

**INC. VILLAGE OF MANORHAVEN
BOARD OF TRUSTEES**
January 7, 2026 – 6:00 p.m. – WORK SESSION AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Popeleski called meeting to order at 6:30pm – meeting start was delayed due to Village only given access to Adult Activities Center at 6:00pm and set up of room delayed. Also, Board was awaiting arrival of a Trustee.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Deputy Mayor Farina

ATTENDANCE: Mayor John Popeleski, Deputy Mayor Harry Farina, Attorney Christopher Neumann, Village Clerk John Hommel
Trustee Jeffrey Stone – Excused; Trustee Monica Ildefonso – Excused; Trustee Khristine Shahipour – Excused (Death in family)

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE IS NO PUBLIC COMMENT DURING WORK SESSIONS.
PUBLIC COMMENT IS HEARD AT THE REGULAR MONTHLY BOARD OF TRUSTEE
MEETINGS.**

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

- Village personnel matter
 - An Executive Session was set up for the Mayor and Board of Trustees to interview a potential new employee, but the candidate did not show. This caused a bit of a delay.

WORK SESSION TOPICS:

- Linwood and Cambridge – stop sign/no parking here to corner
 - Intersection will be reviewed by engineering firm to determine proper placement of Stop signs.
- Constant Contact – GoGov
 - Village will be moving forward with GoGov mobile app to disseminate information to residents
 - New app should be up and running within the next month.
 - Village will inform residents how to sign up to get app on their phone.
- Flagstar Bank
 - Village will be moving bank to Flagstar Bank
 - Will receive interest on deposit and checking accounts
 - Village was not receiving sufficient level of service at prior bank
- Water main break
 - On January 1, 2026, there was a water main break at Manhasset Ave and Shore Road
 - Initially thought to be sewer it was revealed to be a watermain under the jurisdiction of the Port Washington Water District
 - Village responded appropriately and put emergency procedures into place
 - Village personnel assisted with Water District
- Force mani break
 - On January 2, 2026 while installing gas line to home on Pequot Ave, National Grid damaged Village force main
 - Village DPW and personnel put emergency procedures into place

- Mayor Popeleski thanked Windsor J. Kinney and the Port Washington Water Pollution Control District for their assistance
- The force main had not been marked out, and National Grid shot a tunneling bullet through the pipe.
- Kyle DeLeo
 - As an Eagle Scout in 2016, Mr. DeLeo designed the 9/11 Memorial at Village Hall
 - This year marks 25th Anniversary of 9/11
 - Mr. DeLeo is now a Port Washington Policeman
 - Mayor Popeleski would like to recognize Kyle with a plaque at this years 9/11 ceremony

ADJOURNMENT:

Deputy Mayor Farina made a motion to close and adjourn the meeting; seconded by Mayor Popeleski; carried at 7:05 p.m.

Manorhaven, NY
John Hommel
Village Clerk-Treasurer
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