

# **Town of Hume**

**February 12, 2014**

A regular meeting of the Hume Town Board, Allegany County, New York was held on February 12, 2013 at the Town of Hume Museum, 10842 Claybed Road, Hume, New York. Supervisor Dennis Ricketts called the meeting to order at 7 pm, and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Officials in attendance: Supervisor Ricketts; Councilmembers Daniel Miller and Bruce Hinz; Attorney David Pullen; Highway Superintendent Kevin Peet; Sewer Plant Operator Scott Willgens; Town Historian Rondus Miller and Town Clerk Susan Bodnar. Absent were: Councilmembers Austin and Mason.

## Minutes

Councilman Daniel Miller motioned to have the Minutes of the January 8, 2014 meeting of the Board accepted as presented. Councilman Hinz seconded. 3 ayes, 0 noes.

## Law

It was resolved that a public hearing will be held on March 12, 2014 at the Brooks Hose Company Fire Hall to consider the acquisition by eminent domain the property located at the Northwest corner of West Main and North Genesee Street for public parking and economic development . Motion was made by Councilman Miller and seconded by Supervisor Ricketts. 3 ayes, 0 noes, 2 absent.

## Museum

Historian Rondus Miller presented options that Liberty Gutters presented to her about putting gutters on the Museum. The first option was to install green or white seamless gutters with roofstrap hangers with 3-4 downspouts, at a cost of \$2,464.00. The second option was to Install Galvanized half round gutters with roofstrap hangers , with a round downspout, at a cost of \$4,920.00. After discussion, Councilman Miller made the motion to accept the first option of \$2,464.00. Insulation of the gutters will begin in early spring. Supervisor Ricketts seconded. 3 ayes, 0 noes, 2 absent.

In other Museum topics, the grant application to aid in accessibility to the Museum is under way and rolling along nicely.

Historian Miller recommended that a dehumidifier in the Record Management Room be obtained to maintain climate control.

## Highway

A resolution 2-2014 was made to approve the Mutual Aid Agreement between the municipalities of Allegany County, New York. Where the Town of Hume agrees to extend Mutual Aid Assistance to another participating municipality in time of abnormal snow or work conditions. Councilman Miller made that motion and Supervisor Ricketts seconded. 3 ayes, 0 noes. 2 absent.

Superintendent Peet request to put out bids to replace sidewalks on the North side of Route 19 starting at Randy Rees' apartment building; going down to Prospect Street. Bids will be opened at the next regularly scheduled Town Board Meeting at 8:30 PM. Councilman Miller made the motion to start bids and Councilman Hinz second. 3 ayes 0 noes. 2 absent.

Another resolution, 3-2014, was passed to approve the construction of Local Bridge # 20-18, Higgins Road. Councilman Hinz made that motion and Supervisor Ricketts seconded. 3 ayes, 0 noes. 2 absent.

## WATER AND SEWER

Scott Willgens will be attending a seminar next week about online reporting practices. The State eventually would like have all reporting done online.

## BILLS AND REPORTS

Councilman Hinz motioned to have the reports of the Supervisor and Town Clerk accepted as presented, and bill be authorized for payment. Seconded by Councilman Miller. 3 ayes, 0 noes. 2 absent.

Supervisor Ricketts made the motion to have the meeting adjourned, and Councilman Hinz seconded. 3 ayes, 0 noes. 2 absent.

The next regular meeting of the Town Board will be March 12, 2014 immediately following the Public Hearing at the William P. Brooks Hose Company Fire Hall, 20 S Genesee Street, Fillmore, New York.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Bodnar  
Town Clerk

