

Edwards Town Board Meeting November 12, 2025
Edwards Town Hall, St. Lawrence County, New York

Meeting Not recorded

Supervisor Jeff Shippee called the Public Hearing to order at 7:00PM. Those present were Councilors Dianne Hurley, Michele Robillard, Michael Webb, Jan Lennox Clerk Debbie Bullock, also present was Budget Officer Sharee Lanphear.

Sharee went over the proposed 2026 Budget. There were no public comments.

A motion to adjourn Public Hearing @ 7:20PM was made by Councilor Lennox and seconded by Councilor Robillard Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee. Nays 0

Supervisor Shippee called the Regular Board meeting to order @ 7:12PM

A motion was made by Councilor Lennox and seconded by Councilor Robillard to approve the Town of Edwards 2026 Budget. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee Nays 0

Highway Matters:

Duane was busy plowing so did not attend meeting. Jan Lennox gave an update.

The William Church house on the River Road was demolished. The County brought an excavator over and tore the house down.

The Christmas lights will go up and the Hometown Heroes banners will come down when the weather breaks.

A motion was made by Councilor Hurley and seconded by Councilor Robillard to pass a Resolution for demolition of unsafe building at 1001 River Road for four hundred sixty-nine dollars and eighty-one cents (\$469.81). Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee. Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Lennox and seconded by Councilor Webb to approve Budget Modification Request and Resolution Highway DA5110.4 Repairs & Maintenance -\$5094.28 to DA5130.4 Machinery +\$5094.28. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee. Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Hurley and seconded by Councilor Lennox to approve Budget Modification Request and Resolution Highway DA5110.4 Repairs & Maintenance -\$1337.97 to DA5140.4 Miscellaneous +\$1337.97. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee. Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Webb and seconded by Councilor Lennox to approve Budget Modification Request and Resolution Highway DA5110.4 Repairs & Maintenance -\$1970.54 to DA5142.4 +\$1970.54. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee

MISCELLANEOUS:

We are seeking Zoning Board Members. All terms are up on January 31, 2026 and a few have decided to get off the Board. Please call the Town office at 315-562-3400 if you are interested in a position on the Zoning Board. We need younger people to step up and this is a good place to start.

A motion was made by Councilor Robillard and seconded by Councilor Lennox to approve Resolution in support of Nick Langworth's Energy Choice Act. (H.R.3699,S.1945) and in Opposition to Government Mandate Natural Gas Bans. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Hurley and seconded by Councilor Webb to approve Resolution for Unpaid Sewer and Water Bills. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee. Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Hurley and seconded by Councilor Robillard to accept the resignation of Charlotte Dean as Secretary of the Board of assessment Review. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee. Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Webb and seconded by Councilor Lennox to approve Reappointment of Amanda Fuller to the Board of assessment Review for a 5-year term. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Robillard and seconded by Councilor Webb to approve Secretary to the Supervisor Sharee Lanphear's reports for October 2025 and September & October bank statements. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Hurley and seconded by Councilor Webb to approve Clerk Bullock's clerk report for October 2025 and October bank statements. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Webb and seconded by Councilor Robillard to approve Clerk Bullock's tax report for October 2025 and September & October bank statements. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Hurley and seconded by Councilor Lennox to approve Town of Edwards Justice Court Reports for October 2025 and September & October bank statements. Adopted: Ayes: 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee Nays: 0

A motion was made by Councilor Webb and seconded by Councilor Robillard to accept the October 2025 minutes and dispense of the reading. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Robillard and seconded by Councilor Lennox to pay all General Fund abstract #11 of 2025, vouchers #56-76. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee. Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Hurley and seconded by Councilor Lennox to pay all Highway Fund abstract #11 of 2025, vouchers #128-145. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Robillard and seconded by Councilor Webb to pay all Water District abstract #11 of 2025, vouchers #48-53. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Web, Lennox & Shippee Nays 0

A motion was made by Councilor Webb and seconded by Councilor Lennox to pay all Sewer District abstract #11 of 2025, vouchers #63-66. Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee Nays 0.

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:

A motion was made by Councilor Hurley and seconded by Councilor Lennox to adjourn the meeting at 7:26PM Adopted: Ayes 5 Hurley, Robillard, Webb, Lennox & Shippee Nays 0

These minutes will not be approved until the next meeting on December 10, 2025.

Submitted by:
Deborah Bullock, Clerk
November 12, 2025