

The Town Board of the Town of Dansville, Steuben County met on December 11, 2025 at 7:00PM for the regular monthly meeting. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Jackson.

Roll call	Mahany	Present	Robinson	Present
	Willis	Present	Stauring	Present
	Jackson	Present		

From the Public: Brian Streicher Attorney representing Penny Bennett.

Also present was Town Attorney John Vogel.

The Pledge of Allegiance was observed.

November meeting minutes were read. Councilperson Robinson made motion to accept, Councilperson Willis second. All ayes carried.

Attorney Streicher was here with concerns regarding the variance that was to be voted on pertaining to a parcel of land being sold by Stanley New. After further discussion it was determined that the variance would not affect a parcel that was currently in dispute between Mr. Neu and siblings.

Motion was made by Councilperson Mahany to grant the variance. Councilperson Willis Second. All ayes carried.

Attorney Vogel presented Local Law # 1 for 2026 which would allow a partial exemption on real property tax for enrolled Volunteer Firefighter or Ambulance worker pursuant to Section 466-A of the New York State Real Property Tax Law. Motion was made by Councilperson Robinson to adopt the law, Councilperson Willis second. All ayes carried. A public hearing will be held at the January meeting for this purpose.

Supervisor Jackson reported on a number of items in regards to the Highway Department. As a follow up to the issue with the sluice pipe for Prilla Howe. It was reported that the Highway department showed up to work on the issue and was told that they were not digging it up and as a result, nothing further will be done.

Discussion took place regarding the previous issues brought forward on Bills Rd. Discussion took place on the possibility of abandonment of the road. If abandonment cannot take place at this time at minimum Russell Jacobs will need to be notified that he must remove the wire cable he has placed across the road. Attorney Vogel will look into the legalities and further discussion to take place at a later date.

Tucker Jamison will be taking another job. Question came up if he could still be used in the mornings to plow if necessary.

RESOLUTION 41-2025 ALLOWABLE NUMBER OF HOURS FOR PART TIME EMPLOYEES

RESOLVED by motion made by Council person Mahany to allow part-time employees to work up to 20 hours per week or possibly more at the discretion and approval of the Town Supervisor.

Councilperson Robinson second. All ayes carried.

Motion made by Councilperson Willis to allow dog licensing under the Kennel licensing for residents with AKC or UKC purebred registered dogs. Councilperson Robinson second. All ayes carried.

No CEO report.

DCC report was reviewed with no questions. Councilperson Willis made motion to accept. Councilperson Robinson second. All ayes carried.

Discussion took place regarding the situation with Arkport Fire District. Motion was made by Councilperson Willis to send a letter to all taxpayers in the Arkport Fire District giving a heads up prior to receiving their tax bill. Councilperson Mahany second. All ayes carried. Supervisor will put a letter together and get it to the Town Clerk for mailing.

Supervisor indicated that the Union contract has been finalized and will get copies to all.

Supervisor report was presented. Councilperson Mahany made motion to accept. Councilperson Robinson second. All ayes carried.

Town Board audited General Fund abstract #12 voucher numbers 658-669 in the amount of \$16848.86, SL1 voucher #670 in the amount of \$260.49, TA voucher # 346 in the amount of \$166 and Highway Abstract #12 voucher numbers 505-515 in the amount of \$18,864.08.

Councilperson Robinson made motion to adjourn meeting, Councilperson Mahany second, all ayes carried. Meeting adjourned 8:20PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Bonnie Henry, Town Clerk