

**TOWN OF BINGHAMTON
TOWN BOARD
July 16, 2024**

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MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE TOWN OF BINGHAMTON TOWN BOARD HELD ON TUESDAY, JULY 16, 2024, 6:00 P.M., TOWN OF BINGHAMTON TOWN HALL, 279 PARK AVENUE, BINGHAMTON, NEW YORK.

CALL TO ORDER: 6:00 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIENCE

ROLL CALL:

E. Rounds, Supervisor	Absent
M. Bensley, Dep. Supervisor	Present
D. Nye, Councilperson	Present
M. Donahue, Councilperson	Present
V. Conklin, Councilperson	Present

T. Tokos, Town Clerk
G. Middleton, Town Attorney
N. Pappas, Code Enforcement/Buildings and Grounds
M. Leighton, Highway

A motion may be made to go into an executive session to discuss a legal matter and or a personnel matter regarding a particular employee after the meeting is convened.
No Executive session.

APPROVAL OF AUDITED CLAIMS:

Councilperson Nye made a motion to adopt a Resolution to approve the following claims as audited:

General	Claim No. 573 - 594	\$ 38,881.04
Highway	Claim No. 565 - 572	\$ 13,879.62
Lighting	Claim No. 559	\$ 23.01
Sewer	Claim No. 560 - 561	\$ 22,336.27
Water	Claim No. 561 - 564	\$ 1,774.82
	TOTAL	\$ 76,894.76

The motion was duly seconded by Councilperson Conklin, all those present voted in favor of the motion. Motion carried. A roll call vote resulted in the following:

Ayes: Donahue, Nye, Bensley, Conklin Absent: Rounds

Nays: None

**Abstained: None
Declared adopted.**

(Resolution Appended)

RECOGNITION OF MINUTES:

- Work Session Minutes, July 2, 2024 - Approved.

VOICE OF THE PUBLIC: Floor opened at 6:01 p.m. – Michael & Martha Rice 1941 Franklin St. spoke regarding the purchase of a paper street back in 2001. They are selling their home and are unable to locate the quit claim deed. After some discussion, Attorney Middleton is looking into the issue and assured Mr. & Mrs. Rice that we will take care of the necessary steps to satisfy the attorneys for closing. Floor closed at 6:12 p.m.

COMMUNICATIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- None at this time.

OFFICIALS AND COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Planning Board:

- No report. Next meeting -Tuesday, July 23, 2024 at 6:30 p.m.

Zoning Board of Appeals:

- No report. Next meeting – Tuesday, July 23, 2024 at 6:30 p.m.

Youth Commission:

- No report.

Code Enforcement/Buildings and Grounds:

- The DWI tournament at Jackson Park last week went well.
- The time to reply from the attorney for the Montrose Ave property has expired. Attorney Middleton will proceed with the proper filings.

Highway:

- Clean up from the storm on Monday July 15th is in progress along with all the normal road work as well.
- There has been no response regarding the speed limit study for Peckham Rd. Mark will reach out again.

Receipt of Reports – The Town Board is in receipt of the following reports:

- Town Clerk’s Monthly Report for June 2024
- DCO Monthly Report for June 2024
- Code Enforcement Officer’s Monthly Report for June 2024

TOB Volunteer Fire Co:

- No one present.
- Supervisor Rounds and Deputy Supervisor Bensley will be meeting with the Fire Department on Thursday evening to discuss the need of a new Firetruck.

Supervisor:

- No report.

Senior Commission:

- There were 2 events last Tuesday at the Town Hall. A book group and a card game. They will continue to meet on the 2nd Tuesday of each month.
- There is a scheduled meeting on Tuesday August 6, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. to plan future events.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- A bid was received for the Felters Rd. Pump Station project. The decision was made to leave the project in abeyance until the next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

- No new business at this time.

VOICE OF THE PUBLIC: Floor opened at 6:16 p.m. No one present. Closed at 6:16 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT:

A motion was made by Councilperson Conklin to adjourn the meeting at 6:17 p.m. and the motion was duly seconded by Councilperson Nye. All those present voted in favor of the motion.

Motion carried.

The next meeting of the Town of Binghamton Town Board will be a Work Session to be held on Tuesday, August 6, 2024 @ 4:00 p.m., at the Town of Binghamton Town Hall, 279 Park Avenue, Binghamton, NY.

The next regular Town Board Meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 20, 2024 @ 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully Transcribed and Submitted,



Tracy Tokos,
Town Clerk