

TOWN OF ROSENDALE
TOWN BOARD WORKSHOP MEETING
OCTOBER 2, 2024

Supervisor Walsh called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM followed by the pledge. A moment of silence was observed for Paul Trataros and Stanley Trataros.

Present:	Supervisor	Jeanne L. Walsh
	Councilman	Kenneth Hassett
	Councilman	Joseph Havranek
	Councilmember	Ashley Sweeney
	Councilmember	Carrie Wykoff

Also Present – Jill La Fera; Assistant to the Supervisor and Joe La Fera; RMC Building Manager.

Public Input/Community Events – Councilmember Sweeney said she wanted to mention a few events that are happening. There will be a game night on Friday October 18th from 6:00 PM- 8:00 PM at the Rosendale Recreation Center, the Fitness Court instruction is still happening and there will be one tomorrow night behind the Recreation Center from 4:30 PM – 5:30 PM, the simple drawing classes have begun at the Recreation Center and there are still four more sessions. If people are interested, they must sign up by calling the Recreation Office. Also, line dancing has begun at the RMC Building on Mondays starting at 1:00PM to 2:00 PM. Councilmember Wykoff said that early voting starts October 26th. The last day to register to vote is October 26th.

Supervisor Walsh made a motion to accept the resignation of Isabella Parisio as a Recreation Aide effective 9/11/2024, 2nd by Councilmember Sweeney with regret. ROLL VOTE: 5 YES.

Supervisor Walsh made a motion to accept the resignation of Michael Pellet-Hilerio from the Highway Department, 2nd by Councilman Havranek. ROLL VOTE: 5 YES.

Supervisor Walsh made a motion to accept the resignation of Joan Jordan as a Tax Collector Clerk, 2nd by Councilmember Wykoff. ROLL VOTE: Councilmember Wykoff: YES, Councilmember Sweeney: YES, Councilman Havranek: YES. Councilman Hassett: NO, Supervisor Walsh: YES.

Councilmember Hassett said Joan will be missed as he has worked with her for many years. She was a great asset to the town and wish her the best.

Supervisor Walsh made a motion to increase the salary for Connor Craig at the Transfer Station to \$17.00 per hour effective 10/2/2024, 2nd by Councilman Hassett. ROLL VOTE: 5 YES.

1. The Town Clerk presented the 2025 Tentative Budget to the Town Board. Supervisor Walsh said there will have to be a tax cap Public Hearing sent since it is over a 2% increase. The Board discussed briefly the main reasons the budget went up and one is the cost of servicing Rosendale with EMS.
2. Resolution 10-2024-#1 – Supervisor Walsh made a motion that a curfew of 9:00 PM for youth under 18 years of age, to be strictly enforced, is hereby in effect for Halloween, Thursday October 31, 2024, 2nd by Councilmember Sweeney. ROLL VOTE: 5 YES.

3. Resolution 10-2024-#2 – Supervisor Walsh made a motion that the Town Board of the Town of Rosendale authorizes Superintendent Robert Gallagher to list such equipment and vehicles on Auctions International, 2nd by Councilman Havranek. ROLL VOTE: 5 YES.

Supervisor Walsh made a motion to pay bills, 2nd by Councilmember Sweeney. ROLL VOTE: 5 YES.

AUDIT OF BILLS:

GENERAL FUND	ABSTRACT 10	VOUCHER #257-275	\$22,227.47
HIGHWAY FUND	ABSTRACT 10	VOUCHER #164-180	\$46,643.66
WATER FUND	ABSRTACT 10	VOUCHER #115-123	\$4,179.46
SEWER FUND	ABSTRACT 10	VOUCHER #124-134	\$2,567.78
RMC FUND	ABSTRACT 10	VOUCHER #166-177	\$5,5789.57

Supervisor Walsh made a motion at 6:54 PM to adjourn, 2nd by Councilman Hassett. ROLL VOTE: 5 YES.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mandy Donald
Town Clerk