November 8, 2018 Town of Afton County of Chenango

Present at the Regular Meeting were Supervisor J Lawrence, Council men R Tallmadge, C Warren, J Baciuska, Highway Superintendent L Shultis, Assessor S McIntyre, DCO A Cross, D Smith Absent C Tallmadge.

Visitors Hon. P Wylubski, R Cross, B James.

Bills were audited and ordered paid as follows:

General Fund Claims #245-263 Totaling \$5836.53 as shown on General Fund Abstract # 11 dated November 8, 2018 and

Highway Fund Claims #123-137 Totaling \$21849.59 as shown on Highway Fund Abstract # 11 dated November 8, 2018

Regular meeting called to order at 7 pm with the salute to the flag

Motion to approve minutes of October 22, 2018 regular meeting made by J Baciuska seconded by R Tallmadge approved

Motion to pay bills and claims made by C Warren seconded by J Baciuska Approved

Communications

Letter from the Historical Society

Letter concerning the Combining of Vital Statistic numbers 0829 Village and 0850 Town into one District 0850 approved by NYS.

Committee Reports

Assessor Reports things are on the regular path for this time of year.

Financial Reports Distributed

Justice Report Distributed

Sanitation Report no activity at this time Home on the corner of 41 and 17 being cleaned up by Bank

Highway Report The trucks are being prepared for winter weather. Ditch cleaning being done as weather allows. The paver has been repaired and ready for next summer. Superintendent wishes to encumber \$54000.00 from DA 5130.2 and add it to next years budget line to enable the possible purchase of a truck to replace the yellow truck. Motion to encumber the amount of \$54000.00 in line DA5130.2 and add to the 2019 budget line DA5130.2 for the replacement of equipment made by R Tallmadge seconded by C Warren Approved

DCO Report Distributed

Building Report Middle light on front of building timer needs to be adjusted does not stay on long

enough.

Animal Response Team Bank account being charged by Bank \$10.00 for inactivity fee. Supervisor Lawrence to look into what can be done with the bookkeeper, to be discussed next month Motion to table made by R Tallmadge seconded by C Warren Approved.

Old Business

Delhi Telephone Co no contact by DTC at this time on franchise agreement.

Chenango County SPCA Agreement that was tabled at the October meeting revisited Motion to approve the Contract between the Town of Afton and the Chenango County SPCA made by J Baciuska seconded by R Tallmadge Approved

New Business

Motion to open the public hearing on the 2019 Town of Afton Preliminary Budget made by R Tallmadge seconded by J Baciuska approved

Motion to close the Public Meeting made by R Tallmadge seconded by C Warren Approved

Motion to Approve the 2019 Town of Afton Budget made by C Warren seconded by R Tallmadge Roll Call as follows

Absent C Tallmadge

Ayes J Lawrence R Tallmadge C Warren J Baciuska

Budget passes

**Recognition of Visitors** 

Motion to adjourn at 9:20 pm by R Tallmadge seconded by C Warren Approved

Respectfully Submitted by

Rosemarie A Klatz Clerk of the Board Nays