

Town of Rodman
12509 School Street
Rodman, NY 13682
Town Board Meeting
December 10, 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 Community Hall Offices, 12509 School Street, Rodman, NY on the 10th day of December, 2025.

PRESENT:	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-Absent
	Linda McConnell	-----	Library Manager-Absent
	Karen Shaw	-----	Town of Rodman Assessor-Absent
	Ben Millard	-----	Building & Grounds-Absent

Supervisor Lisa Worden called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm, with the Pledge to the Flag, at the Rodman Community Hall.

PRIVILEGE of the FLOOR- No one spoke.

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

DANC REPORT –Brian Wohnsiedler, Landfill Superintendent, Solid Waste Division of the Development Authority of the North Country (DANC), submitted a report for the month of November.

DANC received a total of 1,485 scale transactions, totaling 18,653.20 tons of material for November.

DANC diverted approximately 36,674 tons of waste from landfill this year.

There were 1,595,150 gallons of leachate hauled to the Watertown Treatment Plant in the month of November. The City of Watertown accepted 184 loads.

There were 34,906 gallons of leachate hauled to the City of Ogdensburg Treatment Plant in the month of November. The City of Ogdensburg accepted 4 loads.

DANC has recorded 3.36 inches of rain for the month of November.

CTHC REPORT–NO report was submitted.

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

Supervisor Lisa Worden stated the town is looking good as we come to the end of the year. She stated the board will be able to put money into the reverse funds.

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

Town Justice Report- Judge Amy Simpson submitted a report for the month of November. Judge Amy Simpson presented the board with a check in the amount of \$824.00 for the month of November.

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

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

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

Superintendent Dale Tamblin stated in the spring he would like the board to consider building onto the Salt barn in the near future.

Library Report- No report was submitted.

Planning Board- Planning Board Chairman John Stinson submitted a report for the month of November. (see attachment)

Assessor-Supervisor Lisa Worden stated Assessor Karen Shaw held a Senior Citizen Exemption Workshop on December 9, 2025, from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. There was a great turn out and everyone was pleased.

Buildings & Grounds-Supervisor Lisa Worden stated she has responded to the recommendation given after the onsite inspection given by Henry Heever, Senior Risk Control Specialist through NYMIR. Mrs. Worden stated she will be working with Ben Millard in the springtime to resolve some of the issues.

Town Attorney- Supervisor Lisa Worden stated we will be discussing this at January's meeting.

Planning Board- Supervisor Lisa Worden stated the Planning Board Chairman John Stinson has decided he is going to resign from the Planning Board. Also stated Planning Board Vice Chairman Margaret McKay's term has ended and is no longer interested in the position. Lastly, town residents

Travis Sleeman and Connie Grandjean have shown interest in the two open positions. Supervisor Lisa Worden asked the Town Board to appoint James Wheller as Planning Board Member, Planning Board Member Kathleen Tamblin to be Vice Chairman, Travis Sleeman and Connie Grandjean as Planning Board Members of the Town of Rodman Planning Board Chairman. A motion was made by Supervisor Lisa Worden to approve res#12102025-2 which approves all personal changes, Councilman Michael Gaylord seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Comprehensive Plan Update- A Public Hearing was held on December 10, 2025 at 6:30 pm at the Town Hall to present the final draft of the development of the Town of Rodman's Comprehensive plan. After the Public Hearing during the regular Town Board meeting a motion was made by Councilman Stuart Tamblin to approve res#12102025-1 and was seconded by Councilman Michael Gaylord. All were in favor. Supervisor Lisa Worden stated she will be signing all the paperwork needed and the approved Comprehensive Plan will be sent to Jefferson County and New York State.

Disposal of Records- Town Clerk Jamie Ackley asked the Town of Rodman Board to allow her to dispose of records that have met the minimum retention period. After some discussion A motion was made by Councilman Stuart Tamblin to approve res#12102025-3 which approves the disposal of all records that met the minimum retention period, Councilman Vance Carpenter seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Public Hearing- Supervisor Lisa Worden stated the Town of Rodman has to hold a Public Hearing for Charter Communications which will be held at 6:45 on January 14, 2025. All are welcome.

OLD/NEW Business

Supervisor Lisa Worden stated the front door has not been installed due to the wrong door being ordered. Mrs. Worden asked the board to allow Daniel Grandjean to order and install a new front door. All agreed.

Supervisor Lisa Worden stated Monday, December 29, 2025 at 6:00 pm will be the Town of Rodman end of the year meeting.

Supervisor Lisa Worden stated in 2024 that she had resolved the fax line issue at the highway department with frontier. With that being said after 18 months Frontier has now declined the agreement that was made. After some discussion Supervisor Worden asked Frontier for a new invoice and the Town of Rodman has not received the invoice. This matter will be tabled until a new invoice is submitted.

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General and highway bills numbered 385-429 in the total amount of \$62,769.30 were audited and ordered paid for the month of November.

Supervisor Lisa Worden made a motion to adjourn at 8:32 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Jamie Ackley,

Public Hearing Wednesday, January 14, 2025 @ 6:30 PM

Next Board Meeting- Wednesday, January 14, 2025 @ 7:00 PM