

## Public Hearing & Regular Meeting, March 25, 2025

A meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Barrington was held March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at 6:00 pm at the Town Hall located at 4424 Bath Road, Penn Yan, NY and County of Yates.

Present:	Bryan Yarrington	Supervisor
	Nate Olney	Deputy Supervisor
	Calvin Crosby	Councilperson
	Tom Petro, III	Councilperson
	Mary Jayne	Councilperson
	Steve Wheeler	Highway Superintendent
	Tom Grady	Code Enforcement Officer
	Helene Ribble	Bookkeeper
	Joy L. C. Perry	Town Clerk

Also Present: Steve Brigham, ZBA Chairperson; Tony DeStephen; Buck Lawson

### 1. Call to Order

Supervisor Yarrington called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

### 2. Public Hearing

Yarrington opened the public hearing on the proposed local law regarding flood damage prevention at 6:00 pm. There were no comments from the public. The Board generally agreed to an application fee of \$100 for a floodplain development permit. Perry will send the updated law to NY State DEC for their approval.

A motion to close the public hearing at 6:04 pm was made by Yarrington and seconded by Petro.

5-Ayes (Crosby, Jayne, Olney, Petro, Yarrington) 0-Noes

### 3. Buck-Info Sharing re: Electronic Security

Buck Lawson went over his IT suggestions regarding updates and steps to be taken for cyber security. He stated that Windows 10 will go out of support in October of this year. Everyone's computers need to be updated by then.

The current firewall could be moved to the town barn. He suggests replacing it with a Fortigate 40F with unified threat protection for \$650 which includes a three-year subscription. Lawson stated for the entire project the labor will cost approximately \$1,000.

4. Open Bids

There was one bid received for bank run and screened gravel.

**Resolution 2025-52** to accept the bid from Morehouse Gravel for \$6.00 per ton for bank run gravel picked up at 895 Rice Road, Himrod and \$8.50 for screened gravel per ton picked up at 895 Rice Road, Himrod was made by Olney and seconded by Petro.

Nate Olney	Aye
Tom Petro	Aye
Bryan Yarrington	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye
Mary Jayne	Aye

0-Noes

5. Approve Minutes

A motion to approve the minutes of January 28<sup>th</sup> and February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025 was made by Olney and seconded by Jayne.

Nate Olney	Aye
Mary Jayne	Aye
Bryan Yarrington	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye
Tom Petro	Aye

0-Noes

6. Approve Justice Audit

**Resolution 2025-53** to approve the Justice audit for February was made by Olney and seconded by Petro.

Nate Olney	Aye
Tom Petro	Aye
Bryan Yarrington	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye
Mary Jayne	Aye

0-Noes

7. Approve Monthly Accounting

**Resolution 2025-54** to approve the monthly accounting for February was made by Crosby and seconded by Jayne.

Calvin Crosby	Aye
Mary Jayne	Aye
Bryan Yarrington	Aye
Nate Olney	Aye
Tom Petro	Aye

0-Noes

8. Highway Report

Wheeler handed out a monthly report. He stated that the annual clean-up day will be May 17<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 am until 2:00 pm. He has all the dumpsters lined up for delivery. He reminded everyone that Don Baker's retirement party will be April 24<sup>th</sup> at the highway department.

Wheeler shared that someone removed trees along East Lake Road making a safety hazard. The highway crew had to install guardrail to remedy the situation, which some of the residents didn't like.

9. Code Enforcement Report

Grady handed out his monthly report and shared some concerns that he has been working on relating to a Buckle Road camper issue, cleaning up on Chubb Hollow which includes the concrete issue.

10. Supervisor Comments/Concerns

Yarrington gave the clerk his monthly report. He shared that the annual road inspection will be April 5<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 am.

Yarrington met with a representative from Sprague Insurance. The policy may increase by approximately 9%.

**Resolution 2025-55** to give the Town Clerk permission to electronically administer the Town bank accounts which include the Town Clerk account, DECALS and Tax Collector accounts was made by Yarrington and seconded by Petro.

Bryan Yarrington	Aye
Tom Petro	Aye
Nate Olney	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye
Mary Jayne	Aye

0-Noes

**Resolution 2025-56** to approve the mowing contract with Yates County for 2025 was made by Olney and seconded by Crosby.

Nate Olney	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye
Bryan Yarrington	Aye
Tom Petro	Aye
Mary Jayne	Aye

0-Noes

11. Public Comments/Concerns

None

12. Elected/Appointed Officials Comments/Concerns

Brigham shared that the ZBA approved 1115 East Lake Road for a retaining wall. The next meeting there will be an application for a property south of the Olney Place where the owner is tearing down the house and rebuilding a bigger one creating lot coverage that will be approximately five percent more than the zoning law limits.

Perry shared tax collection data with the Town Board. She will present all of her accounts to the board at the next meeting.

13. Pay General Bills

**Resolution 2025-57** to pay the general bills numbered 61 thru 80 in the amount of \$6,366.83 which were audited by the Town Board was made by Olney and seconded by Jayne.

Nate Olney	Aye
Mary Jayne	Aye
Bryan Yarrington	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye
Tom Petro	Aye

0-Noes

14. Pay Highway Bills

**Resolution 2025-58** to pay the highway bills numbered 45 thru 66 in the amount of \$219,432.12 which have been audited by the Town Board was made by Crosby and seconded by Olney.

Calvin Crosby	Aye
Nate Olney	Aye
Bryan Yarrington	Aye
Tom Petro	Aye
Mary Jayne	Aye

0-Noes

**Resolution 2025-59** to make the following budget amendments

Increase Account D5031 for interfund revenue by \$60,441.00

Increase Account D5130.2 for machinery purchases by \$60,441.00

To pay for the balance of the 6-wheel truck out of account D204-1 Five Star Equipment

Made by Olney and seconded by Petro

Nate Olney	Aye
Tom Petro	Aye

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Bryan Yarrington	Aye
Calvin Crosby	Aye
Mary Jayne	Aye

0-Noes

15. Next Meeting

April 22<sup>nd</sup>

16. Adjourn

A motion to adjourn at 6:48 pm was made by Olney and seconded by Petro.

5-Ayes (Crosby, Jayne, Olney, Petro, Yarrington) 0-Noes

*Respectfully Submitted,*

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*Joy L. C. Perry, Town Clerk*