

**Minutes of the Regular Monthly Meeting of the
Town Board of the Town of Fabius held at the Town Hall on
Monday, April 19, 2021**

Present:

Mrs. Melanie Vilardi – Supervisor
Mr. Warren Virgil – Highway Supervisor
Mr. James Conway – Councilmember
Mrs. Peggy Riker – Town Clerk (*ABSENT*)
Mr. Peter Schlicht – Councilmember
Mr. Thomas Chartrand – Bookkeeper
Mrs. Deborah Foster - Councilmember
Mr. Paul Brown – Councilmember
Mr. Michael Decker – Zoning/Codes Officer
Mr. Robert DeMore – Attorney for Town
Ms. Sandy Beglinger – Historical Society
Also: David Knapp, Chairman-Onondaga County Legislature

The Regular meeting was called to order by Mrs. Vilardi at 7:00 PM.

Motion by Mr. Schlicht, seconded by Mr. Conway, to approve the minutes of the last meeting. Motion PASSED – Ayes – 5, Nays – 0. Voting aye – Vilardi, Conway, Brown, Schlicht, Foster.

FINANCIAL REPORT: General spending is at 20% and revenues are at 97%. CHiPS money up 29%. We received \$2,000 from Worker's Compensation for safety. Motion by Mr. Schlicht, seconded by Mr. Brown, that the Town Supervisor's records have been audited. PASSED – Ayes – 5, Nays – 0. Voting aye – Vilardi, Conway, Brown, Schlicht, Foster.

ZONING REPORT: None.

HIGHWAY REPORT: Received \$229.43 from the Fire District for fuel reimbursement. Regarding the Markham Hollow bridge, the county has a contract with Tarolli Excavation. Mr. Virgil will be meeting with Tarolli this week. We re-submitted the application for BridgeNY money. Mr. Virgil met with SNS engineering in Otisco. They suggest making two test holes before beginning project for a 100' x 120' pole barn at the Highway Garage. May cost up to \$5,000 for the test holes. Building materials are up about 40% from last year. Motion by Mrs. Foster, seconded by Mr. Brown, to authorize the testing holes up to \$5,000. Motion PASSED – Ayes – 5, Nays – 0. Voting aye – Vilardi, Conway, Brown, Schlicht, Foster.

HISTORIAN: No report.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY: Meetings will resume starting May 3rd.

NEW BUSINESS:

Onondaga County Legislature: Chairman David Knapp addressed the Board with a couple of updates. The County is receiving \$90 million from a stimulus package for broadband access for Southern Onondaga County road paving. \$15 million will go to broadband access to remote homes. April 30th will launch a publicity campaign to encourage those without broadband services to identify dead spots. Also, the County will be paving 160 miles of county roads.

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Swim Lessons: Megan Campbell is the new Swim Director. The cost to join Pompey's swim program will be \$75 per child. Only 18 people are allowed in the pool at one time. Motion by Mrs. Foster, seconded by Mr. Brown, to authorize the Supervisor to sign the Intermunicipal Agreement with Pompey to join their Swim Program. Motion PASSED – Ayes – 5, Nays – 0. Voting aye – Vilardi, Conway, Brown, Schlicht, Foster.

Speed Limit Signs: There are solar speed limit signs that can be obtained on a county contract with J.C. Smith. We need to check further with the state.

Event Center: Hatches on Apulia Road are looking into becoming an Event Center. We would need a public hearing as a first step. We will revisit this topic at next month's meeting.

OLD BUSINESS:

Fabius Evergreen Cemetery: Ms. Beglinger reported their current bank balance is \$8,601.01.

Motion by Mrs. Foster, seconded by Mr. Schlicht, to pay the bills on Abstract #3 in the following amounts:

Highway Fund	Vouchers 24 through 38
	\$ 50,307.83
General Fund	Vouchers 64 through 83
	\$ 10,049.14

Motion PASSED – Ayes – 5, Nays – 0. Voting aye – Vilardi, Conway, Brown, Schlicht, Foster.

The next regular Town Board meeting will be held on **Monday, May 17, 2021**, at the Fabius Area Community Center, Fabius, New York at 7:00 PM.

Motion to adjourn at 7:20 PM made by Mrs. Foster, seconded by Mr. Brown. Motion PASSED – Ayes – 5, Nays – 0. Voting aye – Vilardi, Conway, Brown, Schlicht, Foster.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret M. Riker
Town Clerk