

Town of Rodman  
12509 School Street  
Rodman, NY 13682  
Town Board Meeting  
July 9, 2025  
7:00 PM Scheduled

A scheduled meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Rodman, County Jefferson and the State of New York was at the Rodman Highway Department, 12509 School Street, Rodman, NY on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2025.

<b>PRESENT:</b>	Lisa Worden	-----	Supervisor
	Daniel Grandjean	-----	Councilman
	Vance Carpenter	-----	Councilman
	Stuart Tamblin	-----	Councilman
	Micheal Gaylord	-----	Councilman
	Dale Tamblin	-----	Highway Superintendent
	Jamie Ackley	-----	Town Clerk
	Amy Simpson	-----	Town Justice-Absent
	Andy Ondrasek	-----	Town Zoning Officer-Absent
	John Stinson	-----	Planning Board Chairman
	Linda McConnell	-----	Library Manager-Absent
	Karen Shaw	-----	Town of Rodman Assessor
	Ben Millard	-----	Building & Grounds

Supervisor Lisa Worden called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm, at the Rodman Highway Department.

**PRIVILEGE of the FLOOR-** None.

Councilman Vance Carpenter made a motion to approve June's minutes; Supervisor Lisa Worden stated seconded the motion. All were in favor.

**DANC REPORT** – Shawn Thorton, General Manager, Solid Waste Division of Development Authority of the North Country (DANC), submitted a report for the month of June.

DANC received a total of 1,849 scale transactions, totaling 24,700.58 tons of material for June.

DANC diverted approximately 21,126.87 tons of waste from landfill this year.

There was 1,108,311 gallons of leachate hauled to the Watertown Treatment Plant in the month of June. The City of Watertown accepted 127 loads.

There were 34,955 gallons of leachate hauled to the City of Ogdensburg Treatment Plant in the month of June. The City of Ogdensburg accepted 4 loads.

DANC has recorded 4.16 inches of rain for the month of June.

Open House will be August 28, 2025 from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm.

**CTHC REPORT**—Denali Dietrich, Circuit Rider for Tug Hill Council (CTHC), submitted a report for the month of June. (See attachment)

**Supervisor's Financial Report** – Supervisor Lisa Worden submitted a Monthly Report of Receipts and Payments for June, it was read and filed.

**Town Zoning Officer's Report**- Zoning Officer Andy Ondrasek submitted a report for the month of June.

**Town Justice Report**- Judge Amy Simpson submitted a report for the month of June. Judge Amy Simpson presented the board with a check in the amount of \$1,433.00 for the month of June.

**Town Clerk's Report**- Jamie Ackley, Town Clerk, submitted a report for the month of June.

Town Clerk Jamie Ackley submitted the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation Report for the month of June.

Town Clerk Jamie Ackley submitted the paid and unpaid 2025 water collection to the board.

**Highway Superintendent Report**-Superintendent Dale Tamblin submitted a report for the month of June.

**Library Report**-No report was Submitted.

Library Manager Linda McConnell reported they have passes to the MOST in Syracuse, two passes to the 2025 Explore Outdoors which can be used at the Syracuse zoo, Beaver Lake Nature Center, Jamesville Beach Park & Oneida Shore parks and Pratt's Fall Park. You can reserve the passes by contacting the Town of Rodman Library.

**Planning Board**-Planning Board Chairman John Stinson, stated there are two preapplications that are under review. One is located on County Route 69, East Rodman and the second on Pork Hill Road. (See attachment)

**Assessor**-Interim Assessor Karen Shaw stated the final roll is complete and submitted for the Town of Rodman. Mrs. Shaw has asked the town board to consider appointing her as Town of Rodman Assessor in September.

**Buildings & Grounds**- Ben Millard stated would like to change the outside bathroom door with a more commercial door. All agreed.

Mr. Millard stated the playground slide and the climbing wall needs to be replaced. All agreed.

**Comprehensive Plan-** Supervisor Lisa Worden stated the first draft of the Comprehensive Plan has been sent to the Jefferson County Planning Board for review.

**Local Law (Senior Exemption)-** After some discussion with the town attorney, the town Interim Assessor and board members a Local Law is not needed. The Town of Rodman Board will need a resolution passed by December of 2025. This resolution will give an exemption to anyone in the Town of Rodman over the age of 65. More information will be gathered before a resolution will be finalized.

### **OLD/NEW**

Supervisor Lisa Worden stated the Town of Rodman received the Certificate of Liability Insurance for the Healthy Kids Running out of Carthage, New York. Healthy Kids Running will start in the Fall of 2025 and Spring of 2025. All children are welcome.

Supervisor Lisa Worden stated Town Resident Tim Reynolds reached out to the town asking if he can cut and trim the tree at the East Rodman Cemetery. All agreed.

Supervisor Lisa Worden stated she attended a zoom meeting with Town Clerk Jamie Ackley that was called Textmygov. Textmygov is a company that oversees town wide texting for emergencies. After some discussion the town wide texting is what our town is looking for however we will be seeking other companies.

Town Clerk Jamie Ackley stated she has settled the 2025 taxes with the county. There was no discrepancy this year in the TCS systems. Town Clerk Jamie Ackley will be writing a check in the amount of \$674,290.42 to the Jefferson County Treasurer's Office. Town Clerk Jamie Ackley wrote a check in the amount of \$1,222.21 which is the town's ending fees.

Rodman Town Board entered into executive session at 8:35 pm, for matters leading to discipline of a particular person that needs to be addressed by the entire town board. The executive session ended at 8:48 pm. After exiting the executive session at 8:48 pm the matter that led to the termination of a particular person will be relayed to Town of Rodman's Attorney Candace Randall by Supervisor Lisa Worden.

General and highway bills numbered 209-236 in the total amount of \$121,617.49 were audited and ordered paid for the month of June.

Supervisor Lisa Worden made a motion to adjourn at 8:34 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Jamie Ackley, Town Clerk