Village Board Meeting

June 15, 2023 7pm

Mayor Brown called meeting to order at 7pm with the Pledge of Allegiance. Present were Trustee Williamson, Shapley, Najarian and DuMond. Also in attendance were Superintendent Livingston, Working Supervisor Kinney, OIC Nordberg, Fire Chief Mirabito and Sewer Plant Operator Steve Ingraham left for alarms at the sewer plant due to rain. Visitors were: Craig Curtis, Rod Andrews, Kallie Clinton, Jay Zech, Steve Page, Matt Brewster.

Mayor Brown opened public hearing for CDBG grant at 7pm.

Motion by Trustee Williamson, seconded by Trustee DuMond to amend board meeting minutes of 5/8/23 to read: Motion to allow Jim Girton’s PAGirton Enterprises, LLC d/b/a/ Enough and a Little More for Wednesday 2pm-5pm from May 24, 2023 through October 4, 2023 on the south side of Genesee Street, Greene, NY. This authorization is only valid for products of PAGirton Enterprises, LLC d/b/a/ Enough and a Little More. Please be advised that all other interested participants need to apply for approval from the Village of Greene Board. Ayes-all. Carried.

Motion by Trustee Shapley, seconded by Trustee Najarian that Treasurer’s, Police, Court, Town of Greene, Code Enforcement and Town Historian reports were received and filed. Ayes-all. Carried.

Fire Chief Mirabito - nothing to report.

Superintendent Livingston - nothing to report.

Working Supervisor Kinney reported NYS CHIPS updated amounts for Pave NY, Winter Weather and Potholes throughout the village. Sidewalks, roads, driveway pipes, road repair and drainage are some of the highway dept. summer jobs. Perma Annual Safety training was completed as well as Highway school. WS Kinney and SPO Ingraham will meet with Steve Page regarding the watering needs for the new sod at the baseball diamond.

SPO Ingraham had to leave meeting early to check alarms at sewer plant due to rain. Trustee Williamson reported sewer plant crew installed new roof on the lift station and a screener has been replaced.

Mayor Brown read letter from Weis Market stating they would review Greene, NY as a possible location for a Weis market.

Motion by Trustee Shapley seconded by Trustee DuMond to approve Glacy Acres request to vend at the Sidewalk Market on the south side of Genesee Street Wednesday 2pm-5pm along with Enough and a Little bit More farm. Ayes-all. Carried.

Motion by Trustee DuMond seconded by Trustee Najarian to authorized payment of audited claims in the amount of $244,625.95

Electric Fund $65,012.28 Water Fund $11,093.42

General Fund $149,297.40 Sewer Fund $19,222.85

Ayes-all. Carried.

Motion by Trustee Shapley seconded by Trustee Najarian to authorize Budget Amendments as follows:

A.1110.412 VILLAGE JUSTICE TELEPHONE +$73.27

A.1110.100 VILLAGE JUSTICE PERSONAL SERVICES -$73.27

A.1325.100 CLERK TREASURER PERSONAL SERVICES +$215.98

A.1364.400 VILLAGE OWNED PROPERTY MISC EXP -$215.98

A.1410.100 VILLAGE CLERK PERSONAL SERVICES +$625.93

A.1364.400 VILLAGE OWNED PROPERTY MISC EXP -$107.02

A.1450.455 ELECTRIONS SUPPLIES/EXPENSES -$20.00

A.1450.460 ELECTIONS INSPECTORS -$75.37

A.1620.411 VILLAGE HALL ELECTRIC HEAT -$423.54

A.1920.412 MISC TELEPHONE +$206.64

A.1620.411 VILLAGE HALL ELECTRIC HEAT -$206.64

A.1920.416 MISC OFFICE SUPPLIES +$177.75

A.1620.411 VILLAGE HALL ELECTRIC HEAT -$83.65

A.1620.423 VILLAGE HALL RUG SERVICE -$94.10

A.1920.417 MISC PUBLICATIONS +$37.61

A.1620.423 VILLAGE HALL RUG SERVICE -$18.26

A.1620.431 VILLAGE HALL INSURANCE -$19.35

A.3120.140 POLICE STOP DWI +$341.78

A.3120.105 POLICE PART TIME -$341.78

A.3120.421 POLICE UNIFIORM ALLOWANCE +$486.48

A.3120.105 POLICE PART TIME -$486.48

A.3120.444 POLICE SMALL EQUIPMENT +$2,412.28

A.3120.105 POLICE PART TIME -$2,412.28

A.3410.411 FIRE DEPT UTILITIES +$1,829.53

A.3410.200 FIRE DEPT EQUIP -$1,829.53

A.3410.412 FIRE DEPT TELEPHONE +$101.97

A.3410.200 FIRE DEPT EQUIP -$101.97

A.3410.450 FIRE DEPT SERVICE AWARDS PROGRAM(LOSAP) +$350.00

A.3410.200 FIRE DEPT EQUIP -$350.00

A.5110.411 STREET MAINTENANCE UTILITES +$352.73

A.5110.120 STREET MAIN DOUBLE TIME -$352.73

A.5110.429 STREET MAINT STREET SIGNS +$1,140.22

A.5110.120 STREET MAIN DOUBLE TIME -$573.27

A.5110.444 STREET MAINT WORKSHOPS -$566.95

A.5110.465 STREET MAIN DUMPSTER SERVICE +$66.02

A.5110.444 STREET MAIN WORKSHOPS -$66.02

A.5182.400 STREET LIGHTING CONTRACTUAL +$1,516.89

A.5110.444 STREET MAINT WORKSHOPS -$507.25

A.5110.466 STREET MAIN HEALTH TESTS -$107.59

A.5142.110 SNOW REMOVAL OVERTIME -$902.05

F.8310.100 WATER ADMINSTRATION PERSONAL SERVICES +$.07

F.8310.412 WATER ADMINISTRATION TELEPHONE -$.07

F.8310.416 WATER ADMINISTRATION MISC SUPPLIES +$223.12

F.8310.412 WATER ADMININSTRATION TELEPHONE -$223.12

F.8310.451 WATER ADMINISTRATION ENGINEERING SUPPLIES +$2,536.80

F.8310.412 WATER ADMINISTRATION TELEPHONE -$2,536.80

F.8320.411 POWER PUMPING UTILITIES +$386.26

F.8310.412 WATER ADMINISTRATION TELEPHONE -$290.01

F.8330.458 PURIFICATION TESTING SUPPLIES -$96.25

F.8330.457 PURIFICATION CHEMICALS +$126.60

F.8310.415 WATER ADMINISTRATION POSTAGE -$126.60

F.8340.100 TRANS/DISTRIBUTION PERSONAL SERVICES +$2,660.00

F.8310.415 WATER ADMINISTRATION POSTAGE -$566.10

F.8310.460 WAER ADMINISTRATION AUDITIORS -$228.93

F.8330.416 PURIFICATION MISC SUPPLIES -$66.94

F.8330.422 PURIFICATION REPAIRS -$1,522.65

F.8330.458 PURIFICATION TESTING SUPPLIES -$275.38

G.8110.100 SEWER ADMINSTIRATION PERSONAL SERVICES +$.07

G.8110.406 SEWER ADMINISTRATION ATTORNEY FEES -$.07

G.8120.422 SANITARY SEWER REPAIRS +$811.34

G.8110.406 SEWER ADMINISTRATION ATTORNEY FEES -$811.34

G.8130.412 TREATMENT PLANT TELEPHONE +$207.41

G.8110.406 SEWER ADMINSTRATION ATTORNEY FEES -$207.41

G.8130.413 TREATMENT PLANT DUMPLSTER FEES +$132.05

G.8110.406 SEWER ADMINISTRATION ATTORNEY FEES -$132.05

G.8130.458 TREATMENT PLANT TESTING LAB SUPP +$395.61

G.8110.406 SEWER ADMINISTRATION ATTORNEY FEES -$19.30

G.8130.120 TREATMENT PLANT DOUBLE TIME -$376.31

**INCREASE G.8130.200 TREATMENT PLANT EQUIPMENT ACCOUNT FROM G.2122.010 (DUMP FEE) ACCOUNT**

G.2122.010 GREENE SANITARY SEWER (DUMP FEES) -$11,741.49

G.8130.200 TREATMENT PLANT EQUIP +$11,741.49

Ayes-all. Carried.

Mayor Brown opened the floor to visitors. Jay Zech has a concern regarding placement of the speed sign on S. Chenango St. Mr. Zech would prefer the sing to be moved a bit to the right of its current location, more on property line and not directly in front of his home. Mayor Brown explained since it is a solar powered sign, it needs to be placed in a very sunlit area as well as being placed at entering into the village limits.

Mayor Brown asked if there was anyone who wanted to comment on the public hearing. There were no comments. Mayor Brown closed the public hearing at 7:28pm.

Motion by Trustee Williamson seconded by Trustee DuMond to accept 2023 CDBG grant application. Ayes-all. Carried.

Trustee DuMond reported Lion’s Club Craft Fair is July 22, 2023 9am-3pm.

Trustee Najarian thanked Jeff for hanging the Garden Club flower baskets and water department for keeping them watered during our dry spell. Dog waste stations will have student coverage over the summer months. We will receive a summer schedule for the maintaining of the waste stations.

Mayor Brown met with Senator Oberacker at the Memorial Day parade. There was conversation regarding Genesee Street project while walking Genesee Street to the cemetery. Mayor Brown commended Liam Griffin for his Eagle Scout project viewing platform for a job very well done.

Motion by Trustee DuMond seconded by Trustee Najarian to end regular session and enter executive session at 7:33pm. Ayes-all. Carried.

Motion by Trustee DuMond seconded by Trustee Williamson to exit executive session and enter regular session at 8:30pm. Ayes-all. Carried.

Motion by Trustee Shapley seconded by Trustee DuMond to pay Federal Safety Equipment $8,500.00 for the Rescue Truck modification issues done in 2021. Ayes-all. Carried.

Motion by Trustee Williamson seconded by Trustee Najarian to refund $1,145.74 to Tim Harrington for sewer assessment charge since sewer connection cannot be located by sewer department. Ayes-all. Carried.

Motion by Trustee DuMond seconded by Trustee Williamson to increase Electric Superintendent rate to $67.00 per hour. Ayes-all. Carried.

Motion by Trustee Najarian seconded by Trustee DuMond to increase Electric Lineman rate to $57.00 per hour. Ayes-all. Carried.

Motion by Trustee Najarian seconded by Trustee DuMond to start Electric Apprentice rate at $30.00 per hour with a percentage increase over the 4-year training period. Ayes-all. Carried.

Motion by Trustee Shapley seconded by Trustee DuMond to increase sick days from 6 to 12 for village employees. Ayes-all. Carried.

Motion by Trustee DuMond seconded by Trustee Shapley to adjourn meeting at 9:05pm. Ayes-all. Carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Irene A. Tornillo

Clerk Treasurer