

TOWN OF SCHUYLER FALLS
TOWN BOARD
REGULAR MEETING JULY 1, 2026

Supervisor Smith called the Regular Meeting of the Town of Schuyler Falls Town Board to order at 6:00 p.m.

Member	Present	Absent
Jason Bruno	X	
Martin Perrotte	X	
Vernon Bruno	X	
Timmy Aubin	X	
Kelsi Russell	X	
Darren Seymour	X	
Nick Bracy	X	

PUBLIC RECOGNITION:

All board members have been provided a copy of the Minutes of the Town Board Meeting April 1, 2026. Mr. Aubin made a motion to approve the minutes of the June 3, 2026 meeting. The motion was seconded by Mr. Perrotte

AYES: Mr. Perrotte, Mr. Aubin, Mr. Vernon Bruno, Mr. Jason Bruno Mrs. Smith

COMMUNICATIONS: Cassella notified the Town of Schuyler Falls of their open house to be held on July 11, 2026 from 10AM-2PM

MONTHLY REPORTS

Town Clerk, Supervisor, Code Enforcement, Woods Mills Water, Morrisonville Water, Macey Lane, Historian, Recreation, Dog Control

Mr. Vern Bruno made a motion to approve and accept the reports as presented; Seconded by Mr. Aubin.

AYES: Mr. Perrotte, Mr. Aubin, Mr. Vernon Bruno, Mr. Jason Bruno Mrs. Smith

RECEIPTS

Tax Collector/\$0

Town Clerk/\$1,307.60

Macey Lane Water/\$3,412.48

Morrisonville Water/\$13,521.63

Woods Mills Water/\$6,253.57

Judge VanNortwick/\$1,356.00

Judge Smith/\$524.00

CASH RECEIPTS

\$34,411.65	Clinton County Treasurer Quarterly Mortgage Pmt.
\$18.70	Earth Waste Scrap Metal
\$400.00	Ed Garrow & Sons-Field Day Sponsor
300.00	Morrisonville Redemption-T Shirts Youth Dept

Mr. Aubin made a motion to approve and accept the receipts as presented; Seconded by Mr. Perrotte

AYES: Mr. Perrotte, Mr. Aubin, Mr. Vernon Bruno, Mr. Jason Bruno Mrs. Smith.

PLANNING BOARD/ Mr. Vern Bruno made a motion to approve and accept the Planning Board minutes dated June 2, 2026 as presented; Seconded by Mr. Aubin.

AYES: Mr. Perrotte, Mr. Aubin, Mr. Vernon Bruno, Mr. Jason Bruno Mrs. Smith

ZONING BOARD/ No minutes submitted

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

COUNCILMAN/ Mr. Vern Bruno inquired about the current water project that is ongoing. Supervisor Smith will discuss this further with her Supervisor’s Report and Water Department Report

HIGHWAY/ Mr. Seymour expressed he had replaced a culvert today. Brief discussion took place on the matter. He expressed that they are doing ditching and cleaning up brush.

SAFETY/CODES/ Supervisor Smith expressed that the new Codes officer will be taking his test soon and then will be able to do inspections the following week. Further discussion took place on the matter. Mr. Vern Bruno inquired whether the other applicant had been notified that they had hired someone else. It was verified that the other applicant was notified.

TOWN CLERK/ The Town Clerk’s office seems to be slowing down a bit. There have been a lot of requests for marriage licenses for genealogical purposes and REAL ID.

ASSESSOR/ The assessor is waiting to hear back from the Town Board as to how they would like to proceed.

PLANNING BOARD The Town of Schuyler Falls is going back in front of the Planning board for the Salt Storage Shed. There was an error in the press release for the meeting but it has been corrected. Brief discussion took place on its progress and when construction will begin.

DOG CONTROL/ No report given

ATTORNEY/ Mr. Bracy has been providing assistance as needed with various matters. Discussion took place regarding the Casella Host Agreement.

SUPERVISOR/ Supervisor Smith has been busy with various projects. Brief discussion took place on speed limit signs.
WATER/ Morrisonville Water project has been moving along.
HISTORIAN/ Ms. Benkwitt gave an update regarding America 250. Brief Discussion took place on the event.
RECREATION/ Baseball and Softball will be wrapping up soon. Soccer signups are ongoing. The grant for the ice skating rink/skating rink was not received by the town.

OLD BUSINESS/ None

NEW BUSINESS/None

RESOLUTIONS/
RESOLUTION 26-69

MOTION BY: Mr. Aubin
RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Schuyler Falls wishes to hire the following individuals for the position of laborer in the Recreation Department

1. Sierra Geppner
2. Elizabeth Recore
3. Irelyn Ryan
4. Frank Trudeau

The laborers will be paid an hourly rate of 16.00

SECONDED BY: Mr. Vern Bruno
DISCUSSION: Discussion took place regarding the applicants

ROLL CALL	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Martin Perrotte	X			
Vernon Bruno	X			
Timmy Aubin	X			
Jason Bruno	X			
Mindy Smith	X			

RESOLUTION 26-70
MOTION BY: Mr. Vern Bruno
RESOLVED that, the Town Board of the Town of Schuyler Falls wishes to adopt the NYAOT Bill of Rights.
SECONDED BY: Mr. Jason Bruno
DISCUSSION:

ROLL CALL	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Martin Perrotte	X			
Vernon Bruno	X			
Timmy Aubin	X			
Jason Bruno	X			
Mindy Smith	X			

RESOLUTION 26-71
MOTION BY: Mrs. Smith
RESOLVED that, the Town Board of the Town of Schuyler Falls acknowledges and accepts the request of the Schuyler Falls Cemetery for payment in the amount of \$2,200.00 for the purpose of groundskeeping of the cemetery for the 2026 Season
SECONDED BY: Mr. Aubin
DISCUSSION:

ROLL CALL	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Martin Perrotte	X			
Vernon Bruno	X			
Timmy Aubin	X			
Jason Bruno	X			
Mindy Smith	X			

RESOLUTION 26-72
MOTION BY: Mr. Aubin
RESOLVED, that, the Town Board of the Town of Schuyler Falls acknowledges and accept the request of the Highway Department to bid for a furnace for the Highway Garage. The Town Clerk and Highway Superintendent will collaborate to write up the advertisement for the newspaper which the Town Clerk will then advertise.
SECONDED BY: Mr. Perrotte
DISCUSSION: Discussion took place regarding the purchase of a furnace. Mr. Bracy expressed that Mr. Seymour can spend money if it is in his budget, sometimes without board approval.

ROLL CALL	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Martin Perrotte	X			
Vernon Bruno	X			
Timmy Aubin	X			
Jason Bruno	X			
Mindy Smith	X			

MOTION BY: Mr. Vern Bruno

SECONDED BY: Mr. Aubin

DISCUSSION:

ROLL CALL	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Martin Perrotte	X			
Vernon Bruno	X			
Timmy Aubin	X			
Jason Bruno	X			
Mindy Smith	X			

MOTION BY: Mr. Vern Bruno

SECONDED BY: Mr. Jason Bruno

DISCUSSION:

ROLL CALL	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Martin Perrotte	X			
Vernon Bruno	X			
Timmy Aubin	X			
Jason Bruno	X			
Mindy Smith	X			

General Abstract for June: \$55,343.25

Highway Abstract for June \$21,084.13

Audit Only for June: \$4,306.13

Capital Projects Abstract for June: \$56,434.70

Woods Mills Water for June: \$1,658.34

Morrisonville Water for June: \$13,544.51

Macey Lane Water for June: 773.54

Lighting District Abstract for June \$2,793.18

Fire District Abstract for June: \$0

Ambulance District 1 for June: \$0

Claims: (#202600870-202600983)

Payroll Claims: (#202600819-202600833)

(#202600850-202600869)

Audit Only: (#202600834-202600849)

The Board entered executive session for compaction issues and lack of project management on an ongoing project. The board entered into executive session at 7:15PM.

The board returned from executive session at 7:50PM.

PUBLIC FORUM:

Regular Meeting	Wednesday July 1, 2026	6PM
Work Session	Wednesday July 8, 2026	6PM
Work Session	Wednesday July 22, 2026	6PM

ADJOURNMENT Mr. Perrotte made a motion to adjourn, which was seconded by Mr. Aubin, and was **UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED. ADJOURNMENT 7:30PM.**

Kelsi Russell, Town Clerk