Town of Scio, NY Council

Minutes August 10, 2022

Present: Jonathon “Jon” Elliott, Supervisor; Alissa Ramsey, Deputy Supervisor; Glen Layfield, Councilman

(absent: Robert Harms)

Additional Attendees: Glenn “Skip” Nickerson (Highway), Nate Jenison (Water), David Glass (Accounting), Roxy Nickerson

Called to order with pledge to the flag at 7:01 pm

Reviewed minutes from 07/13/2022 meeting.

Glen made a motion to approve. Alissa seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Reviewed Water Department Expenditures. Nate reported on Water Department.

* Ongoing need for help.
* Repair of 2 major leaks
* Requested that the Council review the ordinance / policy on late fees and excess charges.
* Gave positive feedback regarding Proposition #17 from previous meeting.
* Presented Town with expenditures.

Jon made a motion to approve. Glen seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Reviewed Highway Department Expenditures. Skip reported on the Highway Department.

* Mentioned noteworthy expenditure because one of the trucks had to be repaired. This was covered in the budget, but noteworthy.
* Had to address an issue with the roller. Covered under warranty.

Alissa made a motion to approve. Glen seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Reviewed Town General Expenditures.

Glen made a motion to approve. Alissa seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Reviewed Town Dog Control Expenditures. (Submitted by Connie Livergood, DCO)

Alissa made a motion to approve. Glen seconded the motion. Motion carried.

A request was made for refund of deposit for Hall rental from 8/6/2022. It was confirmed that it was left sufficiently clean.

Alissa made a motion to approve the refund. Jon seconded the motion. Motion carried.

(No reports for Code Enforcement, Assessor, Judge.)

Request to hire Grant Writer (O’Connell)

Alissa made a motion to approve. Glen seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Request to approve Proposition #17 with Nate’s positive input

Glen made a motion to approve. Jon seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Jon to review procedure for filling vacated Council position (suggested adding to website for recruitment)

Employ Steve Giantiempo for shared (Hwy/Water/Town) services / general labor

 Alissa made a motion to approve. Glen seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Discussed reinstatement of “late fee” as stated in ordinance/policy

Glen made a motion to approve. Jon seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Discussion regarding a budget for the Bicentennial? Determined that even though there is not a specific line item, support is available.

Alissa made a motion to approve. Jon seconded the motion. Motion carried.