

REGULAR MEETING
TOWN OF DAYTON
WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 2017
7:00 P.M.

- PRESENT: Mark Smith, Supervisor, Diana Clabeaux, Thomas Chupa, Edward Lulas, Dennis Ackley, Town Council, Ruth Bennett, Town Clerk, Brian Taber, Highway Superintendent, James Musacchio, Attorney, Tom Howard, Bob & Ada Fisher
- CALL TO ORDER: Supervisor Smith called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.
- MINUTES: Clerk Bennett gave each member of the Board a copy of the minutes to be read before the meeting. A motion to accept the minutes was made by Councilman Chupa, seconded by Councilman Clabeaux. A vote was taken on the motion, Carried.
- HIGHWAY: The Highway Department reported they plowed and sanded one day, cleaned sidewalks and turn arounds in the hamlet of Dayton, painted plows, sanders, etc, graded dirt roads, cut brush and some cold patching, most of the plow frames are off the trucks, we kept one truck ready to go in case we had to plow some more snow. James Mayer is officially retired, we are working on hiring someone to replace him. I have researched and have found no written shared service agreement with the Village of South Dayton as was discussed at last month's Town Board meeting.
- Superintendent Taber also told the Board that the Town will receive \$62,994.65 in CHIPS, \$14,379.16 in PAVE-NY Aid, and \$12,115.82 in Extreme Winter Recovery Aid. We need to replace the oil pan on the 10 wheeler and the Autocar box is almost shot, also discussed mower.
- Cattaraugus County will close Bentley Road on June 26 to September 1st.
- Discussed hiring someone for the highway department and whether or not they would want insurance.
- Superintendent Taber asked the Board to increase Ian Kickbush's hourly rate by \$.35 per hour, and Jayson Griffith's hourly rate by \$.25 per hour to start next payroll period. A motion was made by Councilman Lulas, seconded by Councilman Chupa to raise the per hour rate as requested. A vote was taken on the motion, Carried.
- COURT: Court Clerk Bennett reported the Court heard in April, 24 Vehicle & Traffic, 5 Town Law, 1 Environmental Conservation Law, and 1 Penal Law, 1 Small Claim, a total of 32 cases and collected \$3,795.00.
- CLERK: Clerk Bennett reported that as tax collector she collected \$99,173.99 in April. The rabies clinic will be Saturday, May 6, 2017 at 9 a.m. to noon at the DPW building in Little Valley. Clerk also gave the Tax Collector report for this year.
- BILLS: A motion was made by Councilman Lulas, seconded by Councilman Ackley to pay General Funds claims #77-93 in the amount of \$4,159.00 as set forth in Abstract #5, dated May 10, 2017, Highway Fund claims #41-57, in the amount of \$7,706.74 as set forth in Abstract #5, dated May 10, 2017. A vote taken on the motion, Carried.
- SUPERVISOR: Supervisor Smith received a notice of the STAR Exemptions for this year- Enhanced Star Exempt Assessed Value is \$65,500, Basic Star Exempt Assessed Value is \$30,000.
- Supervisor Smith reported that he went to a meeting where a discussion was held about the NYS Initiative to cut costs which would be administered by the

County such things as shared services, County wide assessing, County plowing Town roads, worker's compensation with the County were discussed, Town Boards are not included to input into the discussion, however, I think the Town Board should have some say in what I decide to do.

Discussed Code Enforcement Officer and the Assessor, decided to wait until after Grievance Day to decide anything.

The Supervisor and Town Clerk's and Tax Collector's reports for April, 2017 were received by the Board.

ADJOURN:

A motion to adjourn was made by Councilman Chupa, seconded by Councilman Lulas, at 7:55 p.m., Carried. The next meeting will be June 14, 2017 at 7 p.m.

Respectively Submitted,

Ruth Bennett, Town Clerk