## TOWN OF FREETOWN 2369 McGraw Marathon Rd Marathon, NY 13803 May 8, 2024

The regular monthly meeting of the Town Board of Freetown, NY was held on May 8, 2024, at the Town Hall. Supervisor Crystal Clough, called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

**Present:** Crystal Clough, Town Supervisor

Ward Fox, Councilperson

Lisa Grinnell, Councilperson -Absent

Dylan Barber, Councilperson Daniel Tillotson, Councilperson

Recording Secretary: Serina Ingrahm, Town Clerk

**Others Present**: Brian Turner (recycling Attendant), Amanda Barber, Marcus Chilson, John Slocum, Patty Zering, Kc Alnutt

**Monthly reports** from the Town Clerk, Justice, and Highway Dept. were received and reviewed by the Town Board.

**Motion 25:** Made by Supervisor Clough and seconded by Councilperson Grinnell to accept the minutes for April 2024.

**Votes**: Councilpersons: Daniel Tillotson Aye

Lisa Grinnell: Absent Ward Fox: Aye Dylan Barber: Aye

Supervisor: Crystal Clough: Aye Passed

## **OPEN FLOOR:**

The Town Clerk asked about having both caucuses this year. Supervisor Clough said she is working on it.

## **HIGHWAY DEPT:**

Due to its condition and weight limits, Pine Hill Bridge is due to be closed down by New York sometime this summer. Freetown will need to apply for a grant to help with funding.

**NEW BUSINESS**: A fine was posed to Freetown for not properly getting a permit from NYS on our recycling trailer. Donald Armstrong suggested paying the fine of \$1,250 to New York State. Councilperson Barber was getting feedback on maybe doing more than a yard sale and possibly having a corn hole tournament or car show for future community sales. The board will

consider it. The Town Clerk will add to the newsletter to see if there is any interest in coordinating a community event in conjunction with our yard sale please contact Patti Zering. No decision has been made on the Narcan Box.

**Motion 23:** Made by Councilperson Fox and seconded by Councilperson Tillotson to accept the fine from NYS of \$1,250.00 for not having the proper paperwork to operate the recycling trailer for 2023.

**Votes**: Councilpersons: Daniel Tillotson Aye

Lisa Grinnell: Aye Ward Fox: Aye Dylan Barber: Aye

Supervisor: Crystal Clough: Aye Passed

**Motion 24:** Made by Supervisor Clough and seconded by Councilperson Fox to approve paying bills from the following accounts. Vouchers 51-55.

(A) General \$ 1,953.32 (DA) Highway \$ 3,478.99