

**Work Session/ Regular Meeting
of the Town of Wilmington Town Board,
May 28, 2025 Community Center 4:00 PM**

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Attending Officers

Favor Smith - Supervisor

Tina Terry-Preston- Deputy Supervisor

Darin Forbes – Board Member

Tim Follos - Board Member

Laura Hooker – Board Member

Dawn Stevens – Town Clerk

Also 6 signed-in residents and 1 remote viewer attended.

The meeting was called to order by Town Supervisor Favor Smith and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Resolution 67-2025 Resolved to approve the repairs for the 2019 Western Star, the cost is estimated to be between \$3000. and \$4000., this will come out of the Equipment Maintenance Fund. These repairs are needed to pass NYS Inspection and will be done immediately.

Moved by Darin Forbes Seconded by Tina Preston Carried all in favor

*Tim Follos **Aye***

*Darin Forbes **Aye***

*Laura Hooker **Aye***

*Tina Preston **Aye***

*Favor Smith **Aye Carried***

Resolution 68-2025 Resolved to authorize the purchase of sand for the upcoming winter, at a cost of \$7.00 per yard, total approximately \$7000. This price is authorized under the County Contract and does not need additional bids.

Moved by Darin Forbes Seconded by Tina Preston Carried all in favor

*Tim Follos **Aye***

*Darin Forbes **Aye***

*Laura Hooker **Aye***

*Tina Preston **Aye***

*Favor Smith **Aye Carried***

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There was a discussion on Dog Control and implementing a new leash law and adding an amendment to the STR regulations to emphasize this.

The Supervisor is working on a solution that would allow the Wilmington children who attend Lake Placid School, to be allowed to attend the summer program that will be held at the school this year.

The Town is still trying to hire more lifeguards for the summer season, three of the previous lifeguards are not returning.

The Town does have two applicants for the Summer Youth Program which will hopefully be open three days a week during the summer.

There was also a brief discussion on the cemetery roads. The Town and Highway Superintendent Louis Adragna are looking into ways to divert the water from the rain and melt runoff to stop the washouts and make it possible to stabilize the roads in the cemetery. Improvements are expected to be made this year.

Discussion was also had on dedicating the beach picnic area to Greg Winch, alternative ideas such as a walkway with engraved bricks were also discussed as this could honor more individuals, past present and future. Wilmington has the honor of being the home of many great individuals, who have worked to make our town a wonderful place to live.

The proposed amendments to the land use code and comprehensive plan were discussed and reviewed again. The format for the local law was also reviewed.

There was a brief discussion on additional porta potties. There will be a further discussion at the next meeting.

Public comment

The letter attached to the end of the minutes was presented to the board on senior taxes by Suzanne Gebel. Supervisor Smith said he is already looking into ways of helping Seniors with the tax burden and will present them at a future meeting. Everyone who wanted to speak was allowed to at this time; everyone was allowed to ask questions during this meeting.

Motion to adjourn was made at 5:30.

Moved by Laura Hooker **Seconded by** Darin Forbes, all in favor

Respectfully Submitted,

Dawn Stevens