

Minutes, February 14, 2024
290 Northline Drive, Melrose, NY 12121

The Town Board of the Town of Schaghticoke met in regular session on February 14 2024 at the Town Hall, 290 Northline Drive, Melrose, NY at 6:30 p.m. Present were Supervisor Salisbury, councilmen Akin, Fogarty and Ward. Councilman Rustin was absent.

MINUTES FROM THE JANUARY 10, 2024 MEETING

Resolution: Akin

Second: Ward

To accept the Minutes of the January, 10, 2024 meeting

Ayes: All

Nays: None

REPORTS FROM DEPARTMENT HEADS

Chris Kelly, Town Historian, has been working with a town resident on contacting native Americans to get the permission to display the artifacts found on Bevis Road. Chris is also working with the Pittstown Historical Society researching the bridges from Schaghticoke to Valley Falls.

Shawn Hayes, Highway Superintendent, gave his highway, water and sewer report.

BILLS FROM THE TOWN CLERK

Resolution: Ward

Second: Akin

To approve the bills from the Town Clerk's Scheduled Payment Report dated February 14, 2024

Total: \$2,249,150.69

Ayes: All

Nays: None

CONTINUE PUBLIC HEARING FOR AGED AND DISABILITY EXEMPTION

Supervisor Salisbury called for any public comment. There being no public comment Supervisor Salisbury called to close PUBLIC HEARING.

Resolution: Fogarty

Second: Akin

To close Public Hearing for AGED and DISABILITY EXEMPTION AT 6:33 P.M.

Ayes: All

Nays: None

ADOPT LOCAL LAW 1 OF 2024 to amend the Aged Exemption Sections 112-1(B)(3) & (4) of the Town Code, annual income \$40,000 or less, percentage of assessed valuation exempt from taxation 50%.

Resolution: Ward

Second: Akin

To adopt Local Law 1 of 2024

Ayes: All

Nays: None

ADOPT LOCAL LAW 2 OF 2024 to amend the Disabilities Exemption Section 112-7(B) & (4) of the Town Code, annual income \$40,000 or less, percentage of assessed valuation exempt from taxation 50%.

Resolution: Fogarty

Second: Ward

Ayes: All

Nays: None

TO ACCEPT THE JUDGES' AUDIT FOR BOTH JUDGES FOR 2023

Resolution: Ward

Second: Fogarty

To accept the Judges' audits for both Judges for 2023

Ayes: All

Nays: None

PUBLIC COMMENT

Jackie Stellone commented and passed out information she collected on solar panels - are we there yet with technology, what happens to the waste and the land when they are no longer sustainable, who is paying for the subsidies.

There being no other public comment, Supervisor Salisbury called of ADJOURNMENT AT 7:02 P.M.

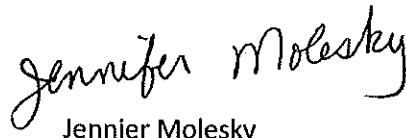
Resolution: Fogarty

Second: Ward

To adjourn at 7:02 p.m.

Ayes: All

Nays: None


Jennier Molesky