

**Village of Afton
Board of Trustees Meeting
Jack Bolster Community Center, Afton, NY
March 24, 2022
Budget Workshop Meeting**

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Trustees held March 24, 2022 in the Susquehanna Room, 105 Main Street, Afton.

Present: Mayor Nickerson, Trustee Lawrence, Trustee Humphrey, Clerk/Treasurer Palmatier and DPW Supervisor DeBetta.

Absent: Trustee Simonds and Trustee Dedman.

Visitors: Rebecca Komorowski and Andrew Winans.

- Meeting called to order at 6:30 pm by Mayor Nickerson.
- Discussed budget allocations for 2021-2022.
- Trustee Lawrence expressed her concern that the Cemetery Association is in need of funds. They currently have money in a permanent maintenance fund that they believe they are unable to use. They are constructing a letter to the State to find out if these funds can be released. Typically the Cemetery Association receives funding through burials and funeral homes for the holding of bodies before burials. But more people are opting to be cremated. Now most funeral homes have their own holding location on site for spring burials. Trustee Lawrence feels as though the Village should create a line item in their budget to help offset some of the Cemetery Associations lost revenue.
- A motion was made by Trustee Lawrence to create line item A8110.40 – Cemetery Contractual Expenditures in the amount of \$750.00. Seconded by Trustee Humphrey. All in favor, motion passed.
- A motion was made by Trustee Humphrey to hold a budget workshop on Thursday, April 7, 2022 at 6:30 pm at the Jack D. Bolster Community Center. Seconded by Trustee Lawrence. All in favor, motion passed.
- Motion made by Trustee Lawrence, Seconded by Trustee Humphrey, to adjourn at 8:50 pm. All in favor, motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Palmatier
Clerk Treasurer