## **TOWN OF TROY**

## **BOARD OF SELECTPERSONS MINUTES**

The Board of Selectpersons held their monthly meeting on Tuesday, April 15, 2025, at 6:30 p.m. at the Troy Municipal Office.

Selectpersons Present: Robert Langlands, Anne Quirion & Gaston Bathalon

Others Present: Terri Medley, Steve Button, Mike Santaw, John Paquin and Matthew Wilson from the Chronicle Newspaper

## THESE MINUTES ARE UNOFFICIAL UNTIL APPROVED.

- 1. The Meeting opened at 6:32 PM
- 2. (a) Steve reported that all water meters were read for the quarter. The new meter reader equipment is having issues. Steve contacted David Harris, from TI Sales, and he picked the equipment up and will have it worked on.

(b) The 2024 Consumer Confidence Report was mailed out with the water bills.

(c) Steve received notification that we are in phase two of a possible grant for the Pleasant Street waterline project.

- 3. (a) Mike reported that the roads are in very good shape. They will now start working to cut brush, roadside.
  (b) John Paquin spoke to the board about getting a bill for gravel. He had used his tractor to take some gravel out of the road and put it down his driveway. Mike and the board explained that it was not acceptable. The road had to be regraded, and a load of gravel brought in from Calkins to repair the damage.
- 4. Gaston reviewed the changes to the 2025 Local Emergency Management Plan. He will have the final copy at the next meeting in May for the board to adopt.
- 5. Gaston gave an update on the electronic sign that Troy School and the PTA have been working on.

- 6. Conversation continued about merging the Village of North Troy with the Town of Troy. Gaston contacted Lyndonville, who recently completed a merger and emailed the two attorneys that represented them. He also contacted a VLCT Attorney about giving us some direction regarding the merger. While VLCT cannot represent the town they can discuss the procedure.
- 7. Various town zoning violations were discussed. The books for civil fines will be ordered for the next meeting.
- 8. Gaston updated the board regarding the babysitting course the town is funding for 15 students at Troy school. A motion was made by Robert to authorize Gaston to authorize paying for the American Red Cross virtual baby-sitting course not to exceed \$1,000.00
- 9. A motion was made by Gaston to appoint Deena Morey to the Troy Cemetery Board. She will fill her mom, Dot Morey's, position.
- 10. Gaston made the motion to appoint Terri Medley as a member of the Development Review Board.
- 11. Minutes of March 17, 2025, were approved by a motion made by Anne.
- 12. All warrants were signed.
- 13. 11 Overweight permits were signed by Robert.
- 14. Gaston made the motion to authorize Robert to sign the Solar Design and Construction Agreement with Catamount Solar LLC.
- 15. Gaston spoke of the decision at the Annual Town Meeting next year to have the Troy School portion first, followed by the Town portion of the meeting.
- 16. The Board signed the 2025 Orleans County Sheriff's Department Contract.
- 17. The Meeting was adjourned at 8:22 pm.