

## Re: Fire company resolution

From: Chris [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: [REDACTED]

Date: Sunday, June 4, 2023 at 09:12 PM EDT

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I believe that this is the post from 2/23/23 on [Chilson Volunteer Fire Department, Ticonderoga NY](#) facebook page.

I read it as a copy of transcript from the Essex county board of supervisors meeting - 2/6/23

Chilson FD is sharing it. I do not see an indication that the Chilson FD made a resolution of their own.

Excerpt from Board of Supervisors - Meeting Minutes

REGULAR BOARD MEETING

Monday, February 6, 2023 @ 10:00 a.m.

Shaun Gilliland, Chairman

James Monty, Vice-Chairman

Chairman Gilliland called this Regular Board to order at 10:00 a.m. with the following supervisors in attendance: Clayton Barber, Robin DeLoria, Stephanie DeZalia, Derek Doty, Shaun Gilliland, Charles Harrington, Roy Holzer, Ken Hughes, Noel Merrihew, Jim Monty, Tom Scozzafava, Matthew Stanley, Michael Tyler, Joe Pete Wilson, Davina Winemiller, Meg Wood and Mark Wright. Steve McNally was excused.

Department heads present were: Angie Allen, Linda Beers, James Dougan, Emily Evatt, Judy Garrison, Dan Manning, Mike Mascarenas, Mike Diskin, David Reynolds, Matt Watts and Heather Sheehan.

Also present: Chelsea Merrihew and Kellie King.

News media present: Alana Penny – Sun News

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 GILLILLAND: I call this regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors to order... (I) ...got a call, myself and Mr. Wright separately, actually, we are involved in notification not discussion, with DEC and the APA concerning the closure of a boat launch on Eagle Lake just near Paradox in the Town of Ticonderoga. This was essentially they said that the State land-use master plan requires that you can't have backed-in boat launches you know, put motorized craft into the water on lakes less than a 1,000 acres and Eagle Lake is 400 acres so, the residents association there got extraordinary upset contacted Senator Stec. He called me and I said I didn't know anything about it. I was supposed to have a Friday, mid-day conference with them and it was simply a notification that that's what they are going to do. They said this is the fourth lake in the park they are doing it to. Essentially they are going to block off that boat launch and so you can't back anything down to it and require people to carry their boats into the water. I said how does this meet ADA requirements and they just, well, our lawyers say it does and then I asked them, is this simply an administrative thing or is there some sort of a biological reason we're doing this because the residents there have had houses there for a long, long time and have been using this lake. What's the urgency of it? And it was just something that the APA has decided to move ahead with it so if you've guys have got boat launches in lakes less than 1,000 acres, you're going to be on the list. So, just something to ponder. I don't know if we want to go ahead and send the APA a resolution against it but that's just an announcement on that.

(...other matters discussed, then...)

MONTY: I'd like to offer a resolution opposing the closure of the boat launch in Paradox. Whether we send it to DEC, the Park Agency or both. I think it's just another ridiculous plan that those agencies have to force, my opinion is to force residents out of the county.

GILLILLAND: I concur with that Mr. Monty. Yes, Eagle Lake in the Town of Ticonderoga. Do I have twelve to allow that on the floor?

GARRISON: Yes, we do.

GILLILLAND: Thank you. Mr. Monty has made the motion, do I have a unanimous second? Thank you.

RESOLUTION #43 – OPPOSING THE DECISION BY THE ADIRONDACK PARK AGENCY (APA) AND THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION (DEC) REGARDING THE CLOSURE OF THE NEW YORK STATE BOAT LAUNCH AT EAGLE LAKE IN THE TOWN OF TICONDEROGA, NEW YORK FOR TRAILERED BOATS.

This resolution was moved by Mr. Monty, seconded unanimously and duly adopted.

HOLZER: Could we also add on the Adirondack Association of Towns & Villages make sure they are aware of what we are doing here?

GILLILLAND: I'm taking that on Thursday.

On Sun, Jun 4, 2023 at 2:33 PM [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@[REDACTED].com> wrote:

Much appreciated- If there is no such thing, can you ask if they can do a resolution or support letter?

[REDACTED]

On Sunday, June 4, 2023 at 02:18:41 PM EDT, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@[REDACTED]> wrote:

Not sure what [REDACTED] is referencing here; I'm not aware of any such formal resolution by the Chilson Volunteer Fire Company board, but because I've missed meetings due to illness, I'll check back in the minutes and let you know for sure.

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On Sun, Jun 4, 2023 at 10:12 AM [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@[REDACTED].com> wrote:

Steve, have had the conversation captured in the email below regarding a possible resolution having been signed by CVFD regarding the closure of the EL boat launch to float on/off use. can you shed any light on this as to, full wording, where it may be posted, when signed, how it cam to be written, who notified the you. etc.

I'm this gathering information for 3 purposes to post to our website, for inclusion in letters I'm putting together, and to share as facts when I work with government officials on ELPOI opposition.

I did a quick look at CVFD facebook page but nothing jumped out at me going back a month or more

Thanks for any help you can provide.

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----- Forwarded Message -----

**From:** [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

**Sent:** Sunday, June 4, 2023 at 09:43:48 AM EDT

**Subject:** Re: Fire company resolution

[REDACTED] If I'm pretty sure that is the entire resolution. You can check on the fire company website if you want to be 100% sure. Normally I would check for you but we just got back from a run to find our power out. My laptop is charged but with no power I have no modem or router working and it's a pain doing it on the phone.

Sent from my iPhone