

**Town of Freedom  
Special Board Meeting & PH for 2023 Budget  
November 14, 2021 @ 7:00 pm**

Board Members Present: Josh Aarum, John Hill, R. Nick Morgan, & Supervisor Dustin Bliss  
Absent: Geoff Milks

Other Officials Present: Bookkeeper Jessica Dart, & Highway Superintendent Jim Haggerty

Others: 1

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Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm by Supervisor Dustin Bliss

**I. PLEDGE TO THE FLAG: Led by Supervisor Dustin Bliss**

A motion was made by Dustin Bliss to close the Special Board Meeting and open the Public Hearings on the 2023 Fire Contracts for Arcade and Farmersville and the 2023-2024 Fire Contract for Delevan at 7:01 pm. Seconded by John Hill.

Roll Call: Ayes-4 Josh Aarum, John Hill, R. Nick Morgan,  
& Supervisor Dustin Bliss

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**II.**

**PUBLIC HEARINGS FOR THREE  
FIRE DISTRICT CONTRACTS**

**A). PUBLIC HEARING – 2023 ARCADE FIRE CONTRACT**

The 2023 Arcade Fire Contract amount will be \$85,063.00

**No Comments**

**B.) PUBLIC HEARING – 2023-2024 DELEVAN FIRE CONTRACT**

The 2-year Delevan Fire Contracts is up from previous years from \$12,000 to \$12,500 per year

**No Comments**

**C.) PUBLIC HEARING - 2023 FARMERSVILLE FIRE CONTRACT**

The 2023 Farmersville Fire Contract amount will be \$27,775.00

**No Comments**

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A motion was made by Dustin Bliss to close the Public Hearings on the 2023 Fire Contracts for Arcade and Farmersville and the 2023-2024 Fire Contract for Delevan and open the Special Board Meeting at 7:02 pm. Seconded by Josh Aarum.

**Roll Call: Ayes-4 Josh Aarum, John Hill, R. Nick Morgan,  
& Supervisor Dustin Bliss**

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**III. Vote on the Fire Contracts**

A) A motion was made by Dustin Bliss to accept as reported by the Mayor of Arcade the 2023 Arcade Fire District Contract. The motion was seconded by R. Nick Morgan.

**Roll Call: Ayes-4 Josh Aarum, John Hill, R. Nick Morgan,  
& Supervisor Dustin Bliss**

B.) A motion was made by Dustin Bliss to accept as written the 2023-2024 Delevan Fire District Contract. The motion as seconded by Josh Aarum.

**Roll Call: Ayes-4 Josh Aarum, John Hill, R. Nick Morgan,  
& Supervisor Dustin Bliss**

C.) A motion was made by Dustin Bliss to accept as written the 2023 Farmerville Fire District Contract. The motion was seconded by John Hill.

**Roll Call: Ayes-4 Josh Aarum, John Hill, R. Nick Morgan,  
& Supervisor Dustin Bliss**

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A motion was made by Dustin Bliss to close the Special Board Meeting and open the Public Hearing on the Town of Freedom 2023 Preliminary Budget at 7:04pm. Seconded by Josh Aarum.

**Roll call: Ayes-4 Josh Aarum, John Hill, R. Nick Morgan,  
& Supervisor Dustin Bliss**

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**IV. PUBLIC HEARING - 2023 PRELIMINARY BUDGET**

**2023 Town of Freedom Budget is up 2%**

**No Comments**

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**Roll Call: Ayes-4 Josh Aarum, John Hill, R. Nick Morgan,  
& Supervisor Dustin Bliss**

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**V. VOTE ON THE 2023 Annual TOWN BUDGET**

A motion was made by Dustin Bliss to approve the 2023 Annual Town Budget. Motion was seconded by John Hill.

**Roll Call: Ayes-4 Josh Aarum, John Hill, R. Nick Morgan,  
& Supervisor Dustin Bliss**

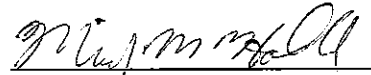
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**VI. ADJOURNMENT:**

Dustin Bliss made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:05 pm. Seconded by Josh Aarum.

**Roll call: Ayes-4 Josh Aarum, John Hill, R. Nick Morgan,  
& Supervisor Dustin Bliss**

Respectfully Submitted By,



Freedom Town Clerk

11/18/2022