Town of Clymer Board Meeting Tuesday April 9, 2024 7:30 pm

AGENDA

- Call to Order
- Read the minutes from our last meeting (Karen) get approval
- Any comments / concerns from visitors / guests

• Supervisor Report / Action

- Sidewalk project -Bid opening
 - Project to start after Tulip Festival (May 18th)
 - \$10,000 Complete Streets Grant must be spent by 6/30
- Clean Choice Energy -
 - 710 Clymer Hill Rd Solar Project
 - o Catherine Schepp and Phill Becker are the team on the project
 - Updated visual aid information rec'd on Wed April 3rd
 - o Undergoing legal and engineering review at this time

<u>Clymer PV Solar RIC Energy</u>

- 1548 Upper Rd Solar Project
- Andy Welch
- Rec'd alternative site plan visual aid on Friday April 5th
- o Undergoing legal and engineering review at this time

Water Project

- o 12/12/23 Awarded up to \$5 Million NYS Water Infrastructure Improvement Act (WIIA) Grant
- o 1/3/2024 Formally accepted WIIA Grant
- o 2/28/2024 Catherine Rees- RCAP Solutions joining project as community resource specialist
- o 3/19/2024 Brian and Scott met with Congressman Langworthy office (Christine Rinaldi)
- o 3/28/2024 met with Matt Zarbo, and rep's of NYSDOT about coordinating efforts
 - Water project slated to begin late Spring / Early Summer 2025
 - NYSDOT sidewalks, curbing, drainage late Summer / Early Fall 2025
- Next Step-RFP for engineering

Eive Six Great Fridays

- o Levi
- Tulip Festival wants to partner with us for a show on May 17th
- Need to approve another \$275 payment for rights to the movie

• NYS Deferred Compensation

- Like a 401k for public employees
- No obligation to have any employees sign up
- Resolution needs to be approved if we want to offer the plan to any town employees FT or PT

<u>NYS Unified Court Audit</u>

- Adopt resolution accepting audit
- <u>Tulip Festival Committee</u>
 - Fireworks approval for May 17th

<u>Stateline Road Annex</u>

- o 1/10/2024 Attorney Seachrist has received correspondence from Bear Lake Properties
- Brian to reach out to adjacent land owners
- <u>Comprehensive Plan</u>
 - Recommended by County Planning Commission that we have one
 - Levi has volunteered to work on this project.
 - Apply for grants until 7-2024
 - Wait for grant approval
 - If approved work on project begins in 2025
 - To be completed by 2026
- **ARPA Funds** –we received \$169,230 in ARPA funding. Here is our draft list of priorities and uses:
 - Spent (\$75,912)
 - Allocated (\$93,318)
 - \$90,000 Sidewalks
 - o \$3,318- Unassigned

ARPA funds must be fully allocated by December 2024, and spent by December 2026.

IT Upgrades-

- New e-mails are in process
- Learning more about the system
- Emails to spam??

• Battery Storage- 12 Month Moratorium (12/31/2024)

- Adopted Negative Declaration
- Adopted Local Law #2024-1
- o Establish Committee to review Battery Storage Law

• Municipal Building Update

- Second set of drawings for review on 10/11
- Nov 2023 Reviewing size and scope of project

<u>Clymer Pond Update</u>

- o Levi, Scott, and Brian had a call with DEC on 4/5/2024
- No easy solutions to the sediment that is collecting.
- Possible solutions include returning to wetland, making a stream, or dredging
- Look to add this into the comprehensive plan??

Department Reports

- Assessor Jenn Scarem
- Budget Officer Reilly Enlow
- Building / Code Enforcement- Jeff Messenger
- Highway Scott Trisket
- Town Clerk Karen Foster
- Water Department Kevin Damcott / Scott Trisket

On-Going / Older Issues

- Any other Issues
- Pay Bills / Any Other Business? / Adjourn