



## TOWN OF AMENIA TOWN BOARD

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### **RESOLUTION No. 53 of 2022** **RE: APPOINTING TOWN CONSTABLE**

**WHEREAS**, the Town Board of the Town of Amenia adopted a Town Constable Local Law No. 3 of 2007 on September 20, 2007, which established the powers and duties and the minimum training and certification requirements for the position of Constable within the Town of Amenia; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Amenia Constables shall be required, prior to performing any services for the Town of Amenia, to satisfactorily complete:

1. The Department of Criminal Justice Basic Course for Peace Officers; and
2. Any other courses required by law or regulation to serve as a Peace Officer in the State of New York; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town Board seeks to appoint Christopher Simmons as Town Constable to perform the duties of Constable as set forth in the Town Code for the calendar year 2022 at a salary of \$15.50 per hour for 20 hours per week commencing on August 1, 2022; and

**WHEREAS**, Christopher Simmons is not authorized to carry or use a weapon until the Town receives confirmation that the Town Constable has satisfactorily completed the training courses specified in the Town Code and such other and additional training and instruction as the Town Board may direct in its discretion; and

**WHEREAS**, Constable is a part-time position in the non-competitive class pursuant to the Rules for the Classified Civil Service of Dutchess County; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, as follows:

1. The recitations set forth above are incorporated in this Resolution as if fully set forth and adopted herein; and
2. That Christopher Simmons is hereby appointed to the position of Constable (PT) for the Town of Amenia for the calendar year 2022 with the powers and duties set forth in the Town Code

subject to the restrictions set forth in this Resolution; and

3. That the salary for the position will be \$15.50 per hour for 20 hours per week commencing on August 1, 2022; and

4. The Town Constable shall execute and file in the office of the Clerk of Dutchess County an official undertaking conditioned for the faithful performance of his/her duties before entering upon the duties of his office as required by the Town Law; and

5. That the Town Supervisor and the Town Bookkeeper to the Supervisor are hereby authorized and directed to file any and all documentation necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

Motion made by Blackman; Seconded by Rebillard

The foregoing resolution was voted upon with all councilwomen/councilmen voting as follows:

Supervisor Perotti	Aye
Councilwoman Doyle	Aye
Councilman Gutierrez	Absent
Councilman Blackman	Aye
Councilman Rebillard	Aye

Dated: Amenia, New York  
July 21, 2022

  
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DAWN MARIE KLINGNER, TOWN CLERK