Town Board Member’s Present:

Roger Reep, Town Supervisor, Mike Crandall, Crystal McCannon, Garrett Dupree and Bill Deming

Public Attendance: Callie Perry, Town Clerk, Kevin Putman, Highway Superintendent, James Bixby, Code Enforcement Officer, Linda Swan, Art & Kim Gotshall, Larry Swan, Brad Drake, Kathi Plumley, Mike McFall, Mike Perry, Jennifer Baker, Dee Hill, Bob Nichols, Randy Hill, Kyle Eldridge, Kim Clark, David Fuller & Richard Biggio

Reports: Town Clerk, Dog Control Officer, Highway Department, Supervisor, Code & Court

7:00 pm: Roger Reep called the meeting to order with the Pledge.

Business:

Minutes: June 2025.

**Motion by Mike Crandall**

To approve June minutes.

**Seconded by: Garrett Dupree**

**All in favor. Motion carried.**

Gutter Bids for Town Hall -

Gutter & Rescue:

 $5,540.60

 $4,981.60

 $3,096.80

Pearson:

 $8,166.00

Chilsons:

 $3,850 – 7-year warranty

**Motion by Mike Crandall**

To approve Chilson’s bid to install gutter system at the Town Hall.

**Seconded by: Garrett Dupree**

**All in favor. Motion carried.**

Parking lot at the Town Hall –

Garrett Wilson submitted quote that didn’t include blacktop.

 $119,700.00

Larrison’s quote for blacktop was over $100,000.00.

Gutters should be installed first, then the blacktop. G.P. Wilson will be contingent on him coming back in the spring to finish.

**Motion by Garrett Dupree**

To hire G.P. Wilson for the parking lot construction.

**Seconded by: Garrett Dupree**

**All in favor. Motion carried.**

JCAP Grant – Richard Biggio offered to help Kim Clark with quotes for a handicap accessible front door and widening the sidewalks around the building.

Bob Nichols – Steuben County

Losses for the County are down and everyone’s premiums were reduced. Town of Lindley saved $2,000. The County is looking to self-fund their Liability Insurance with a one-million-dollar premium.

Road work has been slow because of all the rain. Cost of new machines - $500,000.00-700,000.00. Bridge crews are on schedule.

The County is still waiting to be put on the calendar for the lawsuit against the Sheriff.

The County is in the process of conducting an audit. Their reserves fund will be $100,000,000.00.

Budget season is coming up. Need to keep three hundred million in reserves for emergencies and large projects.

FEMA approved four to five million for a wall in Woodhull. Counties without reserves have to have a bond and pay interest.

Dog Control – new laws and regulations for dogs and kennels.

Ambulance – Several issues. Hammondsport collapsed and their money, facility and ambulance were donated to the County. Troopsburg quit, Cameron transferred to Bath and the County is releasing the ambulance in Woodhull. The State has made regulations for volunteers so difficult. Towns without a contract will have to pay and the people will be charged.

A FOIL access person and a FOIL appeals person is needed for the Town. Foil requests will not be given until we are advised by an attorney.

There was a meeting held at the Highway Department and Bill Deming wanted to know why.

Executive Session:

**Motion by: Mike Crandall**

Motion to enter into an Executive Session due to personnel matter.

**Seconded by: Bill Deming**

**All in favor. Motion carried**

Executive Session ended and the Town Board meeting resumed.

There is no cell phone policy in place.

Jennifer Baker was asked to leave. She refused.

Dee Hill oversees Lindsley Cemetery. There was damange to the stones due to the storm that we had and trees were down. She wants insurance money to fix damange. She also met with Karen Ballard to review Historian files.

Phone Contract – Blink offered to keep our contract as is and not increase the monthly amount for five years if we sign.

**Motion by: Mike Crandall**

Motion to sign the Blink Phone Contract for five years.

**Seconded by: Garrett Dupree**

**All in favor. Motion carried**

**Motion by: Mike Crandall**

To pay the A Fund bills.

**Seconded by: Garrett Dupree**

**All in favor. Motion carried.**

**Motion by: Mike Crandall**

To pay the DA Fund bills.

**Seconded by: Garrett Dupree**

**All in favor. Motion carried.**

**Motion by Mike Crandall**

To adjourn the meeting.

**Seconded by: Garrett Dupree**

**All in favor. Motion carried.**

Respectfully submitted.

Callie Perry

Lindley Town Clerk