The Town Board of the Town of Trenton held a Town Board Meeting at the Trenton Municipal Center, 8520 Old Poland Road, Barneveld, New York at 7:00 PM. Present were: Supervisor Michael Bennison, Councilmen Chris Crumb, Eric Taylor, James Farr, James Mills and Town Clerk, Rachel Bunker.

I. Call to Order

Supervisor Bennison called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

II. Pledge to the Flag

III. Privilege of the Floor - Nothing

IV. Resolutions:

A. **Approve May 13, 2026 Meeting Minutes:** Chris Crumb made motion to accept the minutes from May 13, 2026, seconded by Jim Mills, 5 ayes.

B. **Recycling Center Rebuild:** Nothing necessary to be done – Supervisor already had permission to go ahead.

C. Updated Attorney Contract to approve by Resolution: Kate transposed numbers in her contract that she sent us. In the April 22, 2026 Meeting the Board passed paying $15,600.00 but the contract should have read $16,500.00 which was the agreed amount in the Organizational Meeting back in January. Jim Mills made motion to pay Town Attorney the amount of $16,500.00, seconded by Crumb, 5 ayes.

D. **D.C.O. (Dog Control Officer) – Colleen O'Leary:** Supervisor advised that we would like to pay her what Remsen pays her which is $300.00 a month. Rachel advised that she fields phone calls, makes house calls when necessary but does not give us hours and we haven't paid her anything this year. Rachels plans to do a dog enumeration and Colleen will do most of the work for that. Chris Crumb made motion to pay Colleen O'Leary the sum of $300.00 per month for the remainder of this year, seconded by Eric Taylor, 5 ayes. Jim Farr made motion to pay Colleen O'Leary mileage at $.72 per mile, seconded by Crumb, 5 ayes.

V. Priority Issues:

A. BCA Water and Wastewater Projects: Supervisor Bennison advised they met with Bernier, Carr & Associates this week and they need

another $36,000.00 to keep on going with the wastewater project. Jim Farr made motion to pay Bernier, Carr & Associates the sum of $36,000.00 to continue with the wastewater treatment project, seconded by Jim Mills, 5 ayes. Eric Taylor made motion to give permission to Supervisor Bennison to sign Notice of Amendment to continue the Wastewater Project, seconded by Crumb, 5 ayes.

B. Prospect Banners: Bennison advised he got 25 banners for the 250th anniversary of the United States. Keith Koziarz is going to put them up in Prospect. Pat Robinson stopped in and wants smaller banners with the picture of the Prospect Falls. She wanted them by Memorial Day but Bennison advised it will probably be next year.

C. Taylor Mills Replacement: Bennison advised the company that runs the filtration plant in Prospect is Veolia Company. They do it worldwide and also do sewers. Keith knows Ryan Ziobro, who has a Masters Degree in Chemistry and is interested in taking the job. He has an extremely impressive resume according to Chris Crumb. Keith and Taylor have been training someone to do the water testing every day. Will wait for the price to come in from Veolia and then make a decision.

D. Internet Services at Fish Hatchery Town Park: Bennison advised he put that on Leo's shoulder after talking with Tom Zielinski. It**'s** between Starlink and Verizon as to which one will serve our needs. It's mostly for the summer with the concession stand to be able to do debit and credit cards there. Plus we want cameras. Leo is going to recommend which one to go with after talking to Abdoo and Zielinski.

VI. Communications:

A. Next Meeting June 10, 2026 at 7:00 pm

VII. Adjournment: Jim Farr made motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:18 pm, seconded by Chris Crumb, 5 ayes.

Respectfully submitted,

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