

Minutes of the Regular Town Board Meeting taking place at the Taylor Town Hall on:  
**June 14, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.**

Present:

Deputy Supervisor: Riley Closson  
Councilmen: Theodore Law Jr. (TJ)  
Joey Pudney  
Harold R. Eltz (Russell)  
Clerk/Tax Collector: Jaymie Closson  
Building/Code Enforcement: Michael Anderson (Mike)  
Highway Superintendent: Elroy Eltz (Roy)  
Accountant: Deborah Hubbard (Debbie)

Absent:

Supervisor: Steven Breneman (Steve)  
Planning Board Chair: Kathryn Elwood  
Historian: Sharon Eltz  
Others Present: Charles Sudbrink, Cortland County Legislator

Riley called the meeting to order at 7:07 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance

Prior to the meeting councilmen were given the chance to read and review May 2016 meeting minutes and also time to review and sign general and highway fund vouchers. There were questions about the lawn mowing voucher to Jared Totman for mowing of the cemeteries. There was no bill attached so no board members wanted to sign it.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

Cortland County Legislator, Charles Sudbrink was present to fill the board in on what has been happening and answer any questions anyone may have since he was last able to attend a meeting. He is the co-chair for the CCTVS (County, City, Town, Village, School) Committee and their meetings take place on Tuesdays at 7 p.m. He was missing a meeting to be able to attend our board meeting. He filled the board in on what's been happening with the Ash for Trash. The voting for this will take place in July or August. Also shared information about Amnesty Day and that the Deputy County Supervisor has finally been appointed after 10 months.

**MOTION** to approve the meeting minutes for the May 2016 meeting as submitted by the Town Clerk was made by Russell Eltz and seconded by Joey Pudney.

Votes Cast:

Riley Closson "aye"  
TJ Law "aye"  
Joey Pudney "aye"  
Russell Eltz "aye"

CARRIED

**MOTION** to approve the accountants report as submitted by the Accountant was made by TJ Law and seconded by Joey Pudney.

Votes Cast:

Riley Closson "aye"  
TJ Law "aye"  
Joey Pudney "aye"  
Russell Eltz "aye"

CARRIED

**MOTION** to pay the June 2016 highway vouchers in the amount of \$14,147.28 was made by TJ Law and seconded by Joey Pudney.

Votes Cast:

Riley Closson "aye"  
TJ Law "aye"  
Joey Pudney "aye"  
Russell Eltz "aye"

CARRIED

**MOTION** to pay the June 2016 general fund vouchers in the amount of \$2,895.32 minus the lawn mowing voucher was made by Russell Eltz and seconded by TJ Law.

Votes Cast:

Riley Closson "aye"  
TJ Law "aye"  
Joey Pudney "aye"  
Russell Eltz "aye"

CARRIED

Total Disbursement: **\$17,042.60**

**Information, Correspondence, Discussion, Action Items:**

- None

**Planning Board: by Kathryn Elwood**

- None

**Building/Code Enforcement: by Mike Anderson**

- Checked over Golden's deck being built in Union Valley
- Johnson's on Hawley Woods started a deck
- Latta's camp on Taylor Valley Rd. has been started
- Moseley's garage on Cheningo Solon Pond Rd. has been framed
- Judge Elwood asked for a copy of the law that states only 1 unlicensed vehicle on property, printed to leave for him
- Received well certification for Wehner home being built at the race track, the septic one came a couple of weeks ago

**Highway Report: by Roy Eltz**

- Vestal is going to do the oil and stone-\$2,000 cheaper than Suit Kote
- Town of German wants to sell their John Deere Grader, we can test it for the summer to see if it's something we would want to purchase
- Going to check into whether CHIPS money can be used to purchase it
- Going to have about \$30,000 left after the oil and stone
- All of Suarez Hill is going to be oiled and stoned, the shoulders need to be cut back
- May have to purchase a new pressure washer, the current one is being looked at to see if can be fixed
- Trailer came unhooked from the truck with the roller on it. The trailer is no longer usable. Using either Cincy or Willet's right now. Found a used trailer in PA; 20 Ton for \$5,500 with ramps and electric breaks. Roy is going to go look at the trailer and see if it is worth the money to purchase. From the pictures it does look like it is.
- Waiting on the parts from Empire Tractor for the mower

**MOTION** to approve the purchase of the new trailer if worth the money once it's looked at was made by Russell Eltz and seconded by TJ Law.

Votes Cast:

Riley Closson "aye"  
TJ Law "aye"  
Joey Pudney "aye"

Russell Eltz

“aye”

CARRIED

- The new truck is purchased and should be ready to go the first part of October
- Roy to get Debbie a firm amount of the invoice that the check needs to be made out for upon delivery in October so she can contact Tompkins Trust about financing
- No amounts were found for the new equipment building on Town Line Rd. The grader is not under cover right now. In the winter the roller and tractor are stored in the Town Hall garage.
- No decision on where the new building is to go yet

**Animal Control Report:**

None

**Clerk Report: by Jaymie Closson**

- \$10 in DEC Sales; \$0.55 to town, \$9.45 to DEC
- One marriage license; \$17.50 to town, \$22.50 to NYS
- Golden Permit; \$25
- Bauer Permit; \$25
- Certified Copies; \$10

**MOTION** to adjourn the meeting was made at 8:27 p.m. by TJ Law and seconded by Joey Pudney.

Votes Cast:

Riley Closson

“aye”

TJ Law

“aye”

Joey Pudney

“aye”

Russell Eltz

“aye”

CARRIED