WHEREAS, according to the Coast Guard website, the Maritime Association of the Port of New York/New Jersey Tug & Barge Committee, the Hudson River Port Pilots Association, and the American Waterways Operators wish to establish 10 anchorage locations along the Hudson River that commercial tankers and tugboats would use as rest stops, and

WHEREAS, these rest stops are and may be used by large commercial ships taking oil back and forth to Albany and are or may be used as long-term mooring points, and

WHEREAS, the said proposal would create health and safety, environmental and economic problems for Hudson River communities such as the Town of Cornwall,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED as follows:

The Town Board hereby authorizes the Supervisor to request the Coast Guard and/or other appropriate authorities to hold a public hearing before any further action is taken or decisions made.

Delen Bunt presented the foregoing resolution which was seconded by Michael Summerville.

The vote on the foregoing resolution was as follows:

Helen Bunt, Councilwoman, voting

J. Kerry McGuinness, Councilman, voting

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Peter Russell, Councilman, voting  

Michael Summerfield, Councilman, voting  

Richard Randazzo, Supervisor, voting