

**CRONOMER VALLEY FIRE DISTRICT
PUBLIC HEARING
(Special Meeting)
June 6, 2017**

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Rahuba at 7:00 p.m. followed by a pledge of allegiance. The following Commissioners were present: Messrs. Rahuba, Dieckmann, Greene and Ostrander. Absent: Commissioner Grieco.

Also present:	Mr. Frank Simeone	District Attorney
	Mr. Klaus Wimmer	Representing AT&T
	Mr. Dave Collins	“
	Mr. Daniel Peneso	“
	Mr. Anthony Morando	Attorney for AT&T
	Mr. Clint Smith, PE	District’s Radio Engineer
	Mr. Gregory Lahey	Representing Tectonic
	Mrs. Lucy Dieckmann	District Secretary
	Mrs. Kari Reed	Stenographer

The secretary noted that the time, place and date of this Public Hearing has been posted in accordance with the provision of the Open Meetings Law.

The “Notice of Public Information Session” was read by Mr. Simeone.

Mr. Clint Smith presented a summary of the report he prepared for the district.

Mr. Dave Collins reported on the radio frequency effects of the human body and FCC guidelines.

Tectonic Site Engineer Mr. Greg Lahey reviewed site plans and Tectonic’s visual simulation package.

Mr. Daniel Peneso reviewed AT&T’s coverage with and without the proposed communications tower.

Commissioner Greene spoke about Cronomer Valley Fire District’s present radio needs and the boards concerns for future radio communications.

Questions and Comments were then taken from residents to the Board.

- Mr. Paul Falcones, 16 Weyants Lane, Newburgh NY expressed his concerns for the following: Health and Safety due to the tower's location
Loss of property value due to the tower's location.

Discussion followed.

As requested, Mr. Falcones will receive written answers to his questions.

Mr. Frank Simeone then read, the Resolution of Approval for the installation of the communication facility.

A motion to approve the resolution was made by Mr. Dieckmann and a second provided by Mr. Ostrander. A voted was taken:

	YEA	NAY
Richard Rahuba	X	
Charles Dieckmann	X	
D. Donald Greene	X	
Kevin Ostrander	X	
Michael Grieco	Absent	

RESOLUTION APPROVED

A copy of the RESOLUTION OF APPROVAL is attached to and has been made a part of these minutes.

With no other business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 8:23 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lucy Dieckmann
District Secretary