

REGULAR MEETING  
TOWN OF DAYTON  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 2016  
7:00 P.M.

- PRESENT:** Mark Smith, Supervisor, Diana Clabeaux, Thomas Chupa, Dennis Ackley, Edward Lulas, Town Council, Ruth Bennett, Town Clerk, James Musacchio, Attorney, Brian Taber, Highway Superintendent, Irene Blakely, Rebecca Cuthbert, Observer
- CALL TO ORDER:** Supervisor Smith called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.
- MINUTES:** Clerk Bennett gave each member of the Board a copy of the minutes to be read before the meeting. A motion to accept the minutes as corrected was made by Councilman Chupa, seconded by Councilman Ackley. A vote was taken on the motion, Carried, Councilman Lulas, Supervisor Smith, abstained.
- HIGHWAY:** The Highway Department reported they plowed and sanded roads eleven days, serviced the broom for the upcoming months, fixed a few spots on the gravel roads until we get the grader out, did maintenance work on the plows and wings, the new truck is here and working good.
- I just got back from Albany, hope to get more CHIPS money.
- The Board discussed the purchasing policy that has been in place since 1994 and decided not to change it.
- Highway Superintendent said he has hired someone.
- CLERK:** Clerk Bennett reported the tax collection for February paid to the Supervisor \$1,113.44, County \$113,447.84, for a total collection of \$114,561.28.
- COURT:** Court Clerk Bennett reported the Court heard 36 Vehicle & Traffic, 4 Penal Law, 2 ECL cases collected \$3445.00.
- The Clerk also reported the Southern Tier West Conference in Houghton is May 11, 2016-7:30 am -3:30 pm
- The rabies clinic is Saturday, May 7, 2016 from 9 am to noon at the County DPW garage at 8810 Route 242, Little Valley.
- SUPERVISOR:** Supervisor Smith reported to the Board of the Stipulation between Cherry Creek Woodcraft and the Board of Assessment Review to set the assessment at \$650,000.00 effective with tax year 2015.
- The cost for \$15,000 of insurance on the bailiff would be \$727.37. Mark will look into getting more details of coverage.
- We have a proposal for the upgrade of the garage doors of \$11,999.90 and before any work is done the Town will have to sign off on them. Councilman Lulas will go over the proposal and he was given all the bids that were received for the doors.
- The Supervisor read a letter of resignation from Norma Pine from the Board of Assessment Review. If anyone knows of someone who would like to serve one day a year on the Board please contact us.

The assessor has asked to change the Grievance Day to the first Wednesday of June every year.

RESOLUTION# 2: RESOLVED THAT the Town of Dayton will have Grievance Day on the first Wednesday of June. A motion was made by Councilman Lulas, seconded by Councilman Clabeaux to change Grievance Day to the first Wednesday in June each year. A roll call vote was taken on the motion, Lulas-aye, Clabeaux-aye, Smith-aye, Chupa-aye, Ackley-aye.

BOARD: Supervisor Smith and Councilman Chupa stated they came to see the new truck and were impressed that the garage area was clean and the men were working.

BILLS: A motion was made by Councilman Lulas, seconded by Councilman Chupa to pay General Funds claims #37-52, in the amount of \$6,876.78 as set forth in Abstract #3, dated March 9, 2016, Highway Fund claims #22-35, in the amount of \$153,255.55 as set forth in Abstract #3, dated March 9, 2016. A vote taken on the motion, Carried.

The Supervisor, Town Clerk and Tax Collector's reports for February, 2016 were received by the Board.

ADJOURN: A motion to adjourn was made by Councilman Chupa, seconded Councilman Lulas at 7:25 p.m., the next meeting will be April 13, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.

Respectively Submitted,

Ruth Bennett  
Town Clerk