## McKownville Improvement Association Public Meeting Meet the Candidates Holiday Inn Express, Thursday October 23, 2003, 7 pm to 9 pm

All are invited to the McKownville Improvement Association Meet the Candidates night. Come. Bring a friend. Ask your questions. Meet your neighbors. Be an informed voter. All of the following candidates have been invited to be at the meeting.

The candidates for Town Offices are--Ken Runion, Town Supervisor; Dave Bosworth and Mike Ricard, Town Board members; John Bailey, Town Justice, and Rosemary Centi, Town Clerk. The candidates for the County Legislature are Frank Commisso and Mary Lou Connolly. These candidates were nominated by the Democrat party.

Town Officer candidates are—Tony Esposito, Town Supervisor; Mark Jones, Town Board; John Bailey, Town Justice; and Todd Gifford, Superintendent of Highways. The candidate for the County Legislature is David Reid. These candidates were nominated by the Republican party.

Ouestions you might wish to ask the candidates:

- 1. What is your position on the Western Avenue/Schoolhouse flyover proposed by the Thruway Authority?
  - 2. What is your position about making the Stuyvesant reservoir into a Town park?
- 3. Concerning the Western Avenue corridor plans that were developed by Creighton Manning, what is your position about implementing or changing their proposals for sidewalks, pedestrian crosswalks, etc.?
- 4. Are you in favor of a "tree planting program" for McKownville and the rest of Guilderland to be paid for by the Town? How would implement it?
  - 5. How should the County Legislature interact with the citizens of Guilderland?
  - 6. How do you intend to improve all of the neighborhoods in Guilderland?

Questions about storm water drainage, parks and playgrounds, speed limits, the library, youth services, housing for senior citizens, walking paths, and bringing the Town together could be asked also. A questionnaire about the McKownville reservoir/Stuyvesant pond is on the reverse side—residents are asked to complete it and return it to the Association. Finally—the next public meeting is November 20, same place, same time—topic is construction of the Thruway proposed EZPass flyover near Schoolhouse Road.(Please send your email address to <a href="mailto:dreeb@albany.edu">dreeb@albany.edu</a> if you want to be reminded of events involving McKownville

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