

Village of Gowanda  
Special Meeting  
April 28, 2025

The Village of Gowanda Board of Trustees special meeting was called to order by Mayor Nephew at 4:00PM.

Present: Mayor Mark Nephew, Trustee Paul Zimmermann, Trustee Carol Sheibley

Employees: Treasurer Traci Hopkins

Absent: Trustee Wanda Koch, Trustee Peter Sisti, Clerk Danielle Wagner

Public: No public present

The purpose of this special is to make an amendment needed to be made to the 2025-226 Budget

**Agenda**

**Motion 4-199**-Motion by Trustee Sheibley, seconded by Trustee Paul to approve the agenda for the April 28, 2025 special meeting. Motion carried.

**Official Business**

***Treasurer-Traci Hopkins***

A correction to the Cattaraugus County Assessed Valuation needed to be made on the 2025-2026 budget. Cattaraugus County figures from the Town of Persia tax roll were not updated on their website when the budget was created. The State Comptroller's office said this is not out of the ordinary, happens often. There were no changes to any allocations or line items.

**Motion 4-200**-Motion by Trustee Zimmermann, seconded by Trustee Carol Sheibley to approve to amend the prior 4/8/25 approved 2025-2026 budget to include accurate Cattaraugus County assessed valuation of \$86,131,265 impacting the tax rate for Cattaraugus County (-\$.01/\$1,000 assessed) and Erie County (-\$.03/\$1,000 assessed) residents. Motion carried.

**Motion 4-201**-Motion by Trustee Sheibley, seconded by Trustee Zimmermann to approve the final 2025-2026 Budget. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:09 PM.

Respectfully Submitted

Danielle Wagner

Clerk

*With notes from Treasurer*