

Village of Woodridge
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Regular Meeting
October 20,2025

Present: Trustee David Schlesinger, Trustee Sanabria and Trustee Levine via Zoom.
Also Present: Attorney Jeffrey Kaplan, Treasurer Valerie Brown, Clerk Gloria Sanders, Tom Decker, Danielle Ricco, Chief Calvello, Stephen Valastro and Engineer Will Illing.

Trustee Sanabria opened the meeting at 6:01 pm.

A moment of silence was held for Mayor Joan Collins.

Attorney Kaplan discussed the passing of Mayor Collins and the now open position of Mayor. He explained that the law states three remaining Trustees should appoint a new Mayor with the requirement that they are a village resident and be over the age of 18.

Trustee Levine presented a motion to appoint Trustee David Schlesinger as Mayor. This motion was seconded by Trustee Sanabria with the vote as follows:

Trustee Levine- Aye
Trustee Sanabria- Aye
Trustee Schlesinger- Aye

With the appointment of Trustee Schlesinger from Trustee to Mayor, a vacancy opened for a position of Trustee.

A motion to appoint a new Trustee, Yitzchok Wertzberger, was presented by Mayor Schlesinger, seconded by Trustee Sanabria with the vote as follows:

Mayor Schlesinger- Aye
Trustee Sanabria- Aye
Trustee Levine- Aye

A motion was presented by Trustee Sanabria, seconded by Trustee Levine to accept the Minutes of September 15 ,2025 as presented.

Unanimous.

A motion was presented by Trustee Sanabria, seconded by Trustee Levine, to pay bills for October 06,2025 on General Fund Abstract in the amount of \$30,246.43 Water Fund Abstract in the amount of \$25,702.02 and Sewer Fund Abstract in the amount of \$25,023.13.

Unanimous.

A motion was presented by Trustee Sanabria, seconded by Trustee Levine, to pay bills for October 20,2025 on General Fund Abstract in the amount of \$26,025.25 Water Fund Abstract in the amount of \$23,011.97 and Sewer Fund Abstract in the amount of \$104,889.20.

Unanimous.

A Motion to approve the Constellation rates presented by Trustee Sanabria, seconded by Trustee Levine. The term of this contract will be presented at the next meeting.

Unanimous.

A Motion to approve the Mayor signing the RBT contract was presented by Trustee Sanabria, seconded by Trustee Levine.

Unanimous.

The board had questions about the SEQR amendment for Engineer Will Illing. Will explained that the SEQR amendment was an extension of the existing SEQR agreement from 2022.

Motion to approve SEQR amendment presented by Trustee Levine, seconded by Trustee Sanabria.

Unanimous.

No public comment.

Tom Decker reported the pickle ball court was complete. Mr. Decker reported that he is checking into prices on a 1-ton Snow plow truck and will have prices at next board meeting. Mr. Decker reported that they are preparing for winter months.

Attorney Kaplan discussed that the public hearing set for October 6th 2025 was postponed due to the board meeting being canceled on that date. Attorney Kaplan proposed a reschedule date of November 17, 2025 board meeting for a new public hearing for the Spectrum franchise.

Motion for public hearing for the Spectrum franchise to be at the November 17th board meeting at 6:10pm presented by Trustee Sanabria, Seconded by Trustee Levine.

Stephen Valastro discussed hydrant flushes for the week of November 10th to the 14th. Mr. Valastro discussed doing winter preparations for the wells to try to prevent shutoffs during the winter months. Mr. Valastro discussed winter preparations and cleaning for the sewer for the winter months. He also discussed the digester rehab and duck bill replacements.

Gloria Sanders discussed the Justice Court annual records audit for The Unified Court System's Division of Internal Audit services completed by Trustee Sanabria and Trustee Schlesinger on October 15,2025 and October 16,2025.

Ms. Sanders discussed the request of the water department to be present at planning board meetings, when required for extensive project plans. Planning board secretary Danielle Ricco stated that there was a request for the water department to attend these meetings regularly. Stephen Valastro and Will Illing agreed to work that request into a schedule.

Valerie Brown summarized the NYCOM conference that Gloria Sanders and herself attended in September. Mrs. Brown discussed budget modification changes.

Motion to accept the budget modifications presented by Mayor Schlesinger, seconded by Trustee Sanabria.

Unanimous.

Mrs. Brown discussed needing to purchase an upgrade for the pay clock system including new time clocks.

Motion to approve timeclock upgrade purchase presented by Trustee Sanabria, Seconded by Trustee Levine.

Unanimous.

The prices were as follows:

\$1650.00 for the purchase of time clocks, swipe cards and computer application.

\$966.00 yearly service fee

With a total charge of \$2,356.00 to start. Going forward there will only be the yearly charge of \$966.00.

There being no further business, a motion was presented by Mayor Schlesinger, seconded by Trustee Sanabria to adjourn the meeting at 6:36pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Gloria Sanders
Clerk

