

Tuesday, June 10, 2025
Monthly Meeting of the Town of Taylor

Present:

Supervisor Jeffrey Smith (Jeff), Councilman Theodore Law (TJ), Councilman Harold R. Eltz (Russell), Councilman Clinton McKee (Clint), Highway Superintendent Carl Hoellerer, Planning Board Chair Chris Crandall, Clerk Jaymie Clossen, Planning Board Secretary/Town Historian Sharon Eltz, Justice Richard Edsall

Absent:

Councilman Matthew Allen (Matt), Accountant Debbie Hayden, Code Enforcement Tim Bearup

Others Present: Jodie Serowski, Lamont Engineers

The meeting was called to order at 7:06 p.m.

Minutes Discussion: None

Motion to approve the May 2025 meeting minutes was made by TJ and seconded by Russell. All in favor, motion carried.

Accountants Report Discussion: None

Motion to approve the June 2025 accountant's report was made by TJ and seconded by Russell. All in favor, motion carried.

Voucher Discussion: None

Motion to approve the June 2025 highway vouchers in the amount of \$17,340.40 was made by TJ and seconded by Clint. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion to approve the June 2025 general fund vouchers in the amount of \$2,706.63 was made by Russell and seconded by TJ. All in favor, motion carried.

Total Disbursement: \$20,047.03

Public Comment:

- Jodie from Lamont Engineers was present. Bids were accepted until the 29th, they had trouble getting numbers for the precast.
 - JP Dugon Construction LLC of Windsor \$896,607.00
 - Byler Excavation LLC of Harpursville \$940,480.00
 - R. DeVincentis Construction Inc. of Binghamton \$966,000.00
 - Economy Paving Co. Inc. of Cortland \$1,281,281.20
 - Jodie recommends JP Dugon, she knows people/other engineers that have worked with them. FEMA says to keep track of all spending. DEC permits sent in January, nothing received back yet. Have marked a bunch of trees to be cut but can't until DEC confirms no bats are in them. Would like to get the project done this year since we can't leave it all winter with no bridge.

- Discussion about newspapers now that the Cortland Standard is back.
Motion to make the Cortland Standard official newspaper was made by TJ and seconded by Russell. All in favor, motion carried.

RESOLUTION awarding Town of Taylor - Potter Hill Rd. culvert replacement project contract 1 - General Construction to JP Dugon Construction LLC of Windsor in the amount of \$896,607.00 was made by Jeff and seconded by TJ. All in favor, resolution carried.

Building Report:

- Talking with someone about a new build on Suarez Rd.

Planning Report:

- Met and did their harassment training together.

Highway Report:

- County looking for contract back for plowing county roads. Discussion had about how much we make/lose plowing their roads.
- Figuring out the detour routes for Potter Hill bridge.
- Logging being done on Mt. Roderick, going to keep an eye on the road.

Animal Report:

- Two dogs were picked up and redeemed.

Clerks Report:

- \$20 for planning board fees.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made at 7:49 p.m. by TJ and seconded by Russell. All in favor, motion carried.