

The Town of Crown Point held a Regular Town Board Meeting Thursday August 21, 2025

Members present: Supervisor Charles Harrington, Councilperson John Wayman, Councilperson Walter Worth, Councilperson Tara Peters

Members absent: Councilperson Sherlene Barrows

Others present: Kama Ingleston Town Historian, Bruce Burns Highway Superintendent, Gary Allen Water Wastewater Superintendent, Roy Cutting, Christopher Spaulding, Clayton Menser

Supervisor called meeting to order at 6:00 PM

Pledge of Allegiance

Supervisor introduced Dan Kelleher President of ROOST, Regional Office Of Sustainable Tourism.

Mr. Kelleher provided the Town with a program explaining the purpose of ROOST to Essex County through Tourism. Their mission is to enrich the lives of community members economically and socially by managing and diversifying the Tourism Economy. Since 2012 ROOST has helped add nearly \$528 Million in Annual Visitor Spending in Essex County. 64% of Residents want more tourism and lodging facilities in the Champlain Region. The Champlain Region area is considered by the Seven Towns Bordering Lake Champlain. Except Elizabethtown and Lewis. Schroon Lake and Etc. are considered the Champlain Hub.

Minutes

C. Peters made the motion to accept and place on file the Minutes of June 26, 2025 and July 16, 2025. C. Worth second. All aye. Motion carried.

Communications

Erica Foley @ tax.ny.gov

Champlain Bridge 5K

HOPE, Essex County Dept. of Social Services

Office of Children and Family Services

Jonathon Murray, Solar Dollar Credits

Resume, Letter of Interest Cindy Bodette

C. Peters made the motion to accept all Communications and place on file. C. Worth second. All aye. Motion carried.

Committee Reports

Water

Currently 24 meter pits have been installed in District 2. Seven significant leaks were discovered should increase next billing period.

All meter pits and interior meters have to be complete by December 2026.

Question on leaking hydrant near the Ingleston home on 9n&22 and leaking hydrant located on Sugar Hill, these hydrants keep the system from exploding. The hydrant on 9n&22 is the end of the line and water could cause stagnation and reduce water quality.

Wastewater

System is working correctly at this time.

Highway

Four FEMA Projects have been closed out.

Furnace Road Box culvert waiting Engineer to review.

ACAP Project coming to an end.

Waiting for price quotes for next year paving.

Would like the fire trucks to clean out the culverts.

Library

All seems to be running efficiently .

Senior Citizens

Monthly trips are being taken

Monitor Bay

Electrical Project have moved on.

Supervisor and Town Clerk Reports

C. Wayman made the motion to accept and place on file. C. Peters second. All aye. Motion carried.

Question on Highway Union and Budget effect. To be discussed in executive session tonight.

The Blue Star sign and area out by Visitor Center is in need of maintenance. Permission has to come from DEC.

The Town Maintenance person may be able to assist with.

Minutes

C. Wayman made the motion to dispense with the reading of the Minutes. C. Worth second. All aye. Motion carried.

Payment of Bills:

C. Peters presented to Supervisor for payment:

General Fund	\$	43,774.32
Highway	\$	362,575.91
Water 1		2,214.73
Water 2		45,020.00
Sewer		1,974.61
Youth Commission		1,814.10

C. Worth second. All aye. Motion carried.

C. Peters made the motion to enter into Executive Session to discuss negotiations. Time 7:01 PM .C. Worth second. All aye. Motion carried. C. Wayman made the motion to enter back into Regular Session. Time 7:26 PM. C. Peters second. All aye. Motion carried.

Adjournment:

C. Peters made the motion to adjourn. C. worth second. All aye. Motion carried.

Time:

7:30 PM

Attest to:

Linda L. Woods

Town Clerk