

TOWN OF CONCORD TOWN BOARD
Work Session 6:30 p.m.

March 11, 2021

Supervisor Drake discussed the following:

1. There will need to be a Special Town Board meeting before April 1st to approve the required Public Employee Emergency Plan. This will be completed and made available to the Board before that meeting. Supervisor Drake has been working on this Plan and has called the Association of Towns also. Once he got working on this Plan, it started to talk about all the laws that need to be updated and when he spoke with an attorney at the Association of Towns, he said that it is Labor Law 27c. It was also noted that a lot of the details on the plan going back to October 2020, expired in December 2020 but New York State's did not. Supervisor Drake advised that he will add this Special Town Board meeting to the agenda under New Business. Since all these laws are changing all the time, Supervisor Drake questioned if the Town can't just make the statement that the Town will abide by all the Federal and New York State laws in effect at that time and just be done with it but the Association of Towns attorney was not sure. The attorney noted that there was a whole list of items to be addressed under 27c. Supervisor Drake will meet with Disaster Coordinator Willibey on this Plan as well. Supervisor Drake discussed with the Board some of the details required in this Plan: the Town needs to have 2 masks for every essential employee for half a year, where the PPE will be purchased from; to get ready for the next pandemic. Councilman Zittel thought he had seen an article about more money coming to the Towns to be used for PPE. Supervisor Drake thinks the Town will be reimbursed for unemployment because of COVID.

Councilman Drozd had attended a Library Board meeting earlier today. Librarian Morris advised that the County is planning on doing the Plan for the Library; a copy will be distributed as soon as Librarian Morris receives it. Councilman Drozd will provide the Town with a copy of that Plan.