

Unadilla Town Board Meeting

July 8, 2025

6:00 PM Audit of Bills

6:30 PM Open Meeting

Call to Order

Supervisor George DeNys called the meeting to order at 6:30pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call:

George DeNys, Supervisor
Kirsten Ruling, Town Clerk
Rodney Renwick, Superintendent
Donald Cole, Councilman
Jessica Grow, Councilwoman
Allen Anderson, Councilman
Larry Crosier, Councilman
Steve Higbie, Observer
Ed Gross, Observer
Albert Linville, Observer
Elizabeth Diugosz, Observer
Ed Fraischer, Otsego County Representative

Minutes of June 10, 2025

Councilperson Allen Anderson made the motion to accept the June 10, 2025 minutes as written. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Larry Crosier and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes 0 Nays.

Audit of Bills

Councilperson Jessica Grow made the motion to accept and pay bills. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Don Cole and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes 0 Nays.

General Fund A	\$ 11,151.55
General Fund B	\$ 233.33
Highway (DB) Outside Village	\$ 9,466.79
Highway (DA) Town wide	\$ 80,842.13
Riverside Sewer District	\$ 215.76
Riverside Lighting	\$ 183.68
Rockdale Lighting	\$ 32.28
Wells Bridge Lighting	\$ 222.31

Committee Reports

Highway

Rodney Renwick:

Report of storm damage submitted to Victor Jones, Otsego County OC1, aggregate of damages for the county will determine if we are eligible for reimbursement. Heavy rain road damage was on Rockdale, Sheep Pen, Kilkenny, and Fisk Hill. Some culverts and guardrails need to be replaced.

Preparing for road paving, possibly late July or August.

Truck 1 – F600 is at upfitters, it should be ready next week. Truck 2 – F600 should be ready soon.

Request to surplus the 2014 F550 and 2016 F350 using Auction International, they will be replaced by the two new F600s. A motion to surplus the 2014 F550 and 2016 F350 was made by Councilperson Don Cole and seconded by Allen Anderson, unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes, 0 Nays.

Ongoing preparation for the new salt shed.

CHIPS reimbursement was received totaling \$118,532.54.

Finance - Finance report attached.

Building – Nothing to report

Councilperson Jessica Grow made the motion to accept Committee Reports. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Larry Croiser and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes 0 Nays.

Monthly Reports

Town Clerk's report was submitted with a check totaling \$546.50

Dog Control Officer's Monthly Report

Assessor's Monthly Report - None

Tax Collector's Report - None

Supervisor George DeNys made the motion to accept monthly reports as submitted. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Larry Crosier and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes 0 Nays.

New Business

Approval request for Housing Funds for CDBG Drawdown #9

Supervisor George DeNys made the motion to accept the approval request for Housing Funds of \$37,400 for CDBG Drawdown #9. The motion was seconded by Councilman Larry Croiser and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes 0 Nays.

Correspondence

None

Privilege of the Floor

Ed Gross: asked why the bookkeeper is not local, he wants to be able to go over the books. He was told to submit a FOIL and request specific information. He submitted a letter to the councilpersons and said it was also sent to the District Attorney. He also voiced his displeasure of the land on the corner of County Highway 3A and Sisson Hill being developed by the new property owner. He has concerns of the changes in the land will impact water drainage and flooding his property.

Ed Fraizer: Otsego County ambulances will contract with Bassett Hospital to do interfacility transfers. Otsego County will also receive \$4.3 million and plan to add more ambulance coverage. He will also look into Ed Gross' concerns with Otsego County Highway Superintendent Rich Brimmer.

Adjournment

Supervisor George DeNys made the motion adjourn the meeting at 18:50, the motion was seconded by Councilperson Allen Anderson and unanimously carried. Roll Call; 5 Ayes 0 Nays.

Respectfully submitted

Kirsten Ruling

Town Clerk