



The Town of East Greenbush

225 Columbia Turnpike, Rensselaer, New York 12144

SPECIAL MEETING TOWN BOARD AGENDA December 15, 2015

Call to Order 7:30 PM
Pledge to the Flag
Town Board Meeting:

Members of Town Board

Present	Absent	
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<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Supervisor Langley
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Councilperson Malone
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Councilperson DiMartino
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Councilperson Matters
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Deputy Supervisor Hart

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Call to Order: 7:30 PM
Special Meeting:

Notice is hereby given that the East Greenbush Town Board will be meeting on Tuesday, December 15th at 7:30PM in regards to the Pilgrim Pipeline Project and any other urgent business that is presented to the Board. The meeting will be held at Town Hall, 225 Columbia Turnpike, Rensselaer, New York 12144.

December 10, 2015

Open Public Privilege: NOTE ó Each speaker may choose to state name and address prior to addressing the Board and shall be granted the floor for up to five minutes. The Board thanks everyone in attendance for their understanding and also for their desire to actively participate in the decision making process locally

Resolutions and Proposals by Town Board Members: 192-2015 A Resolution Opposing SEQRA Lead Agency Status for the New York State Thruway Authority for the Pilgrim Pipeline Project

WHEREAS, Pilgrim Transportation of New York, Inc. (hereafter öPilgrimö), has filed an application to construct and operate oil and kerosene pipelines from Linden, New Jersey to Albany, New York, such pipelines to be located primarily in property owned by the New York State Thruway Authority; and

WHEREAS, the Town has received correspondence from the Thruway Authority, seeking any comments or objections to its status as SEQRA lead agency in this project; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has concerns that since the Thruway Authority will receive direct economic benefit from this project, it would not be appropriate for them to be the lead agency for SEQRA purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Town of East Greenbush does not have the resources or capability to conduct a thorough SEQRA process on this project, which has a large geographic component, and impacts many municipalities; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of East Greenbush objects to the New York State Thruway Authority being the lead agency in this process, and requests instead that the New York State Department of Environment Conservation take lead agency status; and it is further

RESOLVED, that the East Greenbush Town Clerk is hereby directed to send a copy of this resolution to public.info@thruway.ny.gov, using the subject line "Pilgrim Pipeline Lead Agency Reply" and advising the Thruway Authority of the adoption of this resolution by the East Greenbush Town Board.

The foregoing Resolution was duly moved by Councilperson DiMartino and seconded by Councilperson Malone and brought to a vote resulting as follows:

Councilperson DiMartino	VOTED
Councilperson Malone	VOTED
Councilperson Matters	VOTED
Supervisor Langley	VOTED

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn by Supervisor Langley seconded by Councilperson Matters and brought to a vote as follows:

Supervisor Langley	VOTED
Councilperson Matters	VOTED
Councilperson Malone	VOTED
Councilperson DiMartino	VOTED