

**Village of Afton
Board of Trustees Meeting
Jack D. Bolster Community Center, Afton, NY
February 10, 2014**

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Trustees held February 10, 2014, at 7:00 pm in the Susquehanna Room, 105 Main Street, Afton, NY

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM

Present: Mayor Muller, Trustee Harvey, Trustee Simonds and Trustee Matthews.

Absent: Trustee Zablocki

Visitors: John Deierlein , Angel Lopez, April Leggett and Sergeant Jason Sherman

- A motion was made by Trustee Simonds authorizing Clerk/Treasurer to pay the following audited vouchers, seconded by Trustee Harvey. All in favor, motion passed.
General Fund Vouchers # 526 - 552, Totaling \$32,519.32.
Water Fund Vouchers # 173 - 182 , Totaling \$2,176.45.
- Motion to accept previous minutes with no additions or corrections was made by Trustee Matthews, seconded by Trustee Harvey. All in favor, motion passed.

Monthly Report:

- DPW/ Water –Report distributed.
- Police Department: Report distributed.
- Code Enforcement: No representative.
- Planning Board: Meeting was held last week. The flood mitigation plan has been returned to the county. A comprehensive plan has been obtained from the Village of Columbus as a guide.
- Finance/Insurance: Up to date.
- Christmas Parade Committee: Remains the same.
- Grant Committee: Remains the same.

Old Business:

- Discussions for the request of no parking laws to be made for Spring Street will be reviewed brought before the village attorney, for rewriting of the law.

New Business:

- Visitor John Deierlein who is the Vice President and Relationship Manager, Government Banking at NBT Bank, spoke before the village board in regards the reciprocal deposit program. He explained in great detail how the program works.
- Visitor April Leggett informed the Village Board that the grant that was written by Creative Connections in regards the I-88 culvert project has been denied . She stated that she does

have an appointment this Thursday with the grant writer Mr. John Redente to discuss further options. She has invited Girard Matthews to attend this meeting with her.

- Visitor Sergeant Jason Sherman discussed the police report that was distributed to the Village Board. He informed the Board that a Village of Afton Police face book page has been created. He also informed the board that calls for the police department are now going to the Chenango County Sheriff's Office when no officer is on duty.
- The Mayor thanked Mr. Deierlein for taking his time to come here to explain the reciprocal deposit program to the Village Board Members.
- The Mayor informed the Village Board Members that when we rewrite the laws for Spring Street, we may want to look at the laws that pertain to Long Hill Road as well as Postal Ave.
- The Mayor informed the Village Board Members that the water tower on Blowers Hill Road will be in need of replacing within the next few years.
- A motion was made by Trustee Matthews to adjourn our regular meeting at 8:50pm and Seconded by Trustee Simonds. All in favor, motion passed.

Respectfully Submitted
Ann Palmatier
Clerk/Treasurer