



Town of Nanticoke

Board Meeting 03/14/2023

The Town of Nanticoke held their March Meeting on Tuesday, March 14, 2023. The meeting was held at 7:00 p.m. in the Nanticoke Town Hall, 755 Cherry Valley Hill Road Maine, NY 13802.

Present:

Roy Willis	Town Supervisor
Daniel Baker	Town Councilman
Michael Holden	Town Councilman
Anthony Slack	Town Councilman
Renny Zanker	Town Clerk
Sue Williams	Deputy Clerk
Bob McKertich	Town Attorney

Meeting was opened at 7:00 p.m. by Supervisor Willis. All joined in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion was made to approve minutes from the previous meetings held on February 14, 2023.

Motion made by: Councilman Dan Baker

Seconded by: Councilman Mike Holden

Roll call vote: A. Slack: aye, M. Holden: aye, D. Baker motion carried.

Motion was made to retroactively approve the transfer of \$1,040.58 from NBT Checking Account ending in #3748 to Broome Volunteer Ambulance ending in #4943 at NBT per our agreement for the Broome Ambulance.

Motion was made by: Councilman Mike Holden

Seconded by: Councilman Anthony Slack

Roll call vote: D. Baker: aye, A. Slack: aye, M. Holden: aye, motion carried.

Department Heads Reports:

Highway Superintendent, Robert Hoag:

- Highway Superintendent, Bob Hoag provided three quotes, from Ford, Dodge, and GM for the new pick-up truck that would replace the 2012. Bob explained he would leave the wiring and harness for the new truck. The plow from the 2018 truck can be used on the new truck, that would allow us to deduct \$3,600 off the price of the new truck.

- Highway Superintendent, Hoag answered all questions asked by Councilmen Baker and Councilman Slack in regards to the new truck.
- Supervisor Willis asked the councilmen that were present at this meeting to table this matter until all four councilmen are present to consider or make a motion to approve the purchase if the new truck.
- Superintendent Hoag requested to table the 284 until next month so he can see what we will be receiving from CHIPS monies to spend on our roads for oil and stone.
- Superintendent Hoag submitted a police report for a theft that occurred over the weekend at the Salt Barn.
- The highway superintendent and his crew have started replacing road signs.

Supervisor, Roy Willis:

- Supervisor Willis addressed several accidents that have occurred on Rabbit Path Road and asked if anyone had thoughts on what may be done to avoid any more accidents in that area.
- Supervisor Willis reached out to a resident landowner near the accident site, to discuss removal of brush that limits site distance on the curve, and to get a better insight of what is happening and their suggestions as far as making this a safer road. Superintendent Hoag has put some new signs up warning drivers to reduce speed and warning there is a curve in the road just ahead. He stated he would have his crew remove brush on the curve, but only with landowners written permission.

Dog Control Officer Bill Holmes:

- Bill Holmes had no reports for this month's meeting.

Code Enforcement Officer:

- Mark See was not present.

Nanticoke Clerk Renny Zanker:

- Clerk Renny and Deputy Clerk Sue Williams will be attending the 2023 NYS Town Clerk's Annual Conference in Syracuse in April.
- Renny stated Superintendent Hoag had set up a CPR class that was held at the Glen Aubrey Fire Station. Bob, his staff along with Renny, Sue, and Judge Baldwin all attended the class.

Nanticoke Deputy Clerk Williams:

- Sue and Mari Giurastante will begin working together to start writing grants for the town. For starters a grant will be submitted for a new AED for the town hall. A few ideas were

given from Supervisor Willis and the councilmen. Sue asked all for any thoughts they may have for grants.

Councilmembers:

- Councilman, Anthony Slack will look into what can be done by the county to rectify this matter with signs or any other work that can be done on Cherry Valley Hill Road where other accidents are occurring.
- Councilman, Mike Holden asked for the status on payment for the Mayor of Lisle for the amount agreed to assist with the Lisle pool for 2023. Supervisors Secretary will process a check per our agreement.

Motion was made to pay the bills as audited.

Motion made by: Councilman Dan Baker

Seconded by: Councilman Mike Holden

Roll call vote: A. Slack: aye, M. Holden: aye, D. Baker motion carried.

Guests:

- Resident, Richard Service, provided google maps for Supervisor Willis and the councilmembers to review where accidents are occurring. Mr. Service voiced concerns where several accidents have occurred on Rabbit Path Road. Mr. Service was involved in one of the accidents on Rabbit Path Road, and had come close to having a second encounter shortly after his accident.
- Mr. Service had another concern regarding the intersection at Lamb Road and Cherry Valley Hill Road. He felt there should be a stop sign. Superintendent Hoag explained the intersection is a county road, the county would be responsible for signage or any other work needing to be done.
- Mr. Zanker asked if the lights for the board room were on the agenda to be replaced to help save money. Supervisor Willis asked Highway Superintendent Hoag if this would be something he and his crew could change out the bulbs to LED? Bob agreed to change the lights.
- Residents raised concern that the Town Code Enforcement Officer was still difficult to contact and was not returning calls. Concerns regarding his absence were discussed.
- Chris Dyer from Maine Ambulance shared updated information with the plans going forward for the renovation for the Maine Ambulance Squad Station. Chris stated they would be offering CPR classes for town employees as well as local residents.
- Resident Mr. Zanker asked about helping the Glen Aubrey Fire Station. Supervisor Willis explained what they would have to do as far as grant writing. Roy explained how we contract their services. Supervisor Willis asked Chris Dyer if they had ever applied for grants for the Maine Fire Department. Chris gave some examples of grants he has written for their department.

Motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 8:09 pm.

Motion was made by: Councilman Mike Holden

Seconded by: Councilman Anthony Slack

Roll call vote: D. Baker: aye, A. Slack: aye, M. Holden: aye, motion carried.

The next Nanticoke Town Board Meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 11, 2023 in the town hall at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Date approved: March 14, 2023

Renny Zanker, Town Clerk