

The regular monthly meeting, of the Town Board of the Town of Livingston, County of Columbia, and the State of New York was held at the town hall, 119 County Route 19, Livingston, NY on the 11th day of September, 2025.

Present: Supervisor James Guzzi

Deputy Supervisor Will Yandik

Councilperson William Bender

Councilperson Phil Massaro

Councilperson Fred Conte

Supervisor Guzzi opened the meeting of the Town Board with the pledge to the flag, at 7:00 p.m.

Resolution # 98

Motion to approve the August monthly minutes

A motion was made by Councilperson Conte, seconded by Councilperson Massaro to approve the minutes of the August monthly town board meeting.

Votes: 5 Ayes, 0 No

Communications: Supervisor Guzzi presented the tentative 2026 Town Budget to the Town Clerk

Supervisor's Report

The following reports were read by Supervisor Guzzi:

Town Supervisor

Town Clerk- Total local shares remitted to town of \$ 10,048.18 for August

Highway- Mowed road sides and lawns, ditching culverts and shoulders on Cold Spring Rd., drag box blacktop on Pine and Parker Rds., blacktop culverts on Orchard Rd. and Schuderhook Rd.

Building Dept- 7 permits, 0 C/O, 13 Abstract C/O's, 0 Mobile Home. 0 Fire Violations, 0 Fire Inspections, 0 Alarm registration, 0 wedding, 0 special event, 1 misc. \$ 4501.84 month-Total for 2025 \$ 23,498.42

Dog Control- 7 calls for August

Assessor-23 hours, 8 in office meetings, 6 parcel transfers, 0 building permits processed, 16 phone calls/ emails, 0 exemptions, 4 file/map maintenance, 0 Splits/mergers, 0 valuations, 0 address changes, 0 escrows, Preparing for SCAR hearing for Aventine properties.

Resolution # 99

Motion to approve the monthly reports as read

A motion was made by Deputy Supervisor Yandik, seconded by Councilperson Massaro to approve the August monthly reports as read.

Votes 5 Ayes, 0 no

New Business

Jim Campion gave an update on the County Hazardous Mitigation Plan that he has been working on for the town with Columbia County. It's in the final stage of the draft.

Resolution # 100

Motion to approve the Town Board adopting the Columbia County Multi Jurisdiction Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan-revised June 2025.

A motion was made by Councilperson Massaro, seconded by Councilperson Conte to approve the Town Board adopting the Columbia County Multi Jurisdiction Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan-revised June 2025

Votes 5 Ayes, 0 no

Supervisor Guzzi thanked the Rec Park Association committee for donating gutters for the pavilion. Donna Lynk Campion also thanked Rec Park director Renee Grzeskow for her great work with the children's summer program this year. Her son, Gabe, gave a presentation on the work he did with his grandfather at the park, on the barbecue pit, redoing the masonry. The project was part of his community service for the Junior Honor Society. Fred Conte said there the rentals are picking up with 12 so far and 14 non-profit ones to date this year. The children's Halloween party will be on Sunday, October 26th from 2-4 pm.

Steve Blair gave an update on North Twin lakes as the season winds down This year went well, with a majority of the attendees being residents of the town.

The budget workshop for the 2026 town budget is set for Wednesday, October 15th at 6:30 pm at the Town Hall.

Supervisor Guzzi relayed that Northern Dutchess Ambulance has been sold to another company, Empress, which is based out of Westchester. He has tried to reach out to them, but has not received a call back yet. A discussion ensued about the state of the ambulance companies within the County.

Building Dept. Manager Jermey Steuhl proposed to the Town Board, changes to the building Dept. office hours. He would have hours on Mondays from 1-6 pm and then by appt. only the

rest of the week, with the public being able to schedule an appt. online if they wanted to. The office assistant hours would remain the same. Hours would be on a Tuesday, if Monday was a holiday and the office was closed. He felt the new hours should be beneficial to the dept. The board members gave the okay for the changes.

Committee Reports

Buildings- no report

Senior Citizens Advisory Council- no report.

Planning and zoning- no report

Ethics- no report

Highway- as per the supervisor's report

Communications- no report

Office Support- no report

Historian- Historian Gatti said they have been working on genealogy with 6 families and going to the Columbia County Clerk's office going through old deeds.

County Environmental Management- no report

Emergency Management- no report

Special Projects- no report

Twin Lakes: no report

Audit Committee:

Resolution # 101

Motion to pay bills

A motion was made by Councilperson Massaro, seconded by Councilperson Bender to pay the bills as presented.

49-54 Highway # 312-343 General

Vote 5 Ayes, 0 No

Public Comment

None

Resolution # 102

Motion to adjourn the meeting

A motion was made by Councilperson Bender, seconded by Councilperson Conte, to adjourn the meeting.

Vote 5 Ayes, 0 No

The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Tammy Molinski,

Town Clerk