

REGULAR MEETING  
TOWN OF DAYTON  
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2020  
7:10 P.M.

- PRESENT: Angie Mardino-Miller, Supervisor, Bruce Drajem, Dennis Ackley, Jake Hansen-Ivett, Paul Luce Town Council, Ruth Bennett, Town Clerk, Tom Chupa, Highway Superintendent, John Grennell, Attorney, Stephen Raiport, Disaster Coordinator, Christine Pagett, Frank Watson, CEO, Glen Morey, American Legion, Lee Ellis, Laura, Bahgat & Laurito-Bahgat
- CALL TO ORDER: Supervisor Mardino-Miller called the meeting to order at 7:10 p.m. All stood and said the Pledge to the Flag. Then held a moment of silence to honor and remember the Veterans.
- Due to the Governor's executive order 202.1, we can allow a limited number of the public to attend our meeting this evening, hopefully by next month the COVID-19 is manageable enough that will have changed.
- COMMISSIONER APPOINTMENT: RESOLVED THAT, the Dayton Town Board does hereby nominate Jack Lee Ellis to the position of South Dayton Fire District Commissioner for a term of five (5) years commencing on January 1, 2021 and ending on December 31, 2025. By order of this resolution the Dayton Town Board does empower Linda Miller, Secretary of the South Dayton Fire District, to cast a vote for the appointment of Jack Lee Ellis to the position of South Dayton Fire District Commissioner. A motion was made by Councilman Ackley, seconded by Councilman Hansen-Ivett to adopt the resolution for the Fire Commissioner. A roll call vote was taken on the motion. Ackley-aye, Hansen-Ivett, aye, Luce-aye, Drajem-aye, Mardino-Miller-aye.
- 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 was made by Councilman Hansen-Ivett, seconded by Councilman Drajem. A vote was taken on the motion, Carried.
- HIGHWAY: Highway Superintendent Chupa reported that they put new weather strips on the overhead doors, hauled sand for South Dayton, cleaned up junk and reorganized things in the shop, mixed sand and salt for the winter, did some ditching, put new rear spring in truck 7, put plow, wings and sanders on trucks to get ready for winter, putting up new LED bulbs in the shop. The new one ton delivery date was November, now has been moved to February. The pipe on Cottage-Nashville Road is rotted out and the road is settling down making a bump in the road. This is too bad because the former highway superintendent just spent a lot of money last year paving that road and now I have to dig it up,
- CLERK: Clerk Bennett reported the Court heard 15 Vehicle & Traffic Law Law, 1 Town Law, 3 ECL and collected \$1491.
- TRANSFERS: A motion was made by Councilman Luce, seconded by Councilman Hansen-Ivett to approve budget transfers of \$33.00 from B9040.8 to B9050.8, and \$275.00 & \$355 from DB9040.8 & DB9030.8 to DB5140.8. A vote was taken on the motion, Carried.
- ASSESSOR: The assessing team has completed a lot of training this fall: Kate took "three sides of the SCAR trial, ins and outs of the exemption process" (which focused on the RP-420 nonprofit exemption), "data mining for commercial valuation", and "real property tax law for the Assessor Part I & 2". Kate and Jason completed the "introduction to farm appraisal" self-study, Kate, Jason, Liz, and Carrie attended "dealing with an angry property owner" and "reassessment in a small community". The assessing team completed the annual "NYS Sexual Harassment training", Certificates were emailed to Town Clerks on October 9, 2020. The assessing office has corresponded with several property owners about their assessments, tax bills, and exemptions. Four property transfers were added for the month of September.

CEO: CEO Watson reported that the permits were slowing but he issued permits for a conversion of a garage, a pole barn, still waiting on answers to questions from Mr. Arbeiter so I can present the paperwork to the Zoning Board of Appeals. I will be inspecting the Amish schools, and hope to get a resolution from the Court on the cases before the court. Area fire departments are going to do a controlled burn training exercise on November 15 at 8 A.M., still waiting on the final paperwork.

SUPERVISOR: Supervisor Angie Martino-Miller asked for a motion on the tax cap override, a motion was made to pass LL#2 to override the tax cap by Councilman Ackley, seconded by Councilman Drajem, A roll call vote was taken on the motion- Ackley-aye, Drajem-aye, Hansen-lvett-aye, Luce-aye, Martino-Miller-aye.

BUDGET: Clerk Bennett asked Laura about the email that she got saying she made changes to the budget. Laura explained that she found a formula wrong, so she fixed the formula and that change was in the B side of the budget so it added to the income and expenses on the B side of the budget. A motion was made by Councilman Hansen-lvett, seconded by Councilman Drajem to pass the 2021 budget. A roll call vote was taken-Hansen-lvett-aye, Drajem-aye, Luce-aye, Ackley-aye, Martino-Miller-aye.

The Supervisor asked if the Board members had a chance to go to other Towns and Villages to observe the LED street lights, they answered in the affirmative. It will cost about \$600 to change all the street lights and cut the bill in half. A motion was made by Councilman Ackley, seconded by Councilman Hansen-lvett to change to the 400 lumens street lights. A vote was taken on the motion, Carried.

The Supervisor then went to the topic of the internet, we now have 5 mg internet speed for \$99 per month for seven computers Spectrum will increase to 200 mg for \$65 per month and the installation is free and because this is a business we will get the second month will be free. They do not offer phone service at the present. A motion was made by Councilman Ackley, seconded by Councilman Hansen-lvett to get Spectrum internet. A vote was taken on the motion, Carried.

Congratulated Christine Rupp for winning the election for Councilman and Dennis Ackley on his retirement.

The Supervisor suggested everyone bring a dish to pass to celebrate.

DISASTER COORDINATOR: Stephen Raiport reported that he corrected the hazard plan and sent it back to the County. They are in the final stages and will have a public hearing on the plan on November 19<sup>th</sup> from 6-8 p.m.

BILLS: A motion was made by Councilman Drajem, seconded by Councilman Luce to pay General Funds claims #144-162 in the amount of \$9,576.65 as set forth in Abstract #11, dated November 11, 2020, Highway Fund claims #136-150, in the amount of \$17,392.46 as set forth in Abstract #11 dated November 11, 2020. A vote was taken on the motion, Carried

PUBLIC: Glen Morey representing the American Legion in South Dayton thanked the Town Board for their continued support to help fund the flags they put in the cemeteries in the Town.

COUNCIL: Councilman Drajem stated the Town needs to upgrade the computer system, and asked if all got the second quote out of Blasdell. Councilman Luce stated he had a third quote out of Rochester for \$14,000 but that quote doesn't address the same things as the other two, however, his personal recommendation is not the Microsoft quote.

The Town Clerk and Supervisor reports for October, 2020 was received by the

Board.

ADJOURN: A motion to adjourn was made by Councilman Hanson-Ivett, seconded by  
Page 3 – November 11, 2020

Councilman Ackley, at 7:40 p.m. Carried. The next meeting will be December 9,  
2020 at 7 p.m.

Respectively submitted,

Ruth Bennett, Town Clerk