

**Town of Gouverneur
Regular Board Meeting
November 11th, 2025 – 6:00pm**

The Town of Gouverneur Regular Board Meeting for November was held on November 11th, 2025 at 6:00pm on the Town of Gouverneur Office Building, 1227 USH 11 Gouverneur.

Attending:

David Spilman Jr
Jay Bowhall
William Infield
Lory Whitton
Curran Wade
Marion Bowhall

Rachel Hunter
Diane Kelley
Michael Wainwright
Ronald McDougall

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Motion- Jay Bowhall 2nd motion- Lory Whitton
Ayes: 5 Nays: 0

- b. FEMA no updates, still working on it.
- c. County road plowing- new agreement with Towns & County to 2026–2027-year contract is \$79,581.00
- d. DEC inspection of our fuel tank- it is recommended to replace.

7. Dog Control- no reports.

8. Code enforcement- Rick Wood present, oral report supplied.

- a. 11 new permits, none for the town.
- b. 5 new complaints, 2 new violations
- c. 2025- 88 permits total, 68 Village, 20 Town.
- d. Looking to set up a bi-annual meetings with both village and town zoning and planning committee.

9. Assessment- no update

10. New Business

- a. Justice reports- no report
- b. Supervisor communications- none
- c. Relevy-
Motion to relevy- \$1,215 *ad valorum* and \$12,024.10 in sewer rents
Motion by: Jay Bowhall 2nd motion- Curran Wade
Roll Call Vote:
David Spilman Jr- Yes
Jay Bowhall – Yes
Curran Wade- Yes
Lory Whitton- Yes
William Infield- Yes

Water Relevy-
Motion to approve relevy of East Side- \$18,742.33 and West Side- \$23,924.90
total \$42,667.23 – Motion by Lory Whitton 2nd motion- William Infield
Roll Call Vote:
David Spilman Jr- Yes
Jay Bowhall – Yes
Curran Wade- Yes
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d. Motion to approve 2026 budget as presented- Lory Whitton 2nd motion William Infield
Ayes: 4 Nays: 0 Abstentions- Jay Bowhall

Motion to include board members in the health insurance portion of employee manual- Lory Whitton 2nd motion- Jay Bowhall
Ayes: 5 Nays: 0

e. Windows 10 no longer being supported. We received a quote from Steel Potter's company (currently using for IT) for 3 new desktops, install and update 9 units- \$4,545.00
Tabled, no decision.

f. Jury Duty- Motion to update employee manual with NYS guidelines for time off for jury duty- Jay Bowhall 2nd motion- Curran Wade
Ayes: 5 Nays: 0

g. New business- none

11. Public Participation- Ronald McDougall gives village update.

12. Motion to pay the bills- Jay Bowhall 2nd motion – Lory Whitton
Ayes: 5 Nays: 0

Motion to adjourn meeting- Curran Wade 2nd motion- Lory Whitton
Ayes: 5 Nays: 0

Meeting adjourned 7:16pm