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Tonight the Village Board of Trustees ask that Trustee Erin Meagher resign her position immediately.

While it is true that the only way one can be removed from the position is being found guilty of a felony, let's look at the facts.

Trustee Meagher was charged with a felony in Carmel for stealing money from the chamber of commerce, during this time Trustee Meagher gave a statement saying she was innocent and being targeted for her age and political affiliations. In the end Trustee Meagher pleaded guilty to a misdemeanor, which includes community service and restitution to the chamber.

Now you have to ask yourself why would one who has claimed they were innocent enter a plea of guilty to a lesser charge that included restitution. Because they are guilty.

We all stand in this court room and take an oath of office to uphold the constitution and the laws of NYS, on this she failed. We feel it is in the best interest of the village of Brewster that she resigns.

She has lost public trust.

Thank you,
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