**Present:** Supervisor John Francisco, Councilmen Mark Hand, James Schneider, Donald Skinner, Josh Brown, Highway Superintendent Bill Bigelow and Town Clerk Kristine Young

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Francisco at 7:00 pm. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

All votes at this meeting will be taken by roll call.

**Guests:** Gwen Cooper and Shawn Grusendorf from Traffic Safety Board were present. Gwen lives on Feathers Creek Road and Shawn lives on Saunders Hill Road and they are concerned with the speeding on both roads. Gwen would like lines put on her road and speed limit signs. They both had speed data from the Sheriff’s Department which was recorded on both roads. The Town can’t make any changes; the NYS DOT has to be notified by the Town. After some discussion, it was suggested there be bus stop signs put on Saunders Hill Road. Superintendent Bigelow will order them. Supervisor Francisco will contact the state DOT and request help from them. Superintendent Bigelow stated Feathers Creek Road is too narrow for lines to be put on that road.

**Approval of Minutes:** The Board read the minutes of the last meeting. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Councilman Skinner. A second to the motion was made by Councilman Brown. The Supervisor and all Councilmen voted aye. There were no nay votes. The Motion was carried 5-0-0.

**Approval of Abstracts:**  A motion was made by Councilman Brown to Approve Highway Abstract 04 in the amount of $25,016.09 and General Abstract 04 in the amount of $15,063.73. A second to the motion was made by Councilman Schneider. The Supervisor and all Councilmen voted aye. There were no nay votes. The motion was carried 5-0-0.

**Supervisor’s Announcements:**  The Belmont Rotary has again requested the Town/Village to pay for port-a-johns to use during Amity Daze. A motion to pay for the port-a-johns for Amity Daze was made by Councilman Schneider. A second to

the motion was made by Councilman Hand. The Supervisor and all Councilmen voted aye. There were no nay votes. The motion was carried 5-0-0. Supervisor Francisco has looked at a new printer for the office.

**Highway Superintendent’s Report:** Exhibit B. The Highway Department fixed the broom with new bearings, sprockets and bristles, cleaned up plow damage around town, have been cleaning ditches, put a new air tank and shocks on Mack Plow truck. Lawnmowers are ready to use, some trees were trimmed on Ackerman Hill, some millings were screened to fix Old State Road in Belvidere, and plowing was done. One employee has been cleaning up the cemeteries, cutting brush and cleaned up Wilmac Park.

There was discussion about repairs at Wilmac Park. The fabric under equipment needs to be replaced and new rubber or wood chips need to be put down. There was an estimate of $3,000-$5,000. It was suggested to go pick up material instead of paying to have it delivered. Still waiting on garage doors to come in. The far end of Ackerman Hill Road, Eymer Road and Hills Road will be oil and stoned. Councilman Hand will make sure it is compatible with new hardware for internet.

**Old Business:**

**New Business:**

**Round Table**: Councilman Hand finally got a quote from Spectrum for new phones and internet. No date yet for installation.

Councilman Brown stated there must be a medic present before Amity Rescue Squad can transport anyone. If there are no medics, MTS comes to transport. The Town is giving the rescue squad money every year and questions if the money should be going to MTS. The Town will invite the rescue squad to the next meeting.

**Next meeting:** The next regular meeting will be held on May 8, 2023 at 7:00 pm.

**Adjournment:** A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Councilman Skinner. A second to the motion was made by Councilman Brown. All Councilmen voted

aye. There were no nay votes. The motion was carried 5-0-0. The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 pm.

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IN TESTIMONY HEREOF, I hereunto set my hand a affixed the seal of said Town of Amity this 10th day of April 2023.

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Kristine Young, Amity Town Clerk