

REGULAR SESSION OF THE VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES ON AUGUST 9, 2022  
AT VILLAGE HALL 61 FRONT STREET, DEPOSIT NY AT 7:00 P.M.

PRESENT: Trustees Strauss, Price, Durning and Warner, C/T Budine, DC/T Shirkey,  
DPW Supervisor Steve Evans, Fire Chief Shaun Ryneerson and Mike Musante.

ABSENT: Mayor Moore

MOTION#132/22-23

A motion was made by Trustee Strauss and seconded by Trustee Price to waive the reading of the July 12, 2022 Regular Session, July 26, 2022 Work Session minutes. Motion passed unanimously.

MOTION#133/22-23

A motion was made by Trustee Strauss and seconded by Trustee Durning to accept for filing of the July 12, 2022 Regular Session and the July 26, 2022, Work Session minutes. Motion passed unanimously.

MOTION#134/22-23

A motion was made by Trustee Strauss and seconded by Trustee Durning to accept for filing the monthly Treasurer's Report. Motion passed unanimously.

STREETS

DPW Supervisor stated that the DPW has been very busy cleaning out catch basins and clearing vegetation around Butler Brook before the culvert replacement takes place.

MOTION#135/22-23

A motion was made by Trustee Strauss and seconded by Trustee Durning to approve \$8000 to be taken from Streets Reserve to rent an excavator from Wheeler's Excavating for the culvert project. Motion passed unanimously.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Deputy Mayor Warner reported to the board that Monday night one of the Fire trucks had blown a seal and Steve was called on to help in this situation. The repairs for fixing the truck could be around \$500-\$600 and Shaun will look into this. Chief Ryneerson reported that the pumper tanker had an issue with the battery shut off switch. This has been fixed but had ruined the batteries in the mean time. Chief Ryneerson stated that he would be out of town from August 10<sup>th</sup> to August 14<sup>th</sup>.

TRUSTEES

Trustee Durning said he was happy to be back.

Trustee Price asked about the fireworks local law. CT Budine explained that the board wanted to proceed with a local law that would be able to punish those that endangered the community by using commercial grade fireworks in Village limits without proper training and certification. Trustees Price and Durning expressed concerns about how enforceable this law would be.

Trustee Strauss stated that the Union negotiation meeting will be Tuesday, August 16 at 3:30 PM.

PRESIDENT

FINANCE

MOTION#136/22-23

A motion was made by Trustee Strauss and seconded by Trustee Durning to approve for payment vouchers on Abstract #6 as listed:

General Fund	\$ 24,133.71
Water Fund	\$ 5,275.79
Sewer Fund	<u>\$102,734.80</u>
	\$ 132,144.30

Motion passed unanimously.

CT gave the board a letter from the owner of 6 Allen Street seeking a refund on his water/sewer bill because he was charged for 2 units and he feels it should be listed as a 1 family residential. Ms. Budine explained that it is the property owner's responsibility to inform the Village of the change in units in a rental building. The property RP 5217 property transfer report from the County clearly states the property is listed as a 2 or 3 Family Residential property. The board chose to take no action.

Ms. Budine reported that we will soon start budget season with close of books for August. The first meetings will be with the Fire Department oversight committee. She asked if there were any dates that wouldn't work. Ms. Budine will contact the two Towns and try to set up meetings for September

GUESTS

Mike Musante agreed that the fireworks were too much this year.

MOTION#137/22-23

A motion was made by Trustee Durning and seconded by Trustee Price to adjourn at 7:20 PM. Motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted:

Karen L. Budine  
Clerk Treasurer