

TOWN OF ARIETTA
February 6,2023
Regular Town Board Meeting

Minutes of the Regular Town Board Meeting of the Town of Arietta held February 6,2023 Piseco Town Offices located at the Piseco Common School.

Supervisor Rhodes opened the meeting at 5:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

OTHERS PRESENT:

Craig Small- Highway Superintendent
Matt Wilt
Mel LaScola- Zoning Officer
Steve Woehrle
Marie Buanno
Jim Horan
Rene and John Rajca
Barry Baker
William Hotaling

Roll Call:

Jacqui Grier	present
Douglas Stobo	present
Sarah Rudes	present
Christy Wilt	present
Chris Rhodes	present

Agenda

February 6, 2023

at School

Town of Arietta

- Call to Order
- Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America
- Roll Call
- Presentation:
 - Jim Basile Real Property Reassessment
- Motion to approve minutes for the January 17, 2023 meeting

Snowmobile Trails J. Grier
Town Buildings and Grounds - Stobo
Internal Management / Insurance,
Recreation, Website & Chamber- C Wilt
Finance / Airport-C. Rhodes
Lake / Dam / Invasive/campsite -Rudes

- **Old Business**
 - **Community Hall**
 - **Poplar Point Campsite**
- **New Business**
 - Motion to accept the bills
 - Motion to accept the financial statements
 - Public Comment
 - Designation of next Meeting March 6, 2023
 - **Motion to adjourn**

At this time William Hotaling introduced Jim Basile. Mr. Basile gave a presentation on property Appraisal, Reappraisal, Assessment and Reassessment.

Supervisor Rhodes asked for a motion to accept the minutes of the January 17, 2023 Special Town Board Meeting as submitted by the Town Clerk.

Motion was offered by Sarah Rudes

Seconded by Doug Stobo

All in Favor- Motion passed

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Snowmobile Trails- J. Grier had nothing to report

Town Buildings and Grounds- D. Stobo had nothing to report

Internal Management/Insurance/Recreation/ Website and Chamber. C. Wilt led a discussion on possible activities being held in Piseco in the future.

Lake/Dam/Invasive/Campsite- S. Rudes had nothing to report.

Finance/Airport- C. Rhodes reported the new EMT/Laborer has started. There are two Town Employees that will be doing the BTI for Black Fly control. The Auditors were here last week and will be finishing the audits remotely.

OLD BUSINESS:

Supervisor Rhodes reported that the Use/Lease Agreement for the Community Hall and Town Property is still being completed

Nothing new to report on Popular Point Campsite.

No New Business

GENERAL FUND: no# 67-97 FOR A TOTAL OF \$34,768.32

HIGHWAY FUND: no# 98-111 FOR A TOTAL OF \$12,552.70

UTILITIES FUND: no# 43,56,63 FOR A TOTAL OF \$1,182.64

Supervisor Rhodes asked for a motion to accept the bills.

Motion was offered by Sarah Rudes

Seconded by Doug Stobo

All Members were in favor- Motion passed.

Supervisor Rhodes asked for a motion to Accept the financial report.

Motion offered by Christy Wilt

Seconded by Doug Stobo

All Member were in favor- Motion Passed

Highway Superintendent Craig Small asked for permission to put out for bid two new trucks. Supervisor asked for a motion to allow Craig to put these trucks out for bid. Motion was offered by Sarah Rudes and seconded by Jacqui Grier. All member were in favor- motion passed.

Craig also reported that he and Lenny Croote from Soil and Water have updated the Snowmobile Trail Maps including all Business advertising.

Craig also asked the status of the Vacation Buy Back Program. There was a discussion and the board would like more information as how it worked this year.

Mel LaScola-Zoning Officer- Led a discussion on the use of "Event Tents" in the town. He will have more information On this for future meetings.

THERE WAS NO OTHER PUBLIC COMMENT

At this time Supervisor Rhodes asked for a motion to go into Executive Session with Superintendent Small regarding a Employee matter.

Motion was offered by Sarah Rudes, seconded by Doug Stobo. All in favor- motion passed

Executive session started at 5:50pm-Town Clerk was not in attendance for Executive Session.

Motion to return to regular meeting. Motion was offered by Doug Stobo and seconded by Christy Wilt- All in favor.

Board returned to regular meeting at 6:20pm, No action was taken.

Next regular board meeting will be March 6,2023 at Piseco Town Offices- Piseco Common School.

Supervisor Rhodes asked for a motion to adjourn.

Motion was offered by Jacqui Grier

Seconded by Doug Stobo

Meeting adjourned at 6:25pm

Respectfully Submitted by

Laura Morehouse- Town Clerk

