

At a Work Session of the Malone Village Board, held on June 30, 2021 at 9:00AM at 343 West Main St. the following were present:

Andrea Dumas	Mayor
Norman Bonner	Trustee
Archie McKee	Trustee
Matthew Boyea	Trustee

Excused Absence:

Brian Langdon	Trustee
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Also in attendance:

Kristine Lashway, Village Treasurer  
Rebahka Scaccia, Village Clerk  
Dave Rohe, DANC  
Alex Viola, Telegram

Mayor Dumas called the meeting to order at 9:04am.

**DANC**

- Monthly Report – May 2021

The Village Board reviewed the Monthly Report as submitted by DANC and placed the report on file.

**Chris Labarge**

- Resolution 140-2021 – Support of the Lake Clear Junction to St Regis Mohawk Reservation Recreational Trail Known as the Adirondack Frontier Recreational Trail

**VILLAGE OF MALONE  
RESOLUTION NO. 140-2021**

**RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT THE LAKE CLEAR JUNCTION TO ST REGIS  
MOHAWK RESERVATION RECREATIONAL TRAIL, KNOWN AS THE  
ADIRONDACK FRONTIER RECREATIONAL TRAIL**

**WHEREAS**, trails provide natural, scenic, and recreational value; and

**WHEREAS**, trails are good for the public health of our residents, offering places close to home for physical exercise, mental relaxation, and family recreation; and,

**WHEREAS**, old rail beds, utility line corridors, designated roads, public and private lands provide routes for Recreational Trail use; and

**WHEREAS**, the Adirondack Frontier Recreational Trail will provide access to The Adirondack Rail Trail from Tupper Lake to Lake Placid; and;

**WHEREAS**, the Adirondack Frontier Recreational Trail between Lake Clear Junction and Malone will primarily reside on the old New York Central rail bed which was sold to Niagara Mohawk excepting 6 parcels privately owned representing approximately 45 miles being phase 1; and

**WHEREAS**, the Adirondack Frontier Recreational Trail from Malone to St Regis Mohawk Reservation will require coordination with private/public land owners, local towns, Franklin County Legislature and the St. Regis Mohawk Tribal Council to define the route in subsequent phases adding up to 35 miles; and;

**WHEREAS**, the Adirondack Frontier Recreational Trail will continue to expand and connect communities as their respective Town Council/Board provide supporting resolutions for trail development; and;

**WHEREAS**, the Adirondack Frontier Recreational Trail will focus on safe facilities and maximize separation from vehicular traffic as much as possible to encourage bicyclists, walkers, the physically challenged, other non-motorized users of all ages and restricted motorized to be more active and spend time outdoors, thereby improving their fitness, health and family recreation; and

**WHEREAS**, when communities in other areas of the United States and abroad provide for non-motorized and specific motorized trail options they thrive as places to live and work; and

**WHEREAS**, the Adirondack Frontier Recreational Trail, by offering both residents and tourists access to natural, cultural, and historical sites, will bring health and economic benefits to counties, municipalities, and businesses in the region such as revenues to local economies, healthcare savings, enhanced real estate values, and increased activity; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Malone recognizes the many benefits of trails; and;

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Malone feels that it is in the best interest of the citizens of Franklin County to endorse said project;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Village of Malone Board of Trustees hereby endorses Adirondack Frontier Recreational Trail and will provide technical assistance when available and needed for the duration of the project.

ADOPTED this the 28<sup>th</sup> day of June 2021.

Motion Made By: Trustee

Seconded By: Trustee

Approved By Board of Trustees on: June 28, 2021

**American Legion Empire League Committee**

Trustee Matthew Boyea has been assigned to represent the Village of Malone on this new Committee.

**Treasurer**

➤ **Water Billing Adjustments**

**VILLAGE OF MALONE  
RESOLUTION NO. 143-2021**

**APPROVAL OF REQUEST TO WAIVE PORTION OF WATER SERVICE FEES ON  
ACCOUNTS #404-0; 1072-0; 1079-0; 2778-0**

**WHEREAS**, the above mentioned accounts have been receiving estimated Water/Sewer bills due to a non-working water meter; and

**WHEREAS**, these property owners have paid to replace and install new waters; and

**WHEREAS**, the new meters provided the Village of Malone with an accurate water usage since the time the former meters failed; and

**WHEREAS**, estimated water usage versus the actual usage reading created a hardship for each of the referenced accounts;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:** The Village Board of Trustees has approved the following waivers on the referenced accounts:

Account #404-0 – \$1,335.85 Adjustment

Account #1072-0 – \$188.78 Adjustment

Account #1079-0 – \$496.38 Adjustment

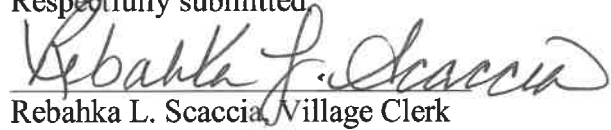
Account #2778-0 – \$3,737.12 Adjustment

Motion Made By: Trustee McKee  
Seconded By: Trustee Bonner  
Approved By the Board of Trustees on: June 30, 2021

**Adjournment**

Motion to adjourn by Trustee Langdon at 10:23AM.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Rebahka L. Scaccia".

Rebahka L. Scaccia, Village Clerk