



1. **Eric McCombs**
2. **Village Trustee**
3. **Republican**
4. No offices held
5. New York State Correction Officer
6. Married, two children
7. 31 years resident
8. Elks Lodge; American Legion; Cragmoor Fire Co.
9. I feel holding a position on the Village Board will give me a great opportunity to help make my community a safer and nicer place for my children.
10. Greatest strength: Youth, Honesty, and Determination to do what is right for our community.
11. I'd most like to reinstall pride in our village, beautify our streets, keep taxes to a minimum, and bring more businesses to the village.
12. Most important short-term issue: the sale of Cedar Grove Apts.
13. Most important long-term issue: bringing more businesses to our village.
14. More advertisement to increase public attendance/involvement.
15. Yes, I support televising Board meetings.
16. We can attract and keep businesses by cleaning up the appearance of our streets.
17. With possible loss of state funding, I believe it would be very hard to cut costs/taxes. It's going to be a fight to keep them to a minimum.
18. I oppose dissolution. While we may lose the village tax, we may end up with a district tax. We will also lose our identity. 

1. **Raymond E. (Ray) Younger**
2. **Village Trustee**
3. **Democrat**
4. Six years Village Trustee, four years Mayor
5. Correction Officer, Pastor
6. Wife, Denise; six children
7. Have lived in the area 38 years
8. A member of New Testament Church of Jesus Christ; NAACP; AAMA.
9. Running now to become part of the decision-making for the village in which I live.
10. The strength/expertise I bring is the ability to reason, make commonsense decisions. I am a people person; have an understanding of government, experienced.
11. Some of the things I would like to accomplish would be to involve more of the community in the decisions of the village; help the village become more attractive to our own people as well as to outsiders.
12. The most important short-term issue facing the Village: Helping others to realize the possibilities within the village and again, help the village become more attractive.
13. The most important long-term issue facing the Village: Establish short-term and long-term goals/plans for the village to help ensure the growth and development of the village.
14. To increase public attendance/involvement regarding Village Board meetings: Establish meetings monthly in the four districts of the village, advertise openings that become available on various village boards.
15. Yes, I would support televising board meetings.
16. We can keep business in the village by the residents patronizing those businesses and we can attract business by the village becoming more attractive to the eye; know the business needs of the village and begin to develop a plan to meet those needs.
17. Some ways we can cut costs/taxes in the Village budget is to partnership more with the town and county in shared services where possible; return county-owned properties back to village tax 

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