

ALMOND TOWN BOARD SPECIAL MEETING

September 29, 2020

The special meeting of the Almond Town Board was held at the Almond Municipal Building on the 29th day of September 2020. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Dawn Wildrick-Cole at 6 pm. Present: Supervisor Dawn Wildrick-Cole, Deputy Supervisor Dan Hegarty, Board Members, Jo-Anne Freeland, Bryan Snyder, and Larry Perry as well as resident Rick Torrey

ABSENT: Town Clerk Shelly Stevens

Proposed resolutions:

- Tax Cap: A motion was made by Dan and seconded by Larry to propose a local law to override the tax cap, with a public hearing set for 6-6:30pm on 10/20/2020. The motion passed with all in favor except for Jo-Anne, who voted Nay.
- Highway Truck: A motion was made by Jo-Anne to amend the 1/23/2020 vote to purchase a new truck, to remove all authorization for that purchase. No second.
- Highway Truck: A motion was made by Dan and seconded by Dawn to amend the 1/23/2020 vote to purchase a new truck, seeking to take \$227,688 out of reserves rather than take out a bond. The motion passed with all in favor except for Jo-Anne, who voted Nay.
- Tentative Budget: A motion was made by Dawn and seconded by Dan to approve the Supervisor's tentative budget as the preliminary budget and send to a public hearing to happen 6-6:30pm on November 17, 2020 with following changes: Celebrations A7550.4 changed to \$3,500, and \$1,200 in A1220.1b moved to A1220.1a. . The motion passed with Dan, Dawn, and Larry all in favor, Bryan voted no based on concerns over the underfunding of the fund balance. Jo-Anne left the meeting before the vote.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Dan and seconded by Dawn at 8:10 pm. The motion passed with all in favor.

*The undersigned was unable to attend the September 29, 2020 special meeting. The notes of the meeting were taken by Supervisor Dawn Wildrick-Cole and are on file in my office.

Respectfully submitted,

Shelly Stevens
Town Clerk