

Village of Valatie
Board of Trustees Meeting
July 9, 2024
6:30 PM

Board of Trustees

Mayor Bevens
Trustee Larry Eleby
Trustee Patrick Rodgers
Trustee Matthew Carter
Trustee Amy Freinberg-Trufas
Robert Fitzsimmons, Esq.
Rebecca Daley-Village Clerk

Audience

Emilia Teasdale

Mayor Bevens opened the meeting at 6:30 pm. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Resolution #9- was made by Trustee Rodgers to approve the minutes of the June 11, 2024, meeting of the Board of Trustees. Trustee Eleby seconded, all in favor, none opposed.

Resolution #10- was made by Trustee Eleby to approve the abstract of bills-~~2024-2025-#33-75~~. For the total of \$109,820.71. Off abstract of bills total \$73,008.05. Total bills are \$182,828.76. Trustee Rodgers seconded, all in favor, none opposed, carried.

Public- Emilia Teasdale asked the board if there was a follow up on Robert Clarks concern regarding Japanese Knock weed. Mayor Bevens and Trustee Carter met with Mr. Clark. They have decided to try and have DEC investigate this matter in the fall. As of now there isn't a solution to this problem.

Parks- none

Climate Smart- was issued a \$10,000.00 grant from NYSERTA.

Fire- Report on file.

Vera- Saturday August 3rd will be the Village-Wide Tag Sale. Signup sheets have been distributed throughout the village. Maps will be posted online and distributed on or around the 1st of August. Future events will be the Artisan Festival and Shop Small.

Theater- The Amy Ryan band went well; they believe less people attended due to the weather.

Highway- Highway is milling and paving Marion Blvd. They also will be working on the front apron of the fire department.

WWTP Report- on file.

Building Department Report- Busy

Clerk Report- Military Banners were hung on July 9, 2024, and some of the old ones were moved to different locations.

MHG Applications- Amanda Snow requested to use Callen Park on September 14, 2024, for her daughter's birthday party.

Resolution #11- was made by Trustee Rodgers. Trustee Carter seconded, all in favor, none opposed, carried.

Other business- The property located at 1306 River Street (Old Mill) received final approval from the planning board for the project. Attorney Robert Fitzsimmons will work on the title. The village will keep (44.6-1-42) as a municipal parking lot.

Verizon sent a site plan to Stephanie Cardine-Ruchel regarding the cell tower. She looked over the plans and approved them. It now must go in front of the Planning Board and then have a public hearing.

Dylan Keenan requested to join the Valatie Zoning Board.

Resolution #12- was made by Trustee Eleby. Trustee Rodgers seconded, all in favor, none opposed, carried.

With no further business to discuss.

Resolution #13- was made by Trustee Eleby to adjourn the meeting at 7:04pm. Trustee Carter seconded, all in favor, none opposed, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rebecca Daley". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Rebecca Daley

Village Clerk