TOWN OF BLEECKER REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING NOVEMBER 15, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 7:00

Councilman Becker: Present Councilman Croucher: Present Supervisor Howard: Present Councilman Bartholomew: Present

Councilman Smith: Present

Also in attendance were Kathy Henry and Paul Brink.

Councilman Smith made a motion to adopt the minutes from the last meeting. It was seconded by Councilman Croucher and approved: In Favor: 5 Opposed: 0

Clerk Report:

In October the Town took in \$725.00; \$30 in Transfer Station Permits, \$30 in Building Permits, \$655 in Sporting Licenses, and \$10 in Certified Copies. It was disbursed; \$618.85 to the DEC and \$106.15 to the Supervisor.

Code Enforcement:

John Furlong reported 2 inspections and 2 Certificates of Compliance

Dog Control:

No Activity

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

Supervisor Howard gave an overview of the County Budget. The biggest problem is that the State is not passing through Federal money intended for the County, the County must pay \$273,000 per week for Medicaid from the local tax levy.

Per advice from our attorney, the Town is submitting the bill for our plow truck repair to NYMIR, they may be able to cover it. They will send an adjuster out to look at the truck.

Supervisor Howard also reported that we should get our CHIPS money in December.

RESOLUTION #45-23 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-120 through #V-131 for a total of \$12,289.20 and Highway Fund bills #V-94 through #V-105 for a total of \$25,707.51.

It was seconded by Councilman Smith and approved; In Favor: 5 Opposed: 0

Councilman Becker: Yes Councilman Croucher: Yes 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: 5 Opposed: 0 The meeting was adjourned at 7:22

Recorded and submitted by Toni Johnson, Town Clerk