

Town of Amboy
TOWN BOARD MINUTES

August 17, 2026
Amboy Town Hall-7:00 pm

Present: Holly Humphries- Supervisor
Larry Rayder, Brandy Wheeler, &
Bradner Whaley-Town Board Members
Mary Ann Clark-Town Clerk
Al VanSanford-Amboy Highway
Heidi Tompkins-Tug Hill Circuit Rider
Patti Holst-Legislator
Chris Race-Planning Board Chair & W. Amboy Fire Dept.
Corey Douglas- W. Amboy Fire Dept.

Excused: Sarah Babcock & John Perkins

Also Present- Members of the public.

Call to Order-The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm, by Mrs. Humphries, with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of Minutes-Mr. Whaley made a motion to accept the July 2026 minutes, seconded by Mr. Rayder and carried.

Dept Head Reports:

Fire Dept- Corey Douglas said he didn't have a report ready for tonight, but he would get one to the supervisor very soon. The department has received 249 calls to date. Mr. Douglas also said the car show on August 8th went very well.

Legislator- Patti Holst reported that she didn't have a lot to report. She has been going to a Lot of meetings and is trying to learn as much as she can. She said the county is starting to work on the budget, and the legislature hopes to keep taxes as low as possible.

Highway Dept.- Mr. Perkins was not at the meeting, but Al VanSanford was. He gave the supervisor a quote for a new plow, for the pickup recently purchased. The board members looked it over, and Mr. Rayder made a motion to purchase the plow for \$9,695.84, seconded by Mrs. Wheeler, and carried.

Tug Hill- Heidi Tompkins gave the report from the monthly bulletin. The Oswego County Hazard Mitigation Plan has received conditional approval from FEMA. Terry Bennett, Emergency Management Coordinator, will be reaching out to municipalities by email, and will be available to attend a board meeting to review the plan and answer any questions. The joint fall meeting for NorCOG, and SRCG will be held Wednesday September 30th, 2026, at the Greenview Country Club in W. Monroe. A dinner at that meeting is also being planned. A Town Budget Workshop with Laird Petrie will be held on Wednesday, August 26, 2026, from 6-8 pm, at the Lee Town Hall, in Lee Center, New York. The workshop is free, but registration must be received by Monday, August 24, 2026.

Code Enforcement- No building permits issued, having ongoing inspections for open permits, and has been sending out notices for expired permits.

Planning Board- Chris Race reported that they didn't have a quorum this evening, so a meeting

wasn't held, but he had a sample application for short term rentals that he wanted the board members to look over. Bradner Whaley made a motion to accept the new application, seconded by Mrs. Wheeler and carried.

Dog Control- No report given.

Town Clerk- Took in a total of \$117.00 for July 2026. A check for \$105.00 was given to the supervisor, and \$11.00 was mailed to Animal Population Control in Albany.

Old Business- There was no old business to discuss.

New Business- Mrs. Humphries said that the board has one Resolution that needs to be adopted, **Resolution #6** of 2026, which authorizes multiple budget transfers. (See attached). All board members that were present signed the resolution, along with the supervisor, and town clerk.

Open to the Public- No questions or comments.

Approval of the Bills – Mr. Rayder made the motion to approve General Fund vouchers #128-141, in the amount of \$10,187.65, seconded by Mrs. Wheeler, and carried. Mr. Whaley made the motion to approve Highway Fund vouchers #189-204, in the amount of \$34,553.89, seconded by Mr. Rayder, and carried.

Supervisor's Report- A copy of the monthly supervisor's report and financial reports are available upon request from Holly Humphries, Town Supervisor.

Adjournment-At 7:28 pm, Mrs. Humphries made the motion to adjourn, and all were in favor.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Ann Clark,
Amboy Town Clerk