

Regular Meeting, Town of Barrington, August 24, 2016

A regular meeting of the Town of Barrington, County of Yates and State of New York was held at the Town Hall located at 4424 Bath Road on August 24th, 2016.

Present:	Phil Warren	Town Supervisor
	Nate Olney	Deputy Supervisor
	Bruce Castner	Councilman
	Calvin Crosby	Councilman
	Sue Lange	Councilwoman
	John Griffin	Code Enforcement Officer/Watershed Inspector
	Steve Wheeler	Highway Superintendent
	Joy L. C. Perry	Town Clerk

Also Present: Stanley Dobromil, Town Accountant; Valerie Gardner, District Attorney

1. Approve Minutes

A motion to approve the minutes of July 13th, 2016 was made by Lange and seconded by Castner.

5-Ayes (Castner, Crosby, Lange, Olney, Warren) 0-Noes

A motion to approve the minutes of July 27th 2016 was made by Castner and seconded by Olney.

4-Ayes (Castner, Crosby, Olney, Warren) 1-Abstain (Lange) 0-Noes

2. Public Participation on Non-Agenda Items

Dobromil reminded the Board that the personnel handbook needs to be updated.

3. Approve Monthly Accounting-July

Resolution 2016-96 to approve the monthly accounting for July was made by Warren and seconded by Olney.

Phil Warren	Aye
Nate Olney	Aye
Bruce Castner	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye
Sue Lange	Aye

0-Noes

4. Approve Justice Audit-July

Resolution 2016-97 to approve the Justice Audit for July was made by Lange and seconded by Castner.

Sue Lange	Aye
Bruce Castner	Aye
Phil Warren	Aye
Nate Olney	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye

0-Noes

5. Supervisor's Correspondences

Warren shared his correspondences.

Warren discussed having cyber security coverage as Sprague Insurance recommended. The estimate is for \$404.80 per year. After Board discussion they decided they didn't need it.

A motion to decline the cyber security coverage was made by Crosby and seconded by Castner.

5-Ayes (Castner, Crosby, Lange, Olney, Warren) 0-Noes

6. Planning Board Report

Lange let the Board know that the second public hearing for the Comp Plan has been held. She reminded the Board that it is reviewed every two years. The six year is a more extensive review.

She stated that the road right of way law should be mentioned in the newsletter to the residents.

Wheeler stated that he had signs put up at the end of the Lower Lake Roads to let the residents and/or contractors know that they can not work in the right of way without a permit.

Warren talked about raising the fee for working without a permit.

7. Highway Superintendent's Comments/Concerns

Wheeler let the Board know that both mowing tractors are fixed. The Board and Superintendent discussed the need for a new flail mower, tractor and grader. Wheeler is going to get a quote for a new tractor and mower. He is also getting a price for a new grader.

8. Code Enforcement/Watershed Inspector

Griffin stated that the Board has his report.

9. Public Participation on Agenda Items

None

10. Elected/Appointed Official's Comments/Concerns

Lange stated that she got an estimate to fix the Town sign. It will cost \$200 to \$250. It will have to be taken away to have the work done. Perry asked to have an additional line for wording put under the one that already exists. She stated that she doesn't have the letters anymore and only one line doesn't really give enough room for special messages.

Resolution 2016-98 to contact Chris Gary of Top Dog Signs to repair the sign and add a second line for special meetings on the bottom was made by Lange and seconded by Warren.

Sue Lange	Aye
Phil Warren	Aye
Nate Olney	Aye
Bruce Castner	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye

0-Noes

Lange reminded everyone that the sign needs to be waxed regularly to maintain its quality.

Lange shared that at the LULA meeting there was a Planner from Steuben County and quite a bit of discussion on the Solar Energy laws. She got some information and stated that Jerusalem is working on a draft. It was brought up that if you are a farmer and you put Solar Energy on your land you no longer get an exemption on that part of the land.

There will be a budget meeting on August 29th at 6:00 pm.

11. Pay General Bills

Resolution 2016-99 to pay the general bills numbered 202 thru 225 in the amount of \$16,945.65 which were audited by the Town Board was made by Castner and seconded by Olney.

Bruce Castner	Aye
Nate Olney	Aye
Phil Warren	Aye

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Calvin Crosby	Aye
Sue Lange	Aye

0-Noes

12. Pay Highway Bills

Resolution 2016-100 to pay the highway bills numbered 200 thru 222 in the amount of \$43,143.62 which have been audited by the Town Board was made by Olney and seconded by Castner.

Nate Olney	Aye
Bruce Castner	Aye
Phil Warren	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye
Sue Lange	Aye

0-Noes

Crosby brought up concerns that Chris Bailey had at a previous meeting regarding Tony DeStephen and enforcing Camp Arey's assessment. Warren will ask DeStephen to attend the next meeting.

13. Next Meeting

September 28th, 2016

14. Adjourn

A motion to adjourn at 7:57 pm was made by Olney and seconded by Warren.

5-Ayes (Castner, Crosby, Lange, Olney, Warren) 0-Noes

Respectfully Submitted,

Joy L. C. Perry, RMC, Town Clerk