those present voted in favor of the motion. Motion carried. A roll call vote resulted in the following:

Ayes: Rounds, Xlander, Bensley, Nye                      Absent: Leighton

Nays: None

Declared adopted.    (Resolution Appended)

Concerning CDBG applicant Wendy Piers, there may be a conflict of interest as she is Councilperson Xlander's ex-sister-in-law. Town Attorney Pope will submit a conflict of interest letter to Thoma Development Consultants.

Highway Department – Partridge Lane – Storm Drain – Highway Superintendent Donahue gave the following update: Partridge Lane needs a new storm drain. Sixty percent of the City of Binghamton's water enters the storm drain, goes through the storm drain system on Dogwood and exits on Partridge. On Partridge in question is the 36" storm drain, which was probably installed around 1957. It has outlived its life use. The problem is if you start on one side on the street on Dogwood and go up Partridge, it is roughly about eight foot at the intersection of Dogwood to about 20' deep where it exits out into the creek. Basically, they put the pipe so that the grade of the road is about 20' deep. The people that are doing our sanitary lining took a look at it. They went through and they camera-ed the whole thing. There is 387' of storm drain that has deteriorated beyond repair. Highway Superintendent Donahue further stated that he received an e-mail from them today saying that they are taking a look at it, and they will get us a unit price by some time this week. The worse-case scenario is the funding of the cost. There is approximately \$147,000 in the reserve fund for repairs like this. If the Town has to dig the storm drain, the cost will be approximately \$250,000. There was discussion about the City being partially liable for the cost.

Wind Energy - Moratorium – A motion was made by Councilperson Nye to adopt a Resolution to approve a motion to set a public hearing for Tuesday, August 4, 2020 at 5:31 p.m. to set a 12-month moratorium on wind energy, and the motion was duly seconded by Councilperson Xlander. All those present voted in favor of the motion. Motion carried. A roll call vote resulted in the following:

Ayes: Rounds, Xlander, Bensley, Nye                      Absent: Leighton

Nays: None

Declared adopted.    (Resolution Appended)

There was no further new business.