

August 15,2023

State of New York
County of Fulton
Town of Oppenheim

Minutes of the Oppenheim Town meeting which was held August 15,2023, held at the Oppenheim Town Hall, located at 110 State Highway 331, St. Johnsville, NY 13452.

Meeting was opened at 6:30, with the Pledge.

Present

Cynthia Breh
Kathleen Montana
Nicholas Vasil
Robert Norris

Supervisor
Councilwoman
Councilman
Councilman

Absent

Gloria Brys
Robert Pierce

Town Clerk
Councilman

Motion was made by Kathleen Montana and seconded by Robert Norris to accept the July 18, 2023 minutes

Public comments- Peggy Booth, Mang Insurance presented health insurance information for the employees. After review of current plan and its increase as well as a comparison of other plans, it was decided to stay with the same, MVP Silver Insurance Plan. . Robert Norris made Motion to stay with said plan, Nicholas Vasil seconded.
It was unanimous.

Robert Norris made a motion, which Kathleen Montana seconded to open the Public Hearing on Local Law # 1 of 2023 regarding solar farm permits, for 15 minutes at 7 :05. A question was asked by a resident and explanation regarding NY State and National Grid regulations were made. Motion made by Robert Norris, seconded by Nicholas Vasil to close hearing at 7:20. Motion was made by Robert Norris to pass Law #1, seconded by Kathleen Montana.
It was unanimous.

Motion by Nicholas Vasil, seconded by Robert Norris to accept Highway Report. It was Unanimous.

Motion by Nicholas Vasil, seconded by Robert Norris to accept Dog Control Officers' Report. It was Unanimous

Motion by Kathleen Montana, seconded by Nicholas Vasil to open the Public Hearing on Local Law #2 of 2023 regarding Firefighters and Ambulance Workers' tax reduction at 7:20. It was explained, 5 yrs of duty required to qualify as well as the choices for deduction. Motion to close hearing at 7:35, made by

Robert Norris, seconded by Nicholas Vasil. Motion made by Robert Norris, seconded by Kathleen Montana to pass Local Law #2.
It was Unanimous.

Motion made by Robert Norris, seconded by Nicholas Vasil to accept Code Officer's Report.
It was Unanimous.

Motion made by Nicholas Vasil, seconded by Robert Norris to accept Bookkeeper's Report.
It was Unanimous.

Motion made by Kathleen Montana, Seconded by Robert Norris to accept Town Clerk's Report.
It was Unanimous.

New Business- again reviewed the new Star Exemption Amounts School 2023-2024, Fulton County

Motion made by Kathleen Montana, seconded by Nicholas Vasil to approve payment of reviewed vouchers. The total for the General vouchers is \$5,089.99 and the total for the Highway vouchers is \$10,173.80.
It was Unanimous

Motion made by Robert Norris, seconded by Nicholas Vasil to go to Executive Session,

Motion made by Robert Norris, seconded by Nicholas Vasil to adjourn meeting at 8:30.

Respectfully submitted,

Lucinda (Janie) Martyniuk