

**VILLAGE OF SOUTH BLOOMING  
GROVE  
PUBLIC HEARING  
Monday  
February 10, 2020  
7:01 P.M.**

➤ **Call to order**

- Mayor LoFranco called to order the Public Hearing at 7:01 p.m. on February 10, 2020, at the South Blooming Grove Village Hall located at 811 State Route 208, within the Village of South Blooming Grove, and having a mailing address of Monroe, New York.

➤ **Roll call**

The following persons were present:

- James LoFranco- Mayor
- John L. Ross – Deputy Mayor
- James Mullany - Trustee
- Sue Anne Vogelsberg – Trustee
- Johnny Belfort – Trustee
- Joseph McKay – Village Attorney

➤ **Public Comments**

- Village Attorney Joe McKay explained that the Village was successful in securing approximately one million dollars in state funding to make improvements in the water district. The Orange County Department of Health suggested that the Village create a Wellhead Preservation Overlay District that will implement regulations to prohibit certain activities surrounding the Village's existing district. The local law will set parameters such as prohibiting the storage of fertilizer, chemicals, salt, or other harmful items within a certain distance around the Village Wellhead.
- John Hickey, Merriewold Lane South, congratulated the Village Board on successfully obtaining state funding for the water district, then emphasized the importance of voting in the upcoming local election.
- John Daly, Clovewood Road, also congratulated the board on successfully obtaining funding for improvements to the water district.

➤ **Adjournment**

- Motion to adjourn the public hearing to at 7:06 p.m. by Deputy Mayor Ross and seconded by Trustee Mullany. *5 Ayes, Mayor LoFranco, Deputy Mayor Ross, Trustee Vogelsberg, Trustee Mullany and Trustee Belfort.*

Minutes respectfully submitted by  
Kerry Dougherty, Village Clerk