

Town Board Meeting Nov 4th 2020 – YouTube Questions



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Andrew Busa: December 1



Andrew Busa: First meeting in December



a lelio: OK see you in 15...



a lelio: art lelio - 2708 waterbury rd, Canastota



Town of Sullivan: Please feel free to start submitting your questions or comments at this time



Jo Spaulding: JoAnne Spaulding 8875 Midlake Meadows Dr Bridgeport, NY Like to say that the Safari was a great place to go during the pandemic and was safe and I hope the vote passes to approve the zoning



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a lelio: can you get to the town a copy of the inspection results from your DEC and USDA inspections--including your past inspections on the Wild--and copies to us in future on an ongoing basis



a lelio: can you build an emergency vehicle access road from the safari PDD to the back area of the Wild park next door, since there is insufficient emergency vehicle access there?



a lelio: can you copy the town on your emergency plans for people [care plans] for both the Wild Park and for the Safari PDD --copies for the Codes office files, so we can have them on hand



Jeff Taylor: It would be blank because my inspections are clean



a lelio: well i am asking you to send the inspection reports as is



a lelio: Can you copy the town office on your list of animals that is filed with the state?



Jeff Taylor: The Wild Animal Park is separate and not part of this meeting



Jeff Taylor: Feel free to file a freedom of information act for all my USDA records



Ma lilio: Not a good response for the PDD hearing



Jo Spaulding: Is there a reason the zoning can't be changed, since the Safari has worked well so far?



Ma lilio: The town will receive calls from residents in the event of an emergency, they cannot wait to file FOIL...



James Newton: We have and there is no record in there from the State about your animals.



Jo Spaulding: So will this be a public vote or just the board?



Jeff Taylor: I have a perfect record with the state



Jo Spaulding: Ok, thank you.



Town of Sullivan: If there are any other questions pertaining to the PDD please feel free to submit them



Ma lilio: Your perfect record is impossible for town residents or officials to find with standard USDA/DEC searches--we cannot wait for FOILS in event of emergencies



Jo Spaulding: Is there a date as to when the decision will be made?



Ma lilio: The town officials would receive the calls, this information must be more accessible to them in order to be informed and prepared--like the fire dept...



James Newton: Show us your perfect record of what has been removed or died.



Ma lilio: There is no idea what steps Jeff would take in event of such emergencies and town officials need that info.



Jeff Taylor: Not sure the relevance of my movement of animals to this meeting. All movements are in accordance with state and federal regulations



Ma lilio: Town officials also deserve an ongoing copy of results from future inspection, preferably within 10 days of receipt by Mr. Taylor



Jeff Taylor: A relevant question would be.... how did the traffic study turn out... which the answer would be traffic was not impacted based on the study



Ma lilio: What steps will you take if a resident complains to the town about dust issues?



Ma lilio: What steps will you take if a resident complains to the town about manure issues?



Ma lilio: What steps will you take if a resident complains to the town about traffic issues?



Ja lelio: What steps will you take if a resident complains to the town about lighting issues?



James Newton: Show us you have the right to do that move your animals without proper authority like you have run your illegal safari which the town has allowed. Dust issues the town or Mr Taylor will do nothing.



Ja lelio: What steps will you take if a resident complains to the town about parking along the street issues?



Jo Spaulding: I have been to the Safari and it is a drive thru so no parking issues just zoning issues which is what this meeting is for



Ja lelio: Can you host the fire department annually to walk through and discuss any emergency issues they may want to discuss?



Jeff Taylor: I'm not sure a business is required to meet with the fire department annually. But I have met with fire official and they have no concerns



James Newton: If the safari is not going to be open at night as Mr. Taylor says in prior meetings why does lighting need to be sheilded?



Ja lelio: Well as things change with your business there needs to be a method for their periodic revisits.



Ja lelio: It should be a requirement for your PDD approval...



Jeff Taylor: It's not necessary



Ja lelio: No concerns from fire dept or DEC or USDA is just a snapshot--we need ongoing collaboration from this business with town officials, as many things will change as time goes on--it is necessary.



Ja lelio: Safety is within the town's ongoing concern and purview--they will be receiving the calls from residents.



Ja lelio: How do your plans coordinate with state police in event of an animal emergency, ie, escape? Please copy the town on your written plans.



Jeff Taylor: Repeating the same questions just structured differently



Jo Spaulding: As you said, it is up to the Board to vote as our elected officials and review the PDD plan & Jeff's plan so I will trust in all your decision making and hope the Safari gets the zoning approval.



James Newton: I think it may be spot zoning on the towns part. As Mr. Taylors activities only benefit him. Again I agree with Art there is no plan for safety.



Jo Spaulding: Everyone have a nice night



Jeff Taylor: I believe the extremely large sums of sales tax benefit the community.



James Newton: The safari is just unhuman to the animals that are caged in there.



Jeff Taylor: I would also say the tens of thousands of people The Wild brings into the community is also a benefit to the local businesses and community.



a lelio: Approval must be conditioned on satisfactory ongoing compliance with inspection results as received and as procedures change at the Safari.



At the Town Boards Request, if you haven't already submitted your question or comment, please remember that you will still be able to submit them by email.



a lelio: thank you--all set



Jeff Taylor: They are in enclosures not cages. We also regulate our visitors for the safety of our animals. To ensure no one is hit by a car.