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## BELL ELEMENTARY ROLLED DONATED PUMPKINS!

By Windsor School District

More than 100 Bell Elementary students donated food to the school's recent food drive benefiting Windsor Human Development. Students rolled donated pumpkins from the Windsor Central High School Land Lab and Frog Pond Farms down Bell Elementary's driveway to celebrate. Each pumpkin featured the name of a donor. The first pumpkin to cross the finish line belonged to Aurora Libke. She'll receive a gift card to Dave and Busters from Bell's Student Council. Thank you to the Bell maintenance team for helping make the event possible.



### Holiday Bazaar & Bake Sale



**Multiple Vendors  
Lunch Available  
Harpursville United  
Methodist Church  
Saturday December 7,  
2024, 9:00 am – 2:00  
pm  
Visit from Santa Claus  
at 11:30 am**

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## Grocery Bags Decorated by Students!


By Windsor School District

When you go to Schneider's Market this holiday season, you can bring your groceries home in a bag decorated by art students in the Windsor Central School District.

## SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS!




**The Harpursville Central School District Board of Education will hold a regular Board of Education meeting December 11, 2024 in Jr. Sr. High Room 101 at 6 PM.**



**A regular meeting of the Windsor Central School District Board of Education will be held on Tuesday, December 10, 2024 at Windsor High School. The meeting will begin at 6:00 p.m.**

### Windsor Board of Trustees Announcement

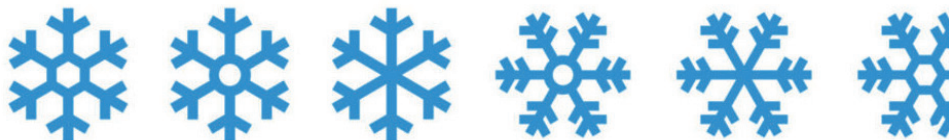
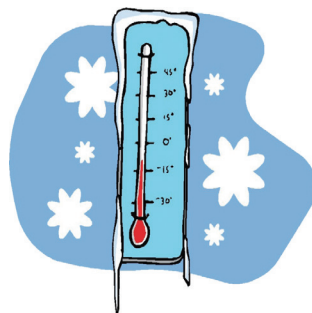
The Village of Windsor, Board of Trustees will be holding a Budget Workshop Meeting on Tuesday December 10, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. at the Community House, located at 107 Main Street, Windsor NY 13865.




## The Great Outdoors

by Rick Marsi

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# Newspaper Edited Public Hearing & Regular Meeting of the Town Board November 6, 2024 7:00 P.M. (Continued From Last Weeks Issue)

SCHEDULE "B"  
STATE OF NEW YORK )

SS:

COUNTY OF BROOME )

On this 6th day of November, 2024 before me personally came Mark Odell, to me personally known, who, being duly sworn, did depose and say that he resides in the Town of Windsor, New York; that he is the Supervisor of the Town of Windsor, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to such instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Town Board of the Town of Windsor and that he signed his name thereto by like order. \_\_Notary Public

STATE OF NEW YORK )

SS:

COUNTY OF BROOME )

On this \_\_ day of \_\_, 2024 before me personally came Mark Bailey, to me personally known, who, being duly sworn, did depose and say that he/she resides in the Town of Windsor, New York; that he/she is President of the Windsor Fire Company, Inc., the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he/she knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to such instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation. \_\_Notary Public

## TOWN OF WINDSOR, COUNTY OF BROOME, STATE OF NEW YORK

### Authorizing a Fire Protection Contract with the Windsor Fire Company, Inc. Resolution #41-2024

PRESENT: Supervisor Mark Odell  
Deputy Supervisor Daniel Colwell  
Councilman Gary M. Hupman  
Councilman Timothy Harting  
Councilman Daniel R. Price

At a Public Hearing Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Windsor, County of Broome, New York, held at the Town Hall, 124 Main Street, in the Village of Windsor on the 6th day of November, 2024, there were OFFERED BY: Councilman Harting

SECONDED BY: Deputy Supervisor Colwell

WHEREAS, there has been duly established in the Town of Windsor a fire protection district known as Windsor Fire Protection District No. 4, embracing territory in said Town as is more fully described in the resolution establishing such district, and duly adopted by the Town Board of the said Town of Windsor on the 15th day of June, 1948, and

WHEREAS, due notice was given that a public hearing was held in the Town Hall at 124 Main Street in the Town of Windsor on 6th day of November, 2024, to consider a contract for the furnishing of fire protection to the aforesaid fire protection district, and notice duly specifying the time and place of the hearing as aforesaid and giving in general terms, the proposed contract having been duly published, and the said hearing having been held at the time and place specified and all persons interested in appearing having been heard, it is hereby RESOLVED, that this action is a non-action under the State Environmental Quality Review Act; and thus, no further review is necessary, and it is further,

RESOLVED, that the Town Supervisor be and hereby is authorized and directed on behalf of the Town of Windsor to execute and enter into such a contract with the Windsor Fire Company, Inc. for the furnishing of fire protection for Fire Protection District No. 4, which said contract shall

be in the form and contain the terms and provisions set forth herein and, in the agreement, annexed hereto and made a part of this resolution.

Said resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Motion Approved

Resolution Adopted: November 6, 2024

### AGREEMENT

Agreement made this 6th day of November, 2024, between the Town of Windsor, Broome County, New York, a municipal corporation located in the County of Broome, and the State of New York, hereinafter called the Town, and the Board of the Windsor Fire Company Inc., organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, and having its principal office in the Windsor, Broome County, State of New York, hereinafter called the Fire Company

### WITNESSETH THAT

WHEREAS, there has been duly established in the said Town of Windsor a fire protection district known as Windsor Fire Protection District No. 4 embracing territory in said Town as is more fully described in the resolution establishing such district, and duly adopted by the Town Board of the said Town of Windsor, and

WHEREAS, this contract shall be subject to a public hearing which with due notice a public hearing which will be held on 6th day of November, 2024 and following which public hearing the Board of the Town is expected to adopt a resolution authorizing this contract with the Fire Company for fire protection to and for Windsor Fire Protection District No. 4 on the terms and provisions herein set forth. NOW, THEREFORE, the Town does hereby engage the Fire Company to furnish fire protection to and for Windsor Fire Protection Districts No. 4 as more fully described and set forth in Schedule A annexed hereto and the Fire Company agrees to furnish such protection to the said areas in the manner following, to wit:

1. The Fire Company shall at all times during the existence of this contract be subject to call for the attendance upon any fire occurring in the two designated areas of the said district and when notified of a fire within the said areas the Fire Company will respond and attend upon such fire without delay and with suitable apparatus and appliances properly manned. Upon arriving at the scene of the fire, the Fire Company and the firemen thereof shall proceed diligently and, in every way, reasonably possible to the extinguishment of the fire and the saving of life and property in connection therewith. Notwithstanding the foregoing, it is hereby mutually understood and agreed between the two parties hereto that the Fire Company, its officers or members shall not be liable for their failure to answer any such alarm or notice of fire as aforesaid if such failure is due to the impassability of the highways, absence of equipment from the community, breakdown of equipment and/or any other cause not within the control of the said Fire Company. The Fire Company further agrees that it will protect the said Town and/or the said Fire Protection District No. 4 from all liability and responsibility by reason of its own breach of and covenants contained within this paragraph.

2. In consideration for the furnishing of aid and the use of its apparatus as aforesaid, the Fire Company shall receive the sum of Ten Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-Six Dollars and Seventy-Two Cents, (\$10,626.72) for each year so long as this contract shall be in effect and the Town

agrees to pay the same on or about the 1st day of March during each year of the term of this contract.

3. All monies to be paid to the Fire Company

4. All Monies paid to the Fire Company under the terms of this contract shall be a charge upon the said Fire protection districts to be assessed and levied upon the taxable property within the districts and collected with the Town Taxes.

5. It is mutually understood and agreed between the parties hereto that the Town by this contract shall assume no control of and or responsibility for the members of the Fire Company or any others employed by them carrying out this contract or any terms or provisions thereof and that the Fire Company enters into this agreement and assumes the responsibilities there under as an independent contractor retaining at all times full and complete control over its own members, over its own equipment and over any other persons employed by the said company on its behalf in carrying out the terms and obligations of this contract. It is further mutually covenanted and agreed between the parties thereto that the Town assumes no responsibility or liability for any damages to the fire apparatus or other equipment of the Fire Company or for any personal injuries or other injuries which may be suffered by the members of the Fire Company or by any other persons under their direction or employ or for any damages to the property of such members or such other persons in the course of carrying out the terms and conditions in this contract, except that, during the existence of the contract, all members of the Fire Company shall be protected under the Volunteer Firemen's Benefit Law of the State of New York and the said members of the Fire Company will engage in the performance of their duties and in answering calls or attending upon or returning from any call pro-

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## Calendar

**Tuesday, December 10, 2024**

**Board of Education Meeting 6:00 PM**  
**Location: Windsor Central High School (Windsor Central School District)**

**Wednesday, December 11, 2024**

**7th/8th Grade Winter Concert at 7:00 PM**  
**Location: Windsor Central Middle School (Windsor Central School District)**

**Friday, December 13, 2024**

**Palmer Holiday Luncheon at 12:30 PM**  
**Location: Palmer Elementary (Windsor Central School District)**

**Saturday, December 14, 2024**

**Weeks Winter Wonderland**  
**Location: Weeks Elementary (Windsor Central School District)**

# HCS descends upon Roberson Museum!

By Harpursville School District



Ms. Fye and Mrs. Hendrickson accompany HCS students to Roberson's 'Home for the Holidays' exhibit November 21, 2024. The exhibit features hundreds of elaborately decorated trees, creative displays, and the International Forest which is a collection of decorated trees and displays that represent the holiday traditions of cultures from around the world. The museum is open extended hours during the holiday season. Perhaps these students - and more - can attend with their friends and families, too!

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## Windsor FFA Floral Class

By Windsor School District

The Windsor chapter of Future Farmers of America (FFA) will present an adult education celebration floral class on December 18th from 6-8pm in the Windsor Central High School Ag Room. Choose your design, and Windsor FFA will help you create it. To reserve your seat, email [tjames@windsor-csd.org](mailto:tjames@windsor-csd.org) or call 607-343-7436.

## Make the Most of Your Leaves

**Make good use of fallen leaves—save them for compost of mulch**

- Mulch your leaves in place. Shred your leaves with a lawn mower and leave them on your lawn. It's faster and easier than raking or leaf blowing and adds nutrients to the soil.
- Add shredded leaves to your garden and landscaping. Shredded leaves can be used as mulch to help prevent weeds and keep moisture in the soil. The leaves will also slowly release nutrients into the soil.
- Save your leaves for composting. Fall allows us to collect and store a great carbon-rich source for our compost pile and that's leaves! Leaves balance out nitrogen-rich materials in your pile like food scraps and grass clippings. One of the biggest challenges to composting food scraps at home is the release of water into your compost pile as the food breaks down. One of the best ways to fix this is to add leaves every time you add food scraps (Compost tip: shredded leaves absorb water better than whole leaves). Learn more about home composting.
- Insulate your compost bin for the winter. Place leaves around and on top of your compost bin. This will insulate your bin and allow the material to continue to break down throughout the winter. In the spring, you will have fresh compost without waiting for your pile to thaw out, and the leaves can be added to your spring compost pile.

## Village of Windsor General Notices

**BOOKS WITH SANTA** on Saturday, December 7th from 1:00 – 3:00 pm. Come and get your picture taken with Santa and receive a special gift. There will be crafts, letter writing and ornaments to make. Enjoy hot cocoa and cookies! Windsor Public Library @107 Main Street in the Village of Windsor. Located in the Community House.

**WINDSOR CHURCHES UNITED LADIES' CHRISTMAS PARTY** on Saturday, December 7th @ 3:00 p.m. at the Zion Episcopal Church located on Chapel Street in the Village of Windsor.

**VILLAGE OF WINDSOR SANTA PARADE** on Friday, December 13th at 6:30 p.m. starting at the Windsor School Bus Garage.

**4 COUNTY LIBRARY BOOKMOBILE** at 107 Main Street on the following Thursdays from 2:45-3:30 pm. on November 14th and December 12th. For requests, please call 607-723-8236 ext.322 or email [nholmes@4cls.org](mailto:nholmes@4cls.org) at least a week in advance of our scheduled stop.

**The Village of Windsor Trustees** will be holding their monthly meeting on Thursday, December 5th at 7:00 p.m. at the Community House located at 107 Main Street in the Village of Windsor.

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Village Office hours are Monday through Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. If you need to get in touch with the Code Enforcement Officer, please call the office and leave your name and number and we will forward it to him. He will get in touch with you soon. (607) 655-2024

## Town of Windsor Announcements

### UPCOMING MEETINGS

--Regular Meeting of The Windsor Town Board  
December 11, 2024 7:00 P.M. Town Hall

### TOWN HALL

124 Main Street Windsor, NY 13865 Phone: 607-655-2023 Fax: 607-655-2027

- Town Court – Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 9am – 12pm
- Assessor – Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 8:30am – 3pm
- Code – Monday – Friday 9am – 12pm
- Town Clerk – Monday – Thursday 9am – 12pm & 1pm – 4pm, Friday 9am - 12pm

Phone: 607-655-2023 Website: [www.windsorny.org](http://www.windsorny.org)



### TOWN HALL HOURS

Mon–Thurs: 9A.M. - 4P.M.  
Friday: 9A.M. - 12P.M.  
Town Hall Closed for Lunch Daily 12P.M.-1P.M.  
Town Clerk's Office is Open 1st & Last Saturday of the Month: 9A.M. - 12P.M.

### TOWN COURT HOURS

Monday - Wednesday 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. Court  
Fax: 607-655-4106



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YOUR PHOTOS ARE WELCOME  
Email to: [editor2@TiersNews.com](mailto:editor2@TiersNews.com)

# JV Windsor Basketball against Unatego (Part 1)

Photos by Chandelle Loren



# JV Windsor Basketball against Unatego (Part 2)

Photos by Chandelle Loren



## Sponsor a wreath Saturday, December 14th, 2024.

We are supporting our Veterans again! This year, National Wreaths Across America day will be held on Saturday, December 14th, 2024. The ceremony will begin at 2PM followed by the placement of wreaths by volunteers, at the following Cemeteries:

Chenango Valley Cemetery Association, Conklin Cemetery, Conklin Forks United Methodist Church, Hawleyton Cemetery, Ingraham Hill Cemetery, Kirkwood Cemetery, Riverhurst Cemetery, Riverside Rural Cemetery, Shawsville Cemetery, Stillwater Cemetery, Vestal Park Cemetery

**WAA Day is a free, non-political, community event open to all people.**

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- BCVMA "Broome County Veteran Memorial Association"
- SAVAGE Funeral Service

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## Harpursville Central School District Board of Education

meeting dates for the  
2024-2025 school year:

- October 9
- November 13
- December 11
- January 8, 2025
- February 5
- March 5
- April 16
- May 7

May 20 budget vote

(1:30-8:00 PM W.A. Olmsted Elementary Gym)  
June 11

## Broome County Dog Shelter: Volunteers needed!

Due to staff shortages at the moment we are looking for new volunteers for dog walking, cleaning and laundry! If you have applied we are working on setting up an



orientation very soon! If you're interested in applying you can come in and fill out

some paperwork or get the application from our website!

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## WINDSOR FARMER'S MARKET NOW OPEN

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Saturday from 9 a.m. till 1 p.m.

## Windsor Farmers Market

The Windsor Farmers Market has been a tradition in Windsor for decades. We offer local farmers, crafters and food processors an affordable venue for selling their products and are a regular Saturday morning stop for many local residents as well as the many out of state campers and tourists who visit our lovely lake and river campsites and tourist attractions. Windsor offers both a summer outdoor market and a winter indoor market so many of our products are available year-round, with many vendors also accepting orders for pickup/delivery outside of market hours. Our vendors accept Farmers Market Nutrition Program and Broome County Veterans coupons.

The market operates on Saturdays from 9am-1pm at the Windsor Community house. June-October the market takes place weekly. November-April the market operates every other week and closes for the month of May. It is managed by Pat Van Housen, Donna Frazier and Susan Symonette.

Contact the market: wfmongreen@gmail.com  
The market can be found on Facebook at: <https://www.facebook.com/WFMatWindsorVillageGreen>



## Windsor Village Office Hours

Monday through Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. If you would like to speak to the mayor, call the Village Office to set up a time.  
(607) 655-2024

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# Town of Colesville News

## Fire District Election

Legal Notice For Fire District Election  
Annual Election of the Town of Colesville Fire District  
#1

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Annual Election of the Town of Colesville Fire District #1 will talk place on December 10th, 2024 between the hours of 6:00 pm and 9:00pm at the Harpursville Fire Station #1 the new building, located on Rte 79, Harpursville, NY for the purpose of electing the following:

ONE (1) Commissioner for a FIVE (5) Year Term

Candidates must submit a letter of intent in writing to the District Secretary at  
P.O. Box 245, Harpursville, NY 13787  
to be placed on the ballot no later that December 6, 2024

William Warren  
Fire District Secretary  
Dated: November 20, 2024

## Harpursville United Methodist Church

HOLIDAY BAZAAR  
Saturday December 7, 9 am to 2 pm

MULTIPLE VENDORS  
WHITE ELEPHANT TABLE  
BAKE SALE SOUP AND SALAD LUNCH  
VISIT FROM SANTA AT 11:30 !  
Sanitaria Springs Fire Station  
Colesville Super Celebration

## Christmas Auction

December 7 @ 4:30 pm  
Food Available

## Win and enjoy

Come Play Every Sunday Afternoon- BINGO  
Harpursville American Legion Promptly at 1 pm for  
an afternoon of fun

## Job Opportunity

The Town of Colesville Highway Department is currently accepting applications for a MEO (Machine Equipment Operator) . A full-time position application can be pick up from the Town Hall or please call 607-693-1174.

## Dept. of Motor Vehicles

DMV Satellite Office is open in Harpursville Tuesdays from 9 am to 1:00 pm closed between 11:30 to Noon for lunch. Walk-ins welcome!

## Recycling batteries

Town of Colesville Has Joined Product Stewardship Institute (PSI). We are asking all residents to become more environmentally responsible by recycling all unwanted household batteries. Please use the drop off box located in the foyer of the Town Hall

## Town of Colesville Offices

Offices for the Town of Colesville are located in the Town Hall at 780 Welton Street, Harpursville, NY. The Town Garage is located across the street from the Town Hall.

**We're Hiring!**

The Windsor Central School District is hiring bus drivers.  
For a confidential interview, contact Chris Durdon at 607-655-8241.  
Paid training for eligible candidates.



## Town of Colesville Offices

The Town of Colesville lies in the northeast part of Broome County and is bounded on the north by Chenango County, on the east by the Town of Sanford, on the south by the Town of Windsor, and on the west by the Towns of Kirkwood and Fenton. The town was formed on April 3, 1821, from the Town of Windsor. Harpursville is the largest hamlet in the town although it is not incorporated.

Colesville derives its name from pioneer Nathaniel Cole, a revolutionary soldier. He settled here in 1795, on a hill south of Harpursville, known as Coles Hill. He built a tavern there which was in operation as early as 1800. It was the first tavern between Albany and Binghamton.

Broome County's Nathaniel Cole Park was opened in the town in 1974 and is located about two miles from the site of its namesake's tavern.



## Harpursville School District- UHS Virtual Walk-in visits now offered at HCS!

By Harpursville School District

Dear Harpursville Families,

We are thrilled to share some exciting news with you all. Starting now, we are introducing virtual walk-in visits for our students through UHS. This means that if there is a concern that can be addressed virtually, our dedicated nurses will reach out to you to offer the opportunity to participate.

Here's how it will work: once the nurse identifies a concern that can be resolved through a virtual visit, they will contact you to discuss the details. Following this, UHS will reach out to you for permission to proceed, ensuring that everyone is on the same page. Finally, when the doctor is ready, we will all be connected virtually to address the issue at hand. We have already had a few trial visits and things are going very smoothly!

It's important to note that these virtual walk-in visits will be billed as such through your insurance. Our aim in offering this service is to provide a convenient and efficient way for students to receive medical attention while minimizing disruptions to their education.

We sincerely hope that this new initiative will enable students to remain in school for longer periods, ensuring that their education remains uninterrupted. We believe that by offering virtual walk-in visits, we are taking a significant step towards providing accessible healthcare support to our students.

Thank you for your continued support, and we look forward to serving you and your children through this exciting new service.

Warm regards,  
Nurse Peets and Nurse Adolf  
W.A. Olmsted Health Office 607-693-8119  
Jr. Sr. High Health Office 607-693-8118

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# Newspaper Edited Public Hearing & Regular Meeting of the Town Board November 6, 2024 (Continued from page 2)

vided for under the terms and provisions of this contract, including the providing of emergency service pursuant to Section 209-b of the General Municipal Law, will have the same rights, privileges, and immunities as volunteer firemen and as provided for in the Volunteer Firemen’s Law of the State of New York. In connection therewith, the Fire Company covenants and agrees upon its part that it will file with the Town Clerk of the Town of Windsor a list containing the names of all its members and that it will keep such list current at all times by informing and advising of any changes in said membership.

6. During the existence of this contract, the Fire Company agrees to secure and maintain suitable insurance, at its own expense, protecting the said Town from liability from any personal injury, or property damage. Further, the Fire Company agrees to provide at its own expense and maintain insurance protecting the said Town and the Fire Protection Districts against all liability and damages to members of the general public for injuries and damages to person or property suffered from the motor vehicles of the Fire Company while proceeding to and from calls and fires within the said protection districts. The insurance shall be in these amounts listed in Schedule “B.”

7. The Fire Company covenants and agrees to extend to the Town complete and full cooperation in securing any additional insurance to protect and indemnify the Town against claims by members of the Fire Company or their families or any other person against the Town arising out of injuries or damages occasioned by the terms and conditions of this contract. The Fire Company agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Town, its officers, employees, and agents from any and all claims, lawsuits, judgments, decisions, and all other incidents arising from claims under this contract.

8. This agreement shall continue for a period from January 1, 2025 until December 31, 2025 and thereafter until terminated by the service of a sixty-day notice in writing by either party hereto upon the other. The notice herein provided shall be served by registered mail.

IN WITNESS HEREOF, the parties hereto have duly executed and delivered this agreement and have caused their corporate seals to be hereunto affixed by their duly authorized officials the day and year first above written.

SCHEDULE “A”  
Boundaries of Fire Protection District 4

SCHEDULE “B”  
Insurance obligations

STATE OF NEW YORK )  
SS:

COUNTY OF BROOME )  
On this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 2024 before me personally came Mark Odell, to me personally known, who, being duly sworn, did depose and say that he resides in the Town of Windsor, New York; that he is the Supervisor of the Town of Windsor, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to such instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Town Board of the Town of Windsor and that he signed his name thereto by like order.

STATE OF NEW YORK )

SS:

COUNTY OF BROOME )

On this day of \_\_\_, 2024 before me personally came Mark Bailey, to me personally known, who, being duly sworn, did depose and say that he/she resides in the Town of Windsor, New York; that he/she is President of the for the Windsor Fire Company Inc, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument.

Supervisor Odell opened the Public Hearing for the 2025 Sewer Billing Rates at 7:05 P.M. there were no comments the Public Hearing was closed at 7:05 P.M.

**TOWN OF WINDSOR, COUNTY OF BROOME, STATE OF NEW YORK**

**Adopting the 2025 Sewer Billing Rates for Municipal Sewer Users In the Town Of Windsor Resolution #42-2024**

At a Public Hearing & Regular Meeting of the Town of Windsor Town Board, held at the Town Hall on the 6th day of November, 2024, the following resolution was

OFFERED BY: Councilman Hupman

SECONDED BY: Deputy Supervisor Colwell

WHEREAS, the Town Board (hereinafter “Town Board”) of the Town of Windsor (hereinafter “Town”), on the 6th day of November, 2024, commencing at 7:00 P.M. at the Windsor Town Hall, duly held a public hearing on the Year 2025 Sewer Billing Rates for Municipal Sewer Users, and WHEREAS, the Town Board heard all persons desiring to be heard in the matter of sewer rates, and this topic was fully discussed and considered by the Town Board, NOW, THEREFORE, the Town Board of the Town of Windsor, duly convened in special session, does hereby resolve as follows:

2025 Quarterly fee (Occupied): \$245.00

2025 Quarterly fee (Vacant): \$150.00

2025 Quarterly fee (Government/School): \$250.00/edu

This billing will become effective with the first billing of the year 2025; March 2025.

Said resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Motion Approved

Resolution Adopted: November 6, 2024

Supervisor Odell opened the Public Hearing for the 2025 Eastern Broome Emergency Services Contract at 7:06 P.M. there were no comments the Public Hearing was closed at 7:06 P.M.

**TOWN OF WINDSOR, COUNTY OF BROOME STATE OF NEW YORK**

**Authorizing an Ambulance Service Agreement with Windsor Emergency Services, Inc. Resolution #43-2024**

At a Public Hearing & Regular Meeting of the Town of Windsor Town Board, held at the Town Hall on the 6th day of November, 2024, the following resolution was

Offered by: Councilman Harting

Seconded by: Councilman Price

WHEREAS, the Town Board duly held a public hearing on November 6th, 2024 to consider a proposed agreement between the Town of Windsor and Windsor Emergency Services Inc. to furnish emergency medical ambulance services within the Town of Windsor, for the period

beginning on January 1, 2025 and ending December 31, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board heard all persons desiring to be heard in the matter and the matter was fully discussed and considered by the Town Board.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Windsor hereby resolves as follows:

Section 1. The Supervisor of the Town of Windsor is hereby authorized to sign and deliver on behalf of the Town of Windsor the Agreement for Ambulance Service for the for the period beginning on January 1, 2025 and ending December 31, 2025 between the Town of Windsor and Windsor Emergency Services Inc.; and

Section 2. Said agreement shall be substantially in accordance with the version thereof which is now on file in the office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Windsor, and shall be subject to the approval of the attorney for the Town of Windsor.

Section 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Said resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Motion Approved

Resolution Adopted: November 6, 2024

**AGREEMENT FOR AMBULANCE SERVICES**

AGREEMENT made this 6th day of November, 2024 by and between the Town of Windsor, a New York municipal corporation with offices and a principal place of business at the Town of Windsor Town Hall, 124 Main Street, Windsor, New York 13865 (hereinafter referred to as the “Town”), and the Windsor Emergency Services, Inc., a New York not-for-profit corporation, having its principal office at 4 Academy Street, Windsor, New York 13865 (hereinafter referred to as “Squad”).

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, at a meeting of the Town Board (hereinafter “Town Board”) of the Town held in Windsor, New York at the Town of Windsor Town Hall, the Town Board (1) determined that it was in the public interest for the Town to enter into an agreement with the Squad to furnish emergency medical ambulance services for persons in the Town, and (2) authorized the Supervisor of the Town to sign this Agreement on behalf of the Town

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