



TOWN OF SAUGERTIES

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AGENDA

Members of Town Board
Bill Barr
Stephanie Bassler
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TOWN BOARD MEETING

JANUARY 21, 2026

CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PRIVILEGE OF FLOOR:

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: (30 MINUTES)

SUPERVISOR'S COMMENTS:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: -Pre-Board Meeting of 1-7-26
-Town Board Meeting of 1-7-26

APPROVAL OF BILLS:

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS:

BOARD COMMITTEE REPORTS:

MOTIONS & RESOLUTIONS:

Motion-To approve a pay rate of \$27.00 per hour for the following Building Department employee James Bruno-Part-time Building Inspector 1, effective 1-1-26.

Motion-To approve the resolution, as on file, regarding the reconstruction of the basketball court at Jaycee Field.

Motion-To approve the resolution, as on file, regarding the Bristol Beach Trails Project.

Motion-To accept the Retirement/resignation of George Wynkoop from the Highway Department, with his last day of employment being 1/20/2026.

Motion-Authorizing Superintendent of Highways, Raymond Mayone to hire Victor Kosbia as a part time "as needed" plow driver for the Highway Department rate of pay of \$25.00 per hour effective immediately.

Motion-To add to the Ice Arena's Part-Time Call-Out List Dwight Bonn at a rate of \$19.00/hr as per the recommendation of the Ice Arena Director and the Parks and Buildings Superintendent.

Motion-To raise the hourly rate of school crossing guards from \$18 per hour to \$19 per hour, effective 1-26-26.

Motion-To hire Doreen Meyer as a Part-time School Crossing Guard at a pay rate of \$19 per hour, effective 1-26-26.

Motion-To hire Michael Yonta as a Per-diem School Crossing Guard at a pay rate of \$19 per hour, effective 1-26-26.

Motion-To raise the hourly rate of the Discovery Clerk John Tremper from \$30 to \$32 per hour, effective 1-26-26.

Motion-To allow the supervisor to sign a letter of support for Hudsonia to apply for a grant to do water quality monitoring throughout the Lower Esopus Corridor.

Motion-To enter into **Executive Session** regarding the employment history of a particular person.

MOTION TO ADJOURN:

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETINGS:

Wednesday, February 11, 2026	Public Hearing	6:30 p.m.
	regarding the adoption of a local law to amend public hearing notice procedures for the zoning law	
Wednesday, February 11, 2026	Pre-Board Meeting	Following Public Hearing
	Town Board Meeting	7:00 p.m.

Resolution- *Reconstruction of Basketball Court at Jaycee Field*

Whereas, The Town advertised for bids for Contract TSA-261, Reconstruction of Basketball Court at Jaycee Field; and

Whereas, on December 2, 2025 the town received three bids for this Contract, including Base Bid, Bid Alternate and Bid Addition; and

Whereas, the engineer, Brinnier and Larios, P.C. reviewed the bids with Mr. Chorvas and made a recommendation to the Town Board on January 5, 2026; and

Whereas, Carver Construction. Inc of Albany, NY was the lowest responsible bidder for the combination of Base Bid plus Bid Addition No. 1; and

Therefore be it resolved, that Contract TSA-261 be awarded to Carver Construction in the amount of \$116,174.00, said amount includes a \$10,000. contingency allowance; and

Be it further resolved, that a credit of \$8,500.00 will be deducted from the Contract with the Town purchasing and delivering the ITEM 4 subbase to the site.

This resolution was hereby adopted by the Town of Saugerties Town Board on this 21st day of January 2026-

Motion made by:

Seconded by:

Supervisor: Fred Costello Jr. _____aye _____nay

Deputy Supervisor: Leeanne Thornton _____aye _____nay

Councilmember: Bill Barr _____aye _____nay

Councilmember: Stephanie Bassler _____aye _____nay

Councilmember: Mike Ivino _____aye _____nay

This resolution was submitted to a vote and the vote was thereon as follows:

YEAS _____ NAYS _____ ABSENT _____

Lisa Stanley, Town Clerk

Resolution- *Greenway Conservancy Trail Grant Program-Bristol Beach*

WHEREAS, the Town of Saugerties is applying to the Hudson River Valley Greenway for a grant under the Greenway Conservancy Trail Grant Program for a project entitled the Bristol Beach Trails Project to be located in Town of Saugerties,

WHEREAS, the grant application requires the applicant municipality to obtain the approval/endorsement of the governing body of the municipality or municipalities in which the project will be located;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that the governing board of Town of Saugerties hereby does approve and endorse the application for a grant under the Greenway Conservancy Trail Grant Program, for a project known as the Bristol Beach Trails Project and located within this community.

This resolution was hereby adopted by the Town of Saugerties Town Board on this 21st day of January 2026-

Motion made by:

Seconded by:

Supervisor: Fred Costello Jr. ____ aye ____ nay

Deputy Supervisor: Leeanne Thornton ____ aye ____ nay

Councilmember: Bill Barr ____ aye ____ nay

Councilmember: Stephanie Bassler ____ aye ____ nay

Councilmember: Mike Ivino ____ aye ____ nay

This resolution was submitted to a vote and the vote was thereon as follows:

YEAS ____ NAYS ____ ABSENT ____

Lisa Stanley, Town Clerk