

November 9, 2016

A public hearing to review and discuss the Preliminary Budget for 2017 for the Town of Hume, Fillmore; Allegany County, New York was held on November 9, 2016 at 7PM at the Wide Awake Club Library, 22 North Genesee Street, Fillmore, New York. Officials in attendance were: Supervisor Ricketts; Councilmembers Christopher Austin, Darlene Mason and Daniel Miller; Superintendent of Highways Kevin Peet and Town Clerk Susan Bodnar. Councilman Bruce Hinz was absent.

The meeting was called to order by reciting the pledge allegiance to the flag led by Supervisor Ricketts.

#### BUDGET HEARING

The Public Hearing for the viewing of the Preliminary Budget for 2017 was opened for discussion.

#### COMMUNITY FORUM

Bob Walker was present to review the policy coverage and some expectations from the carrier for the upcoming year.

#### HIGHWAY

Superintendent communicated to the Board about the new in-floor heating system that will be installed in the Highway Garage.

#### INSURANCE

Councilman Austin motioned that the Town of Hume name Dan Botsford of Bond Financial as a Medical Insurance Broker. Councilwoman Mason seconded. 4 ayes. 0 noes.

#### DOG CONTROL

Dog Control Officer Leslie Clagett asked for the permission to make some changes to the Local Law of 2013. The Board suggested that she put together the list of modifications and discuss them with the Town attorney.

#### WATER/SEWER

Scott Willgens will be attending a class on Electronic Recording.

Rural Water and Allegany County Health Department are working with the Town to help Mark Morley obtain his Class D Water License.

The Water and Highway Department are working together on Carol Thomas's septic system.

MRB requested that the Town review and accept a proposal to prepare a Planning Grant to help fund an evaluation of the water system. MRB also requested the Board to review a second proposal, to update the Preliminary Engineering report for the sanitary pump station. Councilman Austin moved to accept and give MRB the permission to move ahead with both proposals. Councilwoman Mason seconded the motion. 4 ayes. 0 noes.

Marcus and Dixie Dean sent a letter to the Board explaining a leak that occurred while they were away on vacation. Councilman Miller moved to forgive the difference on the sewer portion of the bill.

Supervisor Ricketts seconded. 4 ayes. 0 noes.

#### PARKS

The Fillmore Wesleyan Church asked if they could use the pavilion for their Christmas Eve Service.

Councilman Austin move to accept the proposal. Councilwoman Mason seconded. 4 ayes. 0 noes.

### MISCELLANEOUS

Councilman Austin moved to approve membership to the New York Association of Town for 2017 and to pay the premium. Councilman Miller seconded. 4 ayes. 0 noes.

On another matter, Councilman Austin moved to purchase and install two garage doors installed at the Water Garage by Overhead Doors for the price of \$4,229.00. Councilman Miller seconded the motion. 4 ayes. 0 noes.

### BILLS

Councilman Austin moved to accept all Bills as written. Supervisor Ricketts seconded. 4 ayes. 0 noes.

### BUDGET HEARING

After much discussion, Councilman Austin moved to close the Budget Hearing. Councilwoman Mason seconded. 4 ayes. 0 noes.

Councilman Miller moved to adopt the Budget for 2017. Councilwoman Mason seconded. 4 ayes. 0 noes.

### ADJOURNMENT

Councilwoman Mason moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilman Miller seconded. 4 ayes. 0 noes.

The next meeting of the Hume Town Board, Fillmore, New York, Allegany County is scheduled for December 14, 2016, at 7PM at the Wide Awake Library Club Library, 22 North Genesee Street, Fillmore, New York.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Bodnar  
Town Clerk  
Town of Hume

(General-\$31,678.35; Highway-\$21,766.84; Fire Protection-\$231.76; Lighting District #1-\$182.91; Lighting District #2-\$338.75; Lighting District #3-\$809.25; Sewer District-\$5,901.90 and Consolidated Water District-\$5,230.21.)