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**TOWN OF GREENE**

**Regular Town Board Meeting**

**March 16, 2022**

The regular meeting of the Greene Town Board was held on the above date at 6:00 PM at the Greene Town Hall, 51 Genesee Street, Greene, New York 13778.

**PRESENT:** Supervisor Joe Henninge, Council Members Bernie McDermott, Steve Page,

Steve Northrup, Diane Flanagan, Superintendent Nick Drew.

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Brian Haynes

Supervisor Henninge opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Bernie McDermott.

**BILLS**

**MOTION** by Flanagan, seconded by Northrup to pay all bills as presented. Vouchers #2022044 through #2022098. General $9,976.58 General Outside $8,594.33, Highway $172,353.58 Highway Outside $25,570.57, Sewer District $1,477.43, Water District One $745.58, Water District Two $530.30, Water District Three $283.81. Greene Intermunicipal Park Commission $371.03 Ayes all. Carried.

**REPORTS**

Highway Superintendent Drew spoke about the Road Improvement Plan, he noted that he has to wait until the frost goes out of the ground to determine what roads need to be address.

Historian Bernardi reported he is speaking with the NYS Division of Cemeteries to determine if they will reimburse the Town for tree removal in the area cemeteries if needed.

**MOTION** by Northrup, seconded by Page to receive and file all Reports as submitted by

Highway Superintendent, Town Clerk, Dog Control Officer Planning Board and Historian.

Ayes all. Carried.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Council members McDermott and Page noted the projector has been installed however they are waiting on the cables to finish the installation. The screen has been ordered as well.

Council member Page mentioned that the JRC is still looking for applicants for the summer program director position. He noted the startup of the softball, t-ball season. The registration forms will be available on the Town website along with a pay pal option for donations.

Supervisor Henninge reported the Town has received and will be signing the Fire Contracts from the Village of Greene, Brisben Fire Department and Chenango Forks Fire Department.

**MOTION** by Flanagan, seconded by Page to receive and file all Committee reports.

Ayes all. Carried.

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**MONIES RECEIVED**

Code Department $178.60

Judges Martin and Brown $1,077.00

Town Clerk $6,942.08

Tax Warrant $1,622,520.00

Treas of Chen Cty Pilot Tax $278.69

Treas of Chen Cty 4th Qrt Sales Tax $133,816.80

NYS DOT Chips $196,086.01

**MOTION** by Northrup, seconded by Page to accept all Monies received. Ayes all. Carried.

**COMMUNICATIONS**

Supervisor Henninge received a letter from NBT Insurance Agency and Chenango Cty Traffic Safety Board that they are sponsoring a Traffic Safety poster contest. Details are posted on the Town of Greene website.

Supervisor Henninge received information from NYS Department of Public Service Commission inviting the public to comment regarding the Broadband Assessment Program, the survey is available at [www.empirestatebroadband.com](http://www.empirestatebroadband.com) the survey must be completed by March 18, 2022. There is more information posted on the Town’s community board located in the lobby of the Town Hall.

Supervisor Henninge received an update from the NYS Department of Transportation on the Chenango River Bridge Project. The information can be found on the Town of Greene website.

The Town has received COVID test from the Chenango County, they are available in the Town Clerk’s office. There is a limited amount of test so therefore first come first serve.

**MOTION** by Flanagan, seconded by Northrup to receive and file all Communications.

Ayes all. Carried.

**BOARD DISCUSSION**

Supervisor Henninge noted the Assessor purchased a new desk chair and $100.00 needed to be transferred from A.1355.4 to A.1355.2 to cover the cost of the chair.

**MOTION** by Flanagan, seconded by Northrup to approve the transfer of monies.

**PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR**

No one spoke.

**MOTION** by Northrup, seconded by Flanagan to go into executive session. Ayes all. Carried.

**MOTION** by McDermott, seconded by Page to return to regular session. Ayes all. Carried.

**MOTION** by Page, seconded by Flanagan to adjourn meeting at 7:20 pm. Ayes all. Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Greene Town Clerk

Next Regular Town Board Meeting – March 16, 2022 6:00 PM at the Greene Town Hall