

# VILLAGE OF BARKER BOARD OF TRUSTEES

## REGULAR MEETING MINTUES

May 15, 2017 7:00PM



Mayor Aaron Nellist  
Deputy Mayor Janice M. Rider  
Trustee Gregory P. Kerth  
Trustee James Baker  
Trustee Kimberly Ruffini

In **Attendance:** All board members and Clerk-Treasurer Amanda Detschner

At **6:01pm meeting was called to order** by Mayor Nellist by administering the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Set the Village Tax Rate for FY 2017-2018 at \$7.32 per thousand, which equals a levy of \$140,364.89 a decrease of \$1.23 from the Tax Limit set in March 2017 of \$7.35 per thousand** due to an amendment in the Final Assessment Roll for 2016, which increased the Taxable Value by 78,100 due to a parcel that was listed wholly exempt, when it was not supposed to be. The Clerk-Treasurer was not informed of the change by either the Niagara County Department of Real Property or by the Town of Somerset Assessor, Brian Hess.

**Original Tax Rate \$7.35 x 19,097,432= 140,366.12**

**New Tax Rate \$7.32 x 19,175,532= 140,364.89**

A motion to set the **tax rate at \$7.32 per thousand** was made by Trustee Kerth and was seconded by Deputy Mayor. All voted in favor to carry the motion.

**Tax Warrant for 2017-** Authorize the Clerk-Treasurer to collect the tax levy of \$140,364.89, plus \$7,967.08 in unpaid water rents for a total of \$148,331.97. A motion to authorize the Tax Warrant for 2017 was made by Deputy Mayor Rider and was seconded by Trustee Baker. A unanimous vote followed to carry the motion.

No **Public Comment** was offered.

No **Board Comment** was offered.

A motion for **Adjournment was made at 6:04pm** was made by Deputy Mayor Rider and a second was offered by Trustee Kerth. A voted aye to carry the motion.

**Next Work Session meeting will be June 5, 2017 at 6:00pm.**

**Next regularly scheduled meeting will be June 12, 2017 at 7:00pm.**

Respectfully Submitted,

Amanda M. Detschner  
Clerk-Treasurer