TOWN OF GREENE Regular Town Board Meeting October 14, 2020

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 Northrup, Diane Flanagan and Steve Page, Planning Board Member Michelle Day

OTHERS PRESENT: Meryt Allmendinger, Rebecca Malmquist and Marisol Marcin

Supervisor Henninge opened the meeting at 6:00 PM with Council Member Flanagan leading the Pledge of Allegiance.

MINUTES

MOTION by Northrup, seconded by Page to approve the minutes dated September 16, 2020 as submitted by the Town Clerk. Ayes all. Carried.

BILLS

MOTION by Flanagan, seconded by Page to pay all bills as presented. Vouchers #20200943 through #20201042. General \$3,622.53, General Outside \$318.57, Highway \$27,539.78, Highway Outside \$8.161.94, Greene Intermunicipal Parks Commission \$499.98, Sewer District \$1,549.88, Water District One \$1,138.55, Water District Two \$586.10, Water District Three \$291.15. Ayes all. Carried.

REPORTS

Council Member McDermott asked about the possibility of the Village of Greene taking over the Town's three (3) Water Districts. There was a discussion on the responsibilities associated with the Water Districts.

Michelle Day stated the Planning Board had a very busy September. They currently have an application to put a business on Slater Road, however, it must comply with the flood plain plan. Everything would have to be elevated three (3) feet.

MOTION by Flanagan, seconded by Northrup to receive and file all Reports as submitted by the Assessor, Code Enforcement Officer, Highway Superintendent, Town Clerk, Dog Control Officer and Planning Board Minutes dated September 28, 2020. Ayes all. Carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

MOTION by Flanagan, seconded by Northrup to receive and file the Committee Report as submitted by the Ball Flats Committee minutes dated September 16, 2020. Ayes all. Carried.

MONIES RECEIVED

Code Enforcement Dept.	\$134.20
Judge Acunto	\$450.00
Judge Martin (August)	\$2,897.00
Judge Martin (September)	\$2,273.00
Town Clerk	\$5,023.72
Greene Central School	\$10,000.00 (2015 FORD F350)
State of NY CHIPS 2020	\$107,509.50
State of NY WIRP 2020	\$9,854.89
State of NY PAVE 2020	\$18,622.36

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

COMMUNICATIONS

Supervisor Henninge signed and returned the SPCA AGREEMENT.

The AGREEMENT BETWEEN CHENANGO COUNTY AND TOWN OF GREENE USE OF SPACE IN TOWN GARAGE was also signed by Supervisor Henninge.

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Supervisor Henninge explained the Chenango County Hazard Mitigation Plan update for the Town of Greene. We have a medium threat for severe storms and can respond quickly except for flooding. We have increased the size of box culverts and added rip rap to help with the flooding.

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

BOARD DISCUSSION

Wednesday, November 11 is Veteran's Day, the Town offices will be closed, therefore, the next regular Town Board meeting will be held on Thursday, November 12th at 6:00 PM.

The Public Hearing for the 2021 Preliminary Budget will be held on Tuesday, October 27th at 6:00 PM.

MOTION by Northrup, seconded by Page for Supervisor Henninge to send a letter to Community Solar Energy System requesting a PILOT (Payment in Lieu of Taxes) agreement according to NYS Consolidated Laws, Real Property Tax Law 487. Ayes all. Carried.

The Town received a petition from the residents of Crestmont Road and Turner Street for a reduced speed in their development. The Town will submit the request to the County and State.

RESOLUTION by Flanagan, seconded by Northrup to submit the request from the residents of Crestmont Road and Turner Street for reduced speed signs to Chenango County Department of Public Works Director Shawn Fry. Ayes all. Carried.

MOTION by Flanagan, seconded by Northrup to transfer \$5,000 from Equipment Account #A1680.2 to Contractual Account #A1680.4. Ayes all. Carried.

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

Meryt Allmendinger suggested speed bumps or rumble strips as a method to slow the traffic.

There was a discussion on the number of COVID cases in Chenango County.

MOTION by Flanagan, seconded by Page to adjourn the meeting at 6:57 PM. Ayes all. Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Deborah L. Thomas Town Clerk