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Citizens' Advisory Committee for East Hampton and Sag Harbor

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Minutes of the 6/4/2018 Meeting of the EH/Sag Harbor CAC

In attendance: Carlà Ash, Ed Gues, Jola Marcario, Arline Gidion, Mary Ella Moehler, JB Dos Santos, Prudence Carabine, Bob Brody, Katy Casey & liaison Peter Van Scoyoc.

Minutes of the previous meeting were ACCEPTED.

The next meeting was rescheduled from July 2nd to **July 9th, 2018** due to the busy holiday weekend.

Old Business

The bench for kay Hutton has been placed at Sammy's Beach by EHT Parks & Rec. A dedication gathering was scheduled for Wednesday June 27th at 7:00PM. The chair will reach out to the union, LVIS, town employees and individuals who contributed.

New Business

Cedar Street – North Main Street corridor is still not fixed. Between the regular traffic, emergency vehicles, and trucks the intersection is untenable. Raising the trestles might make it worse between the lights are close together. Many people are double parking in front of Mitad del Mundo. Traffic pattern will change when large trucks can make the left off 27 in front of Citarella. There were many concerns expressed about the impact of raising the trestles and North Main Street issues must be addressed. There is a lot of foot traffic in the area too. The Hamlet Study took a look at the corridor and made some recommendations. The County did a traffic study. The Village, Town & County all have jurisdiction over different areas within this small area. When the pedestrian light says walk, the turn arrow is green so it is unclear whether vehicles or pedestrians have the right of way. There was discussion about making Collins one way but the Village is opposed. The CAC requested that the Town Board do whatever is in their power to remedy. Public transportation shuttle may help reduce volume. The County engineers said they could immediately eliminate the left turn lane southbound from Three Mile onto to northbound Springs Fireplace, among other things. Because the triangle is preserved it would take an act of the NYS legislature or alienation of parkland to utilize it for roadway and remedy the fork. County engineers did send proposals, the chair will redistribute to members. A comparison of the Buell Lane/Wireless Road roundabout was compared to the North Main Street limitations. The LIRR is improving schedules and the Town is required to provide service for "the last mile". Legislator Fleming is getting results improving public transportation by changing directions and routes to better serve the community. The County will not increase mileage so other routes will be curtailed. It is a Town priority to provide service to the medical center next to town hall. The Town is expanding the Hopper, a very successful pilot project in Montauk last year. It would be better if the County gave the Town the money budgeted for public buses

and then the Town could design its own system.

There was discussion about one way streets, specifically Floyd. A patrol car was stationed there for a time but no one was ticketed. Many people go the wrong way and its very dangerous.

The committee heard a report from the 2 members who attended the County senior luncheon at Villa Lombardi in Hollbrook. It was very well attended. Seating was assigned, and all the East Hampton people were sat together. The 2 CAC members were invited to sit in on site management committee for the senior center renovations by Audrey Gaines. There were vendors with door prizes and an award for the Senior of the Year. It was an opportunity to network. Steve Bellone was a no show but the County Sherriff was there and made a very good impression. There was no key note speaker or Q&A.

Announcements: The Historical Farm Museum will raise the flag pole on Saturday at 11:00.

There was some discussion of members' concerns about public safety at town hall. A specific member of the community gets agitated at local government and is very combative, sometimes threatening employees and other members of the community, perhaps exposing the town board to a law suit. Some people are fearful of this individual but there is nothing the Town can do.

The supervisor updated the committee on the search and rescue for the victims of the small plane crash in Amagansett. There are many agencies by land, air & sea on constant patrol finding some debris but cannot conduct a thorough search until the weather improves. The CAC will organize a sympathy card for the Krupinski Bistriian family, members can go to Jeanne Hutson's office to sign.

The Housing Authority was awarded \$18M for the Amagansett project and is on schedule to begin about March 2019. AMG 531 has been named Gansett Meadow.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:10.