Work session / Meeting of the Town of Wilmington Town Board, March 26,2025 Community Center 4:00 PM

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Attending Officers

Favor Smith - Supervisor

Tina Terry-Preston- Deputy Supervisor-absent

Darin Forbes - Board Member

Tim Folios - Board Member

Laura Hooker – Board Member

Dawn Stevens - Town Clerk

Also 10 signed-in residents and 0 remote viewers attending.

The meeting was called to order by Town Supervisor Favor Smith and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

DISSCUSSIONS

The first guest was Karlan Jessen, she was speaking on behalf of the Adirondack Sports Council for 100k/50k race held on June 8,2025. The group will again reimburse the town for work hours for the town crew and mileage on the vehicles. Karlan stated that the event needs community support (volunteers) and the support of Beta. Supervisor Smith would also like to see support from the neighboring communities. They would like to use the Baseball Park for the start and finish of the race this year, this should help with the congestion around Festival Field. The group is hoping to use Festival Field for parking. The complete discussion can be viewed on You-Tube under Town of Wilmington Board Meetings. The discussion led to the following:

Resolution 49-2025

Resolved that the Adirondack Sports Council be allowed to use the Baseball Park for their event this year on June 8, 2025, and Festival Field for parking and the public bathrooms.

Further resolved that there shall be a Quiet Time enacted, and all necessary insurance and permissions are obtained, with copies being given to the Town.

Moved by Laura Hooker Seconded by Darin Forbes Carried all in favor

The second speaker was Amy Langford speaking on behalf of the Wilmington Youth Commission. Amy requested the town sponsor a summer program again this year, she stated the group would also like to increase the summer programs number of days per week. It was also discussed that if additional Summer Staff were added the program could hold additional children. The need for transportation for the children was also discussed. Amy stated again the Youth Group is still looking for additional Board/Committee volunteers.

The final discussion was on Spring Clean-up. Supervisor Smith will be checking on the dates that the Clean-up will be held. He will announce this at a future meeting. Volunteers will be needed for this event.

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The Ironman asked for permission to use the Bill Huber Road for the Annual Event. The Board discussed this, and it was pointed out that not giving them permission would not stop the race since this is the only road they use that belongs to the town.

Resolution 50-2025 Resolved that the Iron Man be given permission to use the Bill Huber Road for the July 20,2025 event.

Moved by Darin Forbes Seconded by Laura Hooker Carried all in favor

The AuSable Fresh Water Center asked the Board to allow them to use the transfer station for their annual clean-up of the river.

Resolution 51-2025 Resolved to allow the AuSable Fresh Water Center to use the transfer station for the Annual River Clean-up.

Moved by Laura Hooker Seconded by Darin Forbes Carried all in favor

Public Comment

The public asked about the trees being cut on the Fox Farm Road on the Rt. 86 side. The Board informed them that one of the properties being cut was not KOA, it was a private individual. The trees the KOA is cutting is to clear an area for the new septic system.

Everyone who wished to speak was allowed to.

At **5:10 Executive session** was called for to discuss matters leading to the appointment, employment, promotion, demotion, discipline, suspension, dismissal, or removal of a particular person.

Moved by Darin Forbes Seconded by Laura Hooker Carried all in favor

At **5:37** the board came out of Executive Session and the meeting was called back to order, there were no decisions made in session.

Resolution 52-2025 Resolved that the Town Board of Wilmington appoint Jessica W Mulvey to the unexpired term of assessor which ends 12-23-2027.

Moved by Tim Follos Seconded by Laura Hooker Carried ALL in favor

The Board Moved to adjourn at 5:42.

Moved by Laura Hooker Seconded by Darin Forbes

Respectfully Submitted,

Dawn Stevens