

MINUTES OF BUDGET WORKSHOP OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF HUNTER HELD AT 5PM ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2025, AT THE TOWN HALL LOCATED ON RTE. 23A IN TANNERSVILLE, NEW YORK.

Present:	Sean Mahoney	Supervisor
	David Kukle	Councilman
	Raymone Legg	Councilman
	Ernest Reale	Councilman
	Dolph Semenza	Councilman

Corina Pascucci(left 6:09pm) Town Clerk

Others Present:	Lara Hamrah-Poladian	Budget Officer
	Robert Blain	Superintendent of Highways
	Rose Santiago	Code Enforcement Officer
	Ariel Woolheater	Ambulance Administrator
	Plus, all names on attached listing.	

Supervisor Mahoney calls the meeting to order at 5PM with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Budget Officer stated she was called today by the Supervisor who spoke with the Superintendent of Highways and was directed to remove the roller and loader from the budget.

R. Blain states he is willing to forego the roller from this budget.

Discussion held on building fees and possibility of selling town property.

DB5112.41 budget \$225,000

DB5112.4 budget \$120,000

A1620.42 budget \$20,000

A1620.41 budget \$5,000 Renovations

A1990.9 budget \$3,500 Contingency

Justice Court – Budget Officer directed to do a 3% salary for judges despite their submission of 2%. The new hire clerk is to remain at current clerk's salary of \$40,100/year.

A3120.4 Police – Town Board directs the Budget Officer to lower the contractals by 10%.

A4540.4 Ambulance contractals were lowered by 10% to \$81,000 at the last meeting. Town Board directs the Budget Officer to lower this from \$81,000 to \$79,500.

A. Woolheater states she can apply for a grant for the Life Pak.

The Town Board directs the Budget Officer to remove \$12,000(Life Pak) from the ambulance equipment A4540.2 resulting in \$2,000(furniture), adding that the ambulance department will apply for a grant. The contractals were further cut from \$81,000 to \$79,000 by the board.

Discussion held on county-wide ambulance service.

Supervisor Mahoney asks if the Town has received a budget for the Village of Hunter day camp.

L. Hamrah-Poladian states no, it has not been received. She advised the Village Clerk stated we would not be getting a bill by 10/15/25. She is working on this year and last year's billing and reports.

B7310.4 budget \$4,950.

Leave Town Clerk and Tax Collector as submitted.

B8010.41 budget \$17,000

No reductions to: B4010.4, Golden Agers, Historical Society, Memorial, Scenic Byway, Greene Room Players, Stone Carving, Economic/Beautification, A1430.4, A1460.4 and A1110.4 Court

A2610 increase to \$65,000.

A2401 budget \$58,000 interest revenue.

The 10/28/25 Town Board meeting has been rescheduled to 10/30/25 at 6PM due to the lack of a quorum for the 10/28 meeting.

PUBLIC HEARING

Supervisor Mahoney makes a MOTION to hold a Public Hearing on the Preliminary Budget on 10/30/25 at 6:00 PM. Seconded by Councilman Legg.

Ayes -5-

Noes -0-

Supervisor Mahoney makes a MOTION to adjourn at 6:58 PM. Seconded by Councilman Legg.

Ayes -5-

Noes -0-

Corina Pascucci, Town Clerk, RMC

Town of Hunter