July 10, 2025 Town of Afton Chenango County

Present at our regular board meeting were Supervisor John Lawrence; Councilmen Chris Warren, Robert Tallmadge and Calvin Tallmadge; Highway Superintendent Kirk Hoyt; DCO Amy Cross and Assessor Caitlyn Brown. Absent Councilman Jamie Baciuska; Sanitation, Bailey DeBetta; and Historian Melanie Hager.

Visitors: see list

Bills and Claims:

General Fund, Abstract no 7 Claims no 89-106, totaling \$14,821.33 Highway Fund, Abstract no 7 Claims no 68-77, totaling \$20,740.59

Regular meeting called to order at 6:30 pm with the Salute to the Flag.

Motion to accept Minutes of June 12, 2025 Board Meeting. Motion made by Robert Tallmadge, seconded by Chris Warren. All in favor, motion so carried.

Motion to pay bills and claims. Motion made by Chris Warren, seconded by Calvin Tallmadge. All in favor, motion so carried.

Communication:

1/ Received from NYS Association of Towns membership request. The town will not be joining.

2/ The Greater Afton Area Chamber of Commerce, Honoring 150 years of the Afton Fire Department on July 20, 2025 4 to 8 pm at the Main Street Social.

Committee Reports:

- 1/ Assessor, Caitlyn submitted the 2025 Assessment Report.
- 2/ Finance, reports distributed and filed.
- 3/ Sanitation, report from Bailey, spoke with someone about replacement Of system on Afton Lake.
- 4/ Highway, Kirk mentioned that Nurse Hollow and Melondy Roads were Stone and oiled. They have been mowing and shimming. Town of Colesville has taken ownership of the dump truck.
- 5/ DCO, Amy reviewed her report.
- 6/ Building, parking lot has been sealed. Lines need to be completed.

7/ Historian, absent

8/ Town Clerk, I have been working on the Standard Workday Resolution for Elected and Appointed Officials in the NYS Retirement System. Calendars have been handed out.

Old Business: Gave price for a Canon printer of \$219.00, instead of rental. Motion to order one Canon printer. Made by Calvin Tallmadge, seconded by Robert Tallmadge. All in favor, motion so carried.

Old Business:

Calvin asked about moving forward on the Law for Gaming for Raffles and Bingo. Motion to for forward on the Town Law. Motion made by Calvin Tallmadge, seconded by Robert Tallmadge. All in favor, motion so carried. Public Hearing on Law for Gaming, next month, August 14, 2025.

New Business:

None

Visitors:

Wayne Colley, gave a copy of the NYS Law to John Diane Miller, was asking about getting help with the feral cats Jason Wicks asked for the Town's Code of Ethics.
Richard Curtain asked about the culvert on Little Hill Road

Motion to go to Executive Session for the Teamster's Contract Proposal and Review options for the Bettsburg/Terry Road Bids. Motion made at 7:37 pm to enter Executive Session. Motion made by Chris Warren, seconded by Robert Tallmadge. All in favor, motion so carried.

Motion to close the Executive Session at 8:20 pm. Motion made by Robert Tallmadge, seconded by Calvin Tallmadge. All in favor, motion so carried

The bids for the Bettsburg/Terry Road will be rejected. The Town will be Ordering a survey of the property in question. Will find out how many acres this parcel is.

Motion to adjourn at 8:25, motion made by Robert Tallmadge, seconded by Chris Warren. All in favor, motion so carried.

Respectfully,

Sandra D Reiling Clerk of the Board

Town of Afton