

**SPECIAL BUDGET MEETING-DAY TOWN BOARD
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A SPECIAL BUDGET MEETING of the Town Board of the Town of Fay, County of Saratoga State of New York, was held in Day Town Hall, 1650 North Shore Rd Hadley, NY 12835 on November 6, 2024.

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Harry Brennan at 7:00pm with the following answering roll call: Councilman George Lembo, Councilwoman Cheryl Allen, Councilman Joseph Flacke, Supervisor Harry Brennan and Highway Superintendent Leonard Allen.

Supervisor Harry Brennan explained we are here to discuss a possible change in the budget.

Highway Superintendent Leonard explained that in the budget he would like to move \$25,000. From DA5197.2.1 bucket truck to DA5197.2.2 1 ton pickup sander & plow under Highway Equipment & Capital Outlay on page 10 of the budget. Highway Superintendent Leonard Allen explained that he did some research with Ford for a 1 ton pickup and an estimated price will be around \$90,000. Leonard stated 4 years ago it cost \$55,000 for the 1 ton they have, so that's how much the prices increased. Leonard said he did get a trade in amount for the 1 ton the town currently has and was told about \$32,000. for a trade in value. Leonard said he will be looking into a few more places.

Motion, made by Councilman Joseph Flacke, 2nd by Councilwoman Cheryl Allen to move the \$25,000. From DA5197.21 into DA5197.2.2

Ayes: Councilman George Lembo, Councilwoman Cheryl Allen, Councilman Joseph Flacke and Supervisor Harry Brennan.

Carried: 4-0

Public Input:

Debbie Lloyd asked what the traffic control was for on the budget. Town Clerk, Tracy Ladd explained it was road signs, cones and things like that.

Danny Allen Jr asked Highway Superintendent Leonard Allen what kind of bucket truck he expects to buy for \$50,000. if he drops it \$25,000. Leonard explained that he may drop it even more. Leonard stated he plans on purchasing something used but better than the one they have now. Leonard said he has been looking around for a used bucket truck as well and he is finding some for \$25,000-\$35,000.

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George Lembo let Debbie Lloyd know that he didn't forget about the signs for the lake, he will be looking into them.

Jean Hennessy said she noticed the refuse and garbage charges on page 8, A2130 under revenue Refuse & Garbage Charges decreased and was wondering what it was for. Town Clerk, Tracy Ladd explained she believes it's the recycling permit fees, it went from \$20.00 in 2023 to \$10.00 in 2024. Jean asked if there was anything else the town can change for. Councilman George Lembo said it would be nice to bring in more money but there are a lot of people in town that it could hurt a bit. George said the town encourages people to recycle, and if you double the permit fee it's more likely for things to be thrown on the sides of the roads and in our lake.

Cheryl said she feels dropping the permit fee worked, she hasn't seen as much garbage on the roads like she used to.

Councilman George Lembo stated Saratoga County is the lowest tax county in the State and we are the 2nd lowest tax town in the State.

Supervisor Harry Brennan stated the next board meeting will be Tuesday November 12th at 7:00pm.

Motion, made by Councilwoman Cheryl Allen, 2nd by Councilman George Lembo to adjourn the special budget meeting at 7:12pm.

Tracy Ladd
Town Clerk