

## UNOFFICIAL MINUTES

### TOWN OF HUME SEPTEMBER 25, 2013

A regular meeting of the Hume Town Board, Allegany County, New York was held on September 25, 2013 at the Town of Hume Museum, 10842 Claybed Road, Hume, New York.

Supervisor Dennis Ricketts called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM, and he led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Officials in attendance: Supervisor Dennis Ricketts; Council members Christopher Austin, Bruce Hinz, and Daniel Miller; Highway Superintendent Kevin Peet; and Town Clerk Sondra MacEwan. Councilman Gregory McKurth was absent.

#### COMMUNITY FORUM

Dale Preston, Koko Preston, and Martha Bower were present to inform the Town Board of their concerns with noise emanating from Fillmore Central School. They presented detailed statements of dates, actions, and responses. Mr. Preston also handed out a sample Noise Ordinance from Albany, New York.

The Board decided that this situation merited a public relations approach and will contact the school to discuss policies and methods for addressing an acceptable solution without adoption of further local laws.

Steven Morley updated the Board on his research into switching the electrical supply company to Ambit Energy. He requested copies of present bills to do a better analysis.

#### 2014 BUDGET

The Board continued refining the numbers comprising the 2014 budget. Focus for the evening were the highway department budget lines.

The Board requested further information on the retirement costs. Discussions will continue.

#### HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Councilman Miller moved that the Town accept the bid from Basel Ford of \$50533.00 for the F550 Chassis Cab with Dump Body; that all bids for the 2014 9" snowplow be rejected; and that new bids be sought for the snowplow. Councilman Hinz seconded. 4 ayes, 0 noes.

Councilman Miller moved that the meeting be adjourned; Supervisor Ricketts seconded. 4 ayes, 0 noes. Meeting adjourned at 9:30 PM.

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Respectfully submitted,

Sondra MacEwan,  
Town Clerk