

Regular Meeting, Town of Barrington, August 27, 2014

A regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Barrington, County of Yates and State of New York was held at the Town Hall located at 4424 Bath Road, Penn Yan on August 27, 2014.

Present: Nate Olney Deputy Supervisor  
Ken Christensen, Jr. Assistant Deputy Supervisor  
Bruce Castner Councilman  
Calvin Crosby Councilman  
John Griffin Code Enforcement/Watershed Inspector  
Steve Wheeler Highway Superintendent  
Joy L. C. Perry Town Clerk

Absent: Fred Wright Supervisor

Also Present: Sue Lange, Planning Board Chairperson; Bonnie Percy, County Legislator

Nate Olney called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

1. Approve Minutes for July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2014

A motion to approve the board minutes for July 23<sup>rd</sup> was made by Crosby and seconded by Castner.

4-Ayes (Castner, Christensen, Crosby, Olney) 0-Noes

2. Public Participation on Non-Agenda Items

Bonnie Percy let the Board know that the County department heads are compiling their budget requests and should be submitting them soon. She also said that she looked into the deputies taking their cars home instead of sharing vehicles. It was determined that the maintenance cost more if the cars are being used by more than just one person.

3. Supervisor Correspondence

Tabled

4. Approve Monthly Accounting

**Resolution 2014-90** to approve the monthly accounting for July was made by Castner and seconded by Christensen.

Bruce Castner Aye  
Ken Christensen, Jr. Aye  
Nate Olney Aye  
Calvin Crosby Aye

0-Noes

5. Approve Justice Audit

**Resolution 2014-91** to approve the Justice's audit for July was made by Christensen and seconded by Crosby.

Ken Christensen, Jr.	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye
Nate Olney	Aye
Bruce Castner	Aye

0-Noes

6. Planning Board Report

Sue Lange stated that Dominic Sebasto of the Planning Board has put his home up for sale and when it sells he will be moving to Pennsylvania. There are a couple people that may be interested in filling the vacancies on the Planning Board.

Lange also let the Board know that the fracking committee held their info sharing meeting on Monday but the attendance was very low.

Ken Christensen commended the fracking committee for being so unbiased in their presentation.

7. Highway Superintendent's Comments/Concerns

Wheeler stated that the FEMA paperwork is being taken care of. He also stated that the new truck will be delivered on September 15<sup>th</sup> and they still don't have the mowing tractor back.

Christensen stated that he would like to have a special meeting to transfer money to pay for the new truck since Wright is not at the meeting tonight. The Board agreed to have a meeting next Thursday, Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm.

8. Code Enforcement/Watershed Inspector Report

Griffin stated that lots of houses are going up in the town, but the septic inspections have slowed down a bit.

9. Public Participation on Agenda Items

None

10. Appointed/Elected Officials Comments/Concerns

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Crosby talked about New York State putting a severance tax in place to raise money to cover such things as well inspections and to provide for education related to them. He also asked Wheeler if the Town had any good timber on the property to sell to put in a special account to save for an addition for the Town Hall. Wheeler said that there is and that they looked into it before. The price of timber is down right now. The Board may talk about it more in the future.

11. Pay General Bills

**Resolution 2014-92** to pay the general bills numbered 196 through 222 in the amount of \$9,571.14 which have been audited by the Town Board was made by Castner and seconded by Crosby.

Bruce Castner	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye
Nate Olney	Aye
Ken Christensen, Jr.	Aye

0-Noes

12. Pay Highway Bills

**Resolution 2014-93** to pay the highway bills numbered 162 through 193 in the amount of \$162,265 which was audited by the Town Board was made by Christensen and seconded by Castner.

Ken Christensen, Jr.	Aye
Bruce Castner	Aye
Nate Olney	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye

0-Noes

13. Pay T Abstract

**Resolution 2014-94** to pay the T abstract numbered T4\*14 through T6\*14 in the amount of \$1,201.24 which was audited by the Town Board was made by Crosby and seconded by Christensen.

Calvin Crosby	Aye
Ken Christensen, Jr.	Aye
Nate Olney	Aye
Bruce Castner	Aye

0-Noes

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14. Next Town Board Meeting

The next Town Board meeting will be September 24<sup>th</sup>, 2014.

15. Adjourn

A motion to adjourn at 7:29 pm was made by Christensen and seconded by Castner.

4-Ayes (Castner, Christensen, Crosby, Olney) 0-Noes

*Respectfully Submitted,*

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*Joy L. C. Perry, RMC, Town Clerk*