

**VILLAGE OF RED HOOK
BUDGET WORKSHOP
3-26-09**

Present: Mayor Cohen, Trustee Blundell Trustee Gilfeather, Trustee Trapp, Trustee Kovalchik

Mayor Cohen opened the budget workshop at 6:00 p.m.

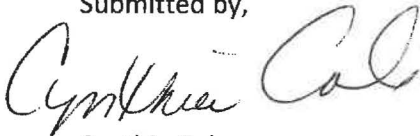
PLANNING & ZONING: Trustee Trapp is asking for the zoning and planning department to not have any increase in pay this year. Also, for the applicant to pay any cost when applying for SEQRA. Trustee Trapp has been in contact with Sam Rosenberry of Central Hudson to discuss the possibility of turning off a % of street lights to save on electricity. Currently the Village budgets \$ 48,000.00 for lighting.

GARBAGE – Trustee Blundell would like to discuss the possibilities of bringing in a private hauler for Village garbage. Village garbage tag sales are down considerably.

The option of have some Village employees go to a 4 day work week was discussed.

A budget workshop was scheduled for April 2, 2009 at 6:00 p.m.

Submitted by,



Cynthia Cole
Clerk/Treasurer