TOWN OF ARIETTA October 2,2023 Regular Town Board Meeting

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

Roll Call:

Jacqui GrierpresentDouglas StobopresentSarah RudesabsentChristy WiltabsentChris RhodespresentCraig Small- Superintendent of Highways-presentMel LaScola-absent

OTHERS PRESENT:

Judy Ford Wm. Edwards Kevin Kennedy Marie Buanno Tony Colby Renee Rajca John Rajca Jim Horan Supervisor Rhodes asked for a motion to accept the September 18, 2024 minutes as presented by the Town Clerk. Jacqui Grier offered the motion and Doug Stobo seconded the motion. Sarah Rudes and Christy Wilt abstained as they were not at the meeting. All other members were in favor- Motion passed.

Agenda October 2, 2023 at Piseco Common School Town of Arietta

- Call to Order
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Roll Call
- Motion to approve minutes for the meeting
- Snowmobile Trails –Grier
- Town Buildings and Grounds Stobo
- Internal Management / Insurance,
- Recreation, Website & Chamber- C Wilt
- Finance / Airport-C. Rhodes
- Lake / Dam / Invasive/campsite -Rudes
- Superintendent report– Craig Small
- Codes and Zoning Mel Lascola
- Old Business • Frontier Lease

o Veterans- Roll of Honor and Memorial

• New Business

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Reminder Budget Workshop date. October 10, 16, and 23 at 5:00pm

Motion to Pay the Bills

Motion to accept the financial statement.

- Public Comment
- Designation of next Meeting October 2, 2023
- Motion to adjourn

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

SNOWMOBILE TRAILS:

Jacqui Grier- Nothing new on the Frontier Building Lease.

Veterans Memorial, Supervisor Rhodes has gotten quotes from Pickett Memorial and Letter Memorial. Pickett was \$2753.00 and Letter was \$2941.00. After discussion the board chose, Pickett Memorial. They will be notified to start asap.

There will be a dedication ceremony next year and John Boyer and Daryl Cook will play taps.

TOWN BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS-

Doug Stobo that the contractor has backed out of the agreement to take the old town garage down. The town will make arrangements to take it down. The new building can not be used until the old one is gone

INTERNAL MANAGEMENT/INSURANCE, RECREATION, WEBSITE & CHAMBER-

Christy Wilt-A discussion on the getting the new Web site up and running. She will be working with Zach Small.

LAKE/DAM/INVASIVE/CAMPSITESUPERINTENDENT REPORT-

Sarah Rudes-Had nothing new to report.

<u>CODES AND ZONING</u>: Mel LaScola is on Leave of Absence and in his absence Chris Rhodes and Brad Parslow will be taking care of any duties

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HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT:

Craig Small- Reported that the work on Haskell's Rd continues and the date for paving will be October 4th. The county will be brooming the loose gravel off Old Piseco Rd. (County Rt 24) soon.

AIRPORT AND FINANCE:

Chris Rhodes-reported that we had been awarded the Grant money for the SRE building upgrades. A discussion followed regarding the cleaning of the Community Hall, how to handle the cleaning fee for non-profit and private renters.

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OLD BUSINESS: Has been addressed.

NEW BUSINESS:

Chris Rhodes reminded the board that the Budget Workshops are scheduled for October 10,16, and 23 at 5:00 pm at Piseco School.

UTILITIES FUND: #509-510 for a total of \$1679.30 HIGHWAY FUND: #553-562 for a total of \$8,729.01 GENERAL FUND: # 518-552 for a total of \$35,155.89

Pay Bills:

Supervisor Rhodes asked for a motion to pay the bills presented. Motion offered by Sarah Rudes and seconded by Doug Stobo. All member in attendance were in favor. Motion passed.

Approve Financial Report:

Supervisor Rhodes asked for a motion to accept the Financial Statement. Motion was offered by Sarah Rudes and seconded by Jacqui Grier. All members in attendance were in favor. Motion passed.

The next regular meeting will be October 10,2023 at 5:00pm at Piseco School.

Supervisor Rhodes asked for a motion to adjourn, Jacqui Grier made the motion and Christy Wilt seconded. All members in attendance were in favor. Motion passed; meeting adjourned at 5:57.

Respectfully submitted, Laura Morehouse, Town Clerk