

Unadilla Town Board Meeting

Date: June 13, 2023

6:30 PM Audit of Bills

7:00 PM Open Meeting

Pledge of Allegiance

Call to Order

Supervisor George DeNys called the meeting to order.

Roll Call

George DeNys, Supervisor
Terry Yoder, Town Clerk
Rodney Renwick, Superintendent
Ronald Reed, Councilman
Donald Cole, Councilman
Jessica Grow, Councilwoman
Allen Anderson, Councilman
Beth Westfall, Attorney

May 9th Minutes

Councilman Ronald Reed made the motion to accept the May 9th meeting minutes as written. The motion was seconded by Councilman Allen Anderson and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

General	\$ 11,814.27
Gen B	\$ 130.00
Highway Outside Village	\$ 145,614.40
Highway Town wide	\$ 6,866.13
Riverside Sewer District	\$ 255.89
Riverside Lighting	\$ 121.55
Rockdale Lighting	\$ 21.44
Wells Bridge Lighting	\$ 151.97

Audit of the Bills

Councilman Ronald Reed made the motion to accept and pay the bills. The motion was seconded by Councilwoman Jessica Grow and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

Committee Reports

Highway

Chip sealing has been completed on Ryan Road, Jesse Rogers Road, Lockwood Hill Road, Prentice Gorge Road, Black Ash Swamp, Ideuma Road, Kilkenny, Ingalls and Brandon Brooks Roads. Shim paving is about 75% Complete. Winter sand has been hauled in, Road side mowing is completed for the first round. Crew is working on shoulders and ditches. The new loader should be delivered within the next 6 weeks.

Rodney would like the board to start thinking about the purchase of another new pickup. There was a mix up in the transferring of funds for the tractor that was purchased and was paid back in March. The payment should have been taken out of the DB Equipment Reserve Fund.

Supervisor George DeNys made the motion to ratify the transfer of funds made in March and be put back into the DB Equipment Reserve Fund. The motion was seconded by Councilman Ronald Reed and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

Fuel Bids

Supervisor George DeNys made the motion to go out for fuel bids that would be opened at our July 11th meeting. The motion was seconded by Councilman Don Cole and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

Finance

No questions regarding the financial report for April.

Building

Nothing to report this month.

Supervisor George DeNys made the motion to accept the committee reports. The motion was seconded by Councilwoman Jessica Grow and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

Monthly Reports

Town Clerk's monthly report was submitted with a check totaling \$380.96

Supervisor's monthly report was submitted.

Dog Control Officer's monthly report was submitted.

Assessor's Report was submitted.

Historian's Report was submitted

Councilwoman Jessica Grow made the motion to accept the monthly reports. The motion was seconded by Councilman Ronald Reed and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

Old Business

Public Hearing for Local Law #2 – Standards of Conduct for Officers and Employees

Open Public Hearing

Councilman Don Cole made the motion to open the public hearing for Local Law #2 – Standards of Conduct for Officers and Employees policy.

Attorney Beth Westfall told the Board that a new Board of Ethics would have to be created as part of the new policy. The committee would include (1) one member from the Town Board and (2) two members of the public.

With no further discussion on the new policy, Supervisor George DeNys made the motion to adopt Local Law # 2. The motion was seconded by Councilman Allen Anderson and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

Supervisor George DeNys make the motion to close the Public Hearing. The motion was seconded by Councilwoman Jessica Grow and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

New Business

Resignation of Justice Joshua Palmer

Supervisor George DeNys made the motion to accept the resignation of Justice Palmer immediately. The motion was seconded by Councilman Don Cole and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

Discuss Wells Bridge Park Mowing Wage

An increase on the weekly rate for mowing the Wells Bridge Park was requested by Patrick Wilsey. The rate increase will go from \$35.00 to \$40.00 per week.

Supervisor George DeNys made the motion to approve the increase. The motion was seconded by Councilman Allen Anderson and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

Correspondence

Chamber of Commerce – Thank you card for holiday lights

Sand Hill Cemetery – Thank you card for donation

Empire Toyota – Thank you card for purchase of Toyota Corolla

Executive Session

Supervisor George DeNys made the motion to go into executive session to discuss a possible appointment. The motion was seconded by Councilman Allen Anderson and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

Supervisor George DeNys made the motion to leave executive session and return to regular session. The motion was seconded by Councilman Don Cole and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

Adjournment

With no further discussion, Councilman Ronald Reed made the motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Councilman Allen Anderson and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Noes.

Respectfully submitted,

Terry L Yoder, Town Clerk

Time of Adjournment: 7:22 PM