

**TOWN OF BLEECKER
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
MARCH 17, 2021**

The meeting was called to order at 7:00

Councilman Becker: Present

Councilman Winnie: Absent

Supervisor Howard: Present

Councilman Bartholomew: Present

Councilman Smith: Present

Also in attendance were Kathy Henry, Richard DiDomizio, Paul Brink, Wayne Hutchins, and Richard Carlson.

Pledge of Allegiance

Councilman Becker made a motion to accept the minutes from the last meeting. It was seconded by Councilman Bartholomew and approved; In Favor: 4 Opposed: 0

Clerk Report:

In February the Town took in \$130; \$110 in Building Permits and \$20 in Building Permits. It was all given to the Supervisor.

Code Enforcement:

John Furlong reported 3 inspections, two new permits for geo-thermal heat pump systems and completed 4 hours of on-line training.

Dog Control:

No Activity

The Supervisor, Bookkeeper, and Assessor's reports were submitted

Supervisor Howard said that Bleecker will not be applying for the "Save America" grants until we know more about the program. There may be unintended costs associated with this money.

The Town Clerk, Bookkeeper, and Justice financial records are here and available for inspection.

**RESOLUTION # 22-21
Audit and approve the Bookkeeper, Town Clerk, and Justice Financial Records**

Councilman Bartholomew offered the following Resolution and asked for its' approval:

Resolved; the Bleecker Town Board has hereby audited and approved the financial records for the year 2020 submitted by the Town Bookkeeper, the Town Clerk, and the Justice Court Clerk.

It was seconded by Councilman Smith and approved; In Favor: 3 Opposed: 0

Councilman Becker: Absent

Councilman Winnie: Absent

Supervisor Howard: Yes

Councilman Bartholomew: Yes

Councilman Smith: Yes

It seems last month's report from the DOT was issued in error, our CHIPS money should remain the same, and \$47000 is our roll-over from last year. Paul Brink also reported that the weight limit on the second Pinnacle Road bridge is going to be lifted since DOT found that we put a new deck on it in 2011.

April 30, May 1 and 2 will be scheduled for Dumpster Days this year .

Paul found a sander on Auctions International and would like permission to bid up to \$2000 on it.

RESOLUTION #23-21
Permission to Bid on Sander

Councilman Becker offered the following Resolution and asked for its' approval:

Resolved; the Bleecker Town Board does hereby give the Highway Superintendant permission to bid up to \$2000 for a sander on Auctions International.

It was seconded by Councilman Smith and approved; In Favor: 4 Opposed: 0

Councilman Becker: Yes

Supervisor Howard: Yes

Councilman Bartholomew: Yes

Councilman Smith: Yes

Paul Brink announced that the Highway Department will have a new employee, Cory Petit, starting on April 1.

RESOLUTION # 24-21
Authorization to Pay General and Highway Fund Bills

Councilman Becker offered the following Resolution and asked for its' approval:

Resolved; the Bleecker Town Board has hereby audited and approved for payment General Fund bills #V-32 through #V-41 for a total of \$3,801.21 and Highway Fund bills #V-14 through #V-18 for a total of \$6,264.42.

It was seconded by Councilman Smith and approved; In Favor: 4 Opposed: 0

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It was seconded by Councilman Smith and approved; In Favor: 3 Opposed: 0

Councilman Becker: Absent

Councilman Winnie: Absent

Supervisor Howard: Yes

Councilman Bartholomew: Yes

Councilman Smith: Yes

Councilman Bartholomew made a motion to adjourn. It was seconded by Councilman Becker and approved; In Favor: 4 Opposed: 0

The meeting was adjourned at 7:20

Recorded and submitted by Toni Johnson, Town Clerk