Present: Mayor Baker, Trustee Tartaglia, Trustee Cristelli, Trustee MacPherson, Trustee Hoskins

Staff: Clerk/Treasurer Lisa French

Guests: Vince Spruill, Denise Singlar, Representing Prospect Cemetery - Dawn Williams, Becky Leidy, Vicky Hood. They went to NYS Cemetery Association meeting and learned of the Municipal Law 291 that the town and villages can help the cemetery with snow removal from sidewalk. Mayor Baker will research the law, speak with the Town of Sidney, and get back to the Cemetery board with ideas for possible solutions.

Mayor Baker opened the meeting at 7:00pm.

Trustee Tartaglia mentioned the owner of Fairway Lawns is Mike Branham, not Mark Gnanon.

Trustee Tartaglia moved, Trustee MacPherson seconded the motion adopting the October 10, 2023, minutes as written. 5 Ayes, 0 Nays, Carried.

Mayor Baker – reminder Halloween Trick or Treating will be on Tuesday Oct 31st from 5 – 8:30pm. Need to decide on the Small Towns Connects electronic media, will discuss with Chamber and mayors attending Four Town Forward, how they handle the cost. Table decision to continue subscription till next meeting.

Water shut-off notices going out this week, all accounts 2 or more quarters behind, will give residents a week to make payment before shutoffs begin.

Trustee Tartaglia moved; Trustee Cristelli seconded the motion approving Contractor’s Application for payment No. 4A-4 to Ti-Sales in the amount of $10,290.40. 5 Ayes, 0 Nays, Carried.

Other Business - Police dog Riggs scored $7,000 drug bust. Grant from O’Connor Foundation, Delhi $25,000 for Canine Car. 10 Smith Street first level tenants have been evicted, working on 2nd floor tenants processing for eviction. River and Main Street bump-out removed, will look at Main & Division St. bump-out. Mower at airport, needs repair or replacement. $15,000 to repair and over $100,000 to replace. DPW needs to buy salt sander, did not budget for purchase, worked with the Finance committee to

Trustee Cristelli moved, Trustee Tartaglia seconded the motion authorizing the Clerk-Treasurer to pay the Abstract #8 dated October 23, 2023, from the following funds:

**Fund Audit**

General $ 105,331.74

Water $ 5,284.26

Sewer $ 7,380.52

Community Development $ 15,525.50

Trust & Agency $ 1,405.52

Capital $ 11,055.40

**Totals $ 145,982.94**

5 Ayes, 0 Nays, Carried.

Trustee MacPherson moved; Trustee Cristelli seconded the motion to go into Executive Session Personnel contract negotiations at 7:55pm to discuss personnel. 5 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 Absent, Carried.

Trustee Cristelli moved, Trustee Hoskins seconded the motion to leave Executive Session at 8:54pm. 5 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 Absent, Carried.

Trustee MacPherson moved, Trustee Hoskins seconded the motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:55pm. 5 Ayes, 0 Nays, Carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lisa A. French, Village Clerk/Treasurer