Village of Pulaski Special Board of Trustees Meeting July 29th, 2025

Members: Mayor Jan Tighe, Deputy Mayor Jeffrey Fowler, Trustees

Melissa Wadkinson, Amy Dobrzynski, and Mark Dobrzynski

A Special meeting of the Village Board of Trustees was held on the 29th of July 2025, at 7:00 PM, in the Auditorium of the Snow Memorial Building, 4917 North Jefferson Street, Pulaski, NY 13142.

Present: Jan Tighe, Melissa Wadkinson, Amy Dobrzynski, and Mark Dobrzynski

Absent: Jeffrey Fowler

Guests: Michael Hoyt

Agenda Item #1: Mayor Jan Tighe called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Agenda Item #2: Melissa Wadkinson made the motion to open the Public Hearing on the CDBG Grant Application to help fund Phase II of the Water Main Replacement Project at 7:01 PM. Amy Dobrzynski seconded the motion, and it passed with all in favor.

Resident Michael Hoyt expressed his support for the application.

The motion to close the meeting was made by Melissa Wadkinson at 7:01 PM and seconded by Amy Dobrzynski. The motion passed unanimously.

Agenda Item #3: Melissa Watkinson made the motion appoint James Sprague as a temporary Village Code Enforcement Officer on the condition that the Village advertises for a full-time Code Enforcement Officer. Mark Dobrzynski seconded the motion, and it passed 4-0.

Agenda Item #4: The Village will apply for reimbursement for the Haldane Center stormwater mitigation engineering study through the grant awarded to the Village by Senator Gellibrand and administered by FEMA. The end date for the grant is September 30, 2025. Because of the delays in the study and negotiations with FEMA on the scope of the project the Village will not be able to complete the work without an extension. The Village has been notified that FEMA is unlikely to award an extension. The Village will apply for other grant funding to complete the physical work later.

Agenda Item #5: Amy Dobrzynski made the motion to adopt Resolution No. 5 of the Year 2025 appointing Mayor Jan Tighe for the position of Fair Housing Officer of the Village of Pulaski until the November elections in which the elected mayor will take over the position. Melissa Wadkinson seconded the motion. The resolution passed with Melissa Wadkinson, Amy Dobrzynski, and Mark Dobrzynski voting yes. Jeffrey Fowler was absent, and Jan Tighe abstained.

Other: The Board agreed to meet August 6, 7 or 8th at 6:00 PM 2025, with the Teamster union representative to negotiate the disagreements, initial where changes were made, and bring the contract for a decision at the regular meeting August 11, 2025.

Agenda Item #6: Mark Dobrzynski made the motion to go into executive session at 7:18 PM to discuss Village employee salaries. Amy Dobrzynski seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

The motion to go out of executive session was made by Mark Dobrzynski at 7:33 PM. The motion was seconded by Amy Dobrzynski and passed 4-0.

The motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Melissa Wadkinson and seconded by Mark Dobrzynski. The motion passed with all in favor.

The next regular meeting will be on Monday August 11, 2025, at 7:15 PM.

Presented & Approved

Jennifer Gibbs Deputy Clerk