

A TOWN BOARD MEETING was held on February 13, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. The location was the Town Hall, Pelon Road, Town of Indian Lake, County of Hamilton, State of New York.

Supervisor Wells brought the meeting to order. All said the Pledge of Allegiance. Supervisor Wells called for the Roll with the following Board Members answering:

Roll Call: Councilman Mahoney	Here
Councilwoman Eldridge	Here
Councilman Curry	Absent
Councilman Rathbun	Here
Supervisor Wells	Here

Minutes

Councilwoman Eldridge made a motion to accept the minutes of 1/9/2023 as presented. Seconded by, Councilman Rathbun.

Roll Call: Councilman Mahoney	Aye
Councilwoman Eldridge	Aye
Councilman Rathbun	Aye
Supervisor Wells	Aye

Citizen of the Year – Sue Montgomery Corey – Resolution # 3

Supervisor Wells read Resolution # 3, honoring Sue Montgomery Corey as Citizen of the Year. Resolution # 3 is attached herein. Supervisor Wells spoke of the respect he held for Sue in the years he had worked with her. Terry DeArmas also stood and spoke as to why Sue was deserving of this award. Terry’s speech is attached herein. Supervisor Wells also told all present that in Sue’s honor, a plaque would be put on the chair that Sue always sat in during the Town Board meetings.

Department Head Reports/Additions

Supervisor Wells reported to all that the meter at the Indian Lake Water Plant has not been working and needs to be done manually. Patrick Mahoney, Department Head of Sewer and Water, explained that the meter is not communicating with the water plant, so the water plant does not know when to come on and off unless they go down and do it manually.

Bill Laprairie, Department Head of Buildings and Grounds, approached the Board requesting permission to begin looking for a loader for the Transfer Station. He stated that he had enough money in his fund balance and the general fund so we would basically be getting out of only paying roughly \$70,000.00. Supervisor Wells questioned if this was anything under State bid. Bill replied that he is looking for 3 quotes.

Bill Laprairie, Department Head of Buildings and Grounds, approached the Board with a request to purchase a brush hog and a chain saw in order to maintain the ski hut trails. He stated these can be purchased through the Indian River Acquisition Grant. He reported to the Board that he has received quotes and recommends purchasing the brush hog from H&M Equipment and the Chain Saw from Village Motorsports.

Supervisor Wells stated that he would like the Board to consider as well amending the procurement policy to raise the limit for the Buildings and Grounds Department as well as the Water and Sewer Department up to \$5,000.00 the same as the highway is given. He stated with the rising costs this is necessary for them to purchase quickly when there is a problem and not having to wait for a Board meeting and allowing Department Heads to be pro-active. Supervisor Wells made a motion to raise the limit for purchases up to \$5,000.00 for the Buildings and Grounds Department and the Water and Sewer Department. Seconded by, Councilman Rathbun.

Roll Call: Councilman Mahoney	Aye
Councilwoman Eldridge	Aye
Councilman Rathbun	Aye
Supervisor Wells	Aye

Supervisor Wells made a motion to allow Bill to begin looking into purchasing the Brush Hog and Chain Saws and in order to comply with the Indian River Acquisition Grant that his motion be put into the form of a Resolution and stated this needed to be done now as there it is time sensitive. Seconded by, Councilman Mahoney. **Resolution # 4** giving permission for the purchases. **Resolution # 4** is attached herein.

Bill also thanked the Sewer and Water Department and the Highway Department for all their help and letting him use their backhoe. Christine Pouch, E.D.M & Events Manager, approached the Board stating that Bill Murphy had donated an amplified portable lectern which she explained is a microphone, and Kim Ameden donated a fire place and Christmas decorations for the welcome center. She also reported to the Board that the Town had received the Market NY Grant in the amount of \$67,500.00. This grant was to pay for the Town's Website and the Branding of the Town. Christine also reported to the Board that she has been working with David Hughes from Newcomb and they are in the process of putting in an emergency safety box on the snowmobile trail which will hold a blanket, 1st aid supplies, and told all that this is also a spot that has Wi-Fi. She reported that the cost was \$289.00. She also told all that the Blue Mt. Lake Fire Department donated the supplies for the box. This is being placed at the Hamilton County Essex snowmobile Kiosk.

Public Comments/Concerns

Andy Coney approached the Board requesting permission to hold the two annual races again this year and would once again be needing the Blue Mt. Lake Public Beach. One will be held on July 23rd and the other on August 13th. He is requesting support from the Town Board. Supervisor Wells stated that the Board will support both events.

Jack Valentine approached the Board stating he would like to publicly thank Donald Liddle for all his assistance helping the Legion with their cans and bottle group. He stated that he is always there to assist them. Robin DeArmis stated the whole group is very helpful!!!

Thank you Letter – Adk. Lake Center for the Arts

Supervisor Wells told all that he had received a thank you letter from Adk. Lake Center for the Arts thanking the Board for their continued support.

Short Term Rental Workshop – March 9th

Supervisor Wells reported to all that the Town Board, Planning Board and Zoning Board would be holding a workshop on March 9th at 7:00 p.m. concerning Short Term Rentals. He stated that the State has come out with some legislation concerning this as well. He stated this may be something the State can take off our plate or something the Town will take on. He stated there will be a cost associated with this and he does not want to duplicate what the State will be requiring of us.

Section 284 – Agreement to Spend Highway Funds

Jamie Roblee, Highway Superintendent, stated that he is not sure what the cost of black top will be. He also stated that this would depend on the culvert expenses. Supervisor Wells made a motion to sign the Section 284. Seconded by, Councilman Mahoney. Councilman Rathbun stated he felt it was incomplete as it states on the first page he was setting aside \$667,393.00 but the back page states the cost of doing the Jerry Savarie Rd. would be \$93,985.00. Supervisor Wells explained to him that the first amount is for all primary work and general repairs, such as plowing and sweeping and that is the amount Jamie Budgeted for all road work, the second page and amount for Jerry Savarie Road is only for the roads that are a black top project. Jamie explained that the blank lines on the front page are just for the black top project which is on the back page.

Roll Call: Councilman Mahoney	Aye
Councilwoman Eldridge	Aye
Councilman Rathbun	Abstained
Supervisor Wells	Aye
Motion carried.	

Thank you Letter 9th Battalion

Supervisor Wells stated that he had received a thank you letter from the 9th Battalion thanking the Town for the use of the Byron Park Building.

Supervisor Comments

Supervisor Wells reported to all that the Governor's Budget has a proposal in there setting aside one million dollars for the five Towns which was loosely written for infrastructure and environmental use. He stated this could be tossed out at the last minute.

He also stated that he had met with DEC concerning the continuation of our Community Connector Trails that he feels was started in 2011 -2013. He stated that DEC has released a draft force preserve work policy. He stated this is a result of the unfortunate decision that was rendered on the tree cutting lawsuit. He told all that you may comment up until February 27th. He stated you could mail Peter Frank at 625 Broadway, Albany NY or go on the DEC website.

Supervisor Wells stated that there is a scheduled meeting with DEC concerning the Camp Grounds early closure on February 21st. He stated that DEC, like all businesses are having a staff shortage, and of course due to this a safety concern for the patrons. Supervisor Wells stated he thought the problem was the way they rolled it out. He stated they should have invited Municipal Governments into the discussions. He stated that February 21st is a Hamilton County Board of Supervisors Committee Day and DEC will be coming in to do a presentation.

Supervisor Wells told all that the NYS Independent Redistricting Commission 2023 has been holding public hearings concerning the redistricting of the NYS Assembly District that will be Indian Lake and Long Lake has been taken out of Assemblyman Smullen's District and put into Assemblyman Billy Jones. He told all that you can go online to the Redistricting Committee 2023 Public Hearings you can review the draft plan and submit comments.

Supervisor Wells reported to all that he had been on a Zoom Meeting on February 9th with the Blue Mt. Lake Association. Among things discussed was the shortage on Lifeguards. Supervisor Wells reported to all that this year we are in dyer straits for the Beaches as we only have one Senior Guard and one other Guard. He explained that even if we can get enough Lifeguards needed it will not help us this year, as first year guards need to be with a Senior Guard unless they are 18 years of age and up. Blue Mt. Lake Association also questioned cleaning of the restrooms throughout the summer. Supervisor Wells stated he had spoke with out cleaning contractor, however, he does not go to Blue Mt. anymore and is not interested. Supervisor Wells also stated that they had discussed the Salt Task Force, he stated that as of now, it has not yet been released.

Supervisor Wells stated that Cedarwood is waiting on the Engineers files so they can start the paperwork with the APA concerning the Adirondack Lake Dam Project.

Supervisor Wells reported to all that the annual inspection report came back for both Water 1 & Water 2 Districts and all was good.

NYSAC (New York State Association of Counties) released the Summary of the State of the State 2023 Budget. Supervisor Wells has a copy of this if anyone would like to see it.

Other Town Business

Councilman Rathbun stated that the Weed District Board held a meeting, and they were asking about the Adirondack Dam Project target date. Supervisor Wells stated there is no update. He stated that more issues cropped up concerning the bottom of the Dam. He stated that it goes across the road and when the new road went in it had been cut into. Supervisor Wells will reach out to Chazen Labella for an update.

Councilman Rathbun questioned Bill Laprairie, Department Head of Buildings and Grounds, as to when he would be looking at the Bog at Ernie Pollmans. Bill stated that he had spoke in detail with Ernie concerning this and would try as soon as he can. Councilman Rathbun stated that the Weed District do have money in their budget so if he needed a saw to cut it the Weed District can pay for it. Bill stated he has the saw.

Pay Bills/Abstracts

Supervisor Wells made a motion to pay the bills and abstracts as presented. Seconded by, Councilwoman Eldridge.

Roll Call: Councilman Mahoney	Aye
Councilwoman Eldridge	Aye
Councilman Rathbun	Aye
Supervisor Wells	Aye

Executive Session

Supervisor Wells called for an Executive Session at 7:51 p.m. for the purpose of discussing contractual obligations. Seconded by, Councilman Rathbun. All in favor. Motion Carried.

Supervisor Wells made a motion to exit Executive Session at 8:37 p.m. Seconded by, Councilman Mahoney. All in favor. Motion Carried.

No action taken during Executive Session.

Supervisor Wells made a motion to adjourn meeting at 8:38 p.m. Seconded by Councilwoman Eldridge. All in favor. Meeting adjourned.

*Respectfully Submitted by - Julie A. Clarkson.
Dwn Clerk*

Monthly report January 2023 building maintenance and operations

Shoveled and salted walks daily and as needed for all town buildings, plowed all town buildings as needed including the transfer site. Pushed all banks back at the shop with backhoe, cleared off the front lawn to be ready for snocade parking. Cleaned out all the snowmobile trail entrances with backhoe.

Transfer site loader blew a main antifreeze line, we spent two days getting it back together with the help of Greg from the highway we lifted the machine with their loader and we're able to get the hose connected once again, after running the machine for two days the hose came off again, the machine was taken to Milton Cat by the county, and we are waiting to hear what the problem is.

Snowmobile grooming has been tough, we have been able to groom moose river planes a little bit here and there but there is still not enough snow in the woods to go Every day, we find ourselves still fixing ice holes, mud holes, and other hazards that have come up.

We built a door for our mart that will allow light in and help keep the building warm, helped Kathy put up insulation and some shelving

A lot of maintenance has been going on in the shop, servicing the snowmobile's, maintenance of side-by-side's, truck oil changes, brakes, repairing of drags. A small drag for behind the Viking was brought in and welded, The ram was relocated and rewired.

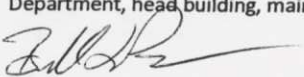
We have maintained the ice rink, and we are putting water down as needed, the building has been open every night and weekend, with the exception of Wednesdays and Thursdays when it's closed for watering and maintenance, we have had many people come play games as well as skate.

Our landscape trailer is getting tired, the gate broke and I spent a day welding and modifying it.

Installed the last of our LEDs that needed to be changed out at the Ambulance garage and the assembly room, now all town buildings are full LED lighting.

Put up banners for Christine and we have been working on signage for all of our trails that were in need of repair.

Thank you
Bill Laprairie
Department, head building, maintenance and operations



Town of Indian Lake water and wastewater report for January 2023

Testing was completed daily at all three plants.

All samples required by DOH and DEC were submitted to the lab.

We have been having communication issues at the Indian lake plant.

We are trying to replace the radio system but replacements are about 10 weeks out.

Our new continuous cl2 analyzer has been installed at the IL water plant.

We replaced the surge suppression valve on finish pump #2 at the IL plant.

We had a large water main break in Blue Mt that was repaired with no interruption to service.

The flow control valve in The Blue Mt had to be rebuilt by stonkus hydraulic.

The Abanakee dam has been adjusted several times this month.

Plow and shovel around plants.

Thank you



Patrick Mahoney

Highway Report Feb. 2023

Although we have been busy with many little storms. January was a month without a lot of snow.

Sidewalks have been kept clear and salted regularly. Snowbanks were cleared along the sidewalks on the vehicle parking side through town.

Intersections and turnarounds have been pushed back as needed.

Ice was cut off many roads to promote them to bare up in warm weather conditions.

We have gone through about sixty tons of salt with all the Freezing rain storms.

Small breakdowns have been continuous.

Truck # 185 one of our main Tandem axle plow trucks is finally repaired and back at our shop. Plow equipment will be put on it as soon as a couple little issues are fixed.

Some of our plows and wings have been painted. Along with other areas on vehicles affected by rust.

One of our small truck sanders was rebuilt for a spare.

Janine Roblee

Jan 2023
mechanics Monthly
Bill Wells

1) Welded plates for Tool cat

2) New rear brakes + rims for #188

3) Back up light on #181

4) Put rear tire together for 188

5) Made up hose for 186 ram

6) Plowed Parking lots with 180 pickup

7) Plowed + Sanded with road in 183

8) Welded adjusting rod for 3320 tractor

9) Serviced 194 pickup

10) Retorque Injector lines for 192 Loader

11) Rebuilt Sander covers for 188

12) Welded plates on liftarms for 3320 tractor

13) Put new headlight in pickup 191

14) Put 2 new main hoses on Power Steering for 186



January 9, 2023, Town of Indian Lake
Board Meeting
Economic Development, Marketing & Events
Report

Community/Economic Development

Main Street America (MSA) Committee – On Jan. 25, we had 31 Zoom participants attend out of a total of 70 email invitations. We are now working on recruiting volunteers to work in one of the four working groups: Economic Vitality, Design, Promotion and Organization. The ILCDC is hosting their February meeting on 2/15/23, at which time I will present the same PowerPoint presentation again for those who could not attend the last Zoom meeting. The meeting will be held at the Town Hall in the large assembly room at 7PM. All are invited to attend.

In addition, I assisted the ILCDC in submitting another grant application to the Adirondack Foundation's Generous Act Fund for \$7,500 for technical assistance and seed money for revitalization projects.

NYSERDA Clean Energy Update – No new news to report.

Irish Road Bowling, hosted by the Snowwarriors will be held on Saturday, March 18, at 10AM starting at the Indian Lake Beach on Chain Lakes Road. Registration forms are available at the Chamber of Commerce.

The Career, Skills & Trade Readiness & Job Fair will be held on Friday, March 24 and Saturday, March 25 at the ILCS. This is a partnership with the school to promote local trades/jobs available on Friday to ILCS students in Grades 6-12. This 1.5-hour event will consist of a panel presentation by local business owners and be followed by a chance for students to talk one-on-one with businesses which interest them. On Saturday, there will be a job fair from 9AM to 4PM. This event is open to any of our local businesses seeking employees.

Events – 2023

Lake Placid 2023 FSU World University Games I heard from MANY people these events did not help local businesses. The owner of Beck's in North Creek said they did the same amount of business the previous year without the games. He felt the FISU games kept locals away as they thought it might be too busy. Our local businesses did not see any uptick in business either. I also heard the only times it was busy in Lake Placid or at Gore was on the weekends.

Here's a link to an NCPR story re: the impact of the games. What impact did the Lake Placid World University Games have? Time will tell | NCPR News (northcountrypublicradio.org)

Snocade is almost here!!! The festivities begin Feb. 18-25. Please note that the placemats out in restaurants were prepared for printing on January 2 to be placed in businesses by MLK weekend (1/16/23). This early effort is so visitors will see what's happening the following month and hopefully plan to return. There are always activities that change or are added after this date. Examples this year include the change for the fishing derby from Indian Lake to Lake Adirondack and location change for free snowmobile safety class from Town Hall to the Indian Lake Theater. The placemats reflect the date of printing and state activities are subject to change.

Next week I will be producing a separate brochure complete with activities added since. For example, The ILCS Trick Tray which has been added on 2/17/2023.

All the recent activities are on www.indianlakeadk.com as well as several regional calendars.

Community Pride Day is being planned in various Adirondack communities on Wednesday, May 3, 2023. Promotion for this day will begin right after Snocade.

Black Fly Challenge planning is well underway. We have had four meetings to date. The race starts here this year. Friday, June 9 will be set up at Byron Park and the race starts the next day at 10AM. Registration for the event is now open and discounted at: <https://www.bikereg.com/blackflychallenge>. More details will be provided as the event nears.

Music in the Park & Other Locations performers have been booked for the 2023 Season. They are as follows: 7/15 Willie Playmore Band; 7/29 Mitch Frasier; 8/5 Betty & The Boomers; 8/26 Spring Street Band (their concert was cancelled LY due to weather); 9/16 Square Dance at the Welcome Center (Antiques); 9/23 Fenimore Blues at The Welcome Center (GAMF).

Indian Lake Paint Out! The second annual plein air painting event is scheduled for August 18-20. More details to follow.

Save the Dates for Rustic & Artisan Street Fair September 9 and 10. Adirondack Antiques September 13-17.

Marketing

There are continuous posts on all four of our social media sites. The e-newsletter is delivered to inboxes weekly.

Social Media: I continue to encourage all to follow the Town on social media sites.

<https://www.facebook.com/townofindianlake>
<https://twitter.com/TownofIndianLa1>
<https://www.instagram.com/townofindianlakenew/>
www.facebook.com/Townsofindianandbluemountainlakeny
<https://www.facebook.com/Townsofindianandbluemountainlakeny>
[Nextdoor](#)

Community Calendars and our website are being updated on a continual basis to reflect 2023 events. Below is a link to the Hamilton County Tourism Adirondack Experience weekly calendar of events postings:

links.inntopia1.mkt7972.com/servlet/MailView?ms=NDc5NDM4NDQsS1&r=MTI0OTAYNzk5MzA2MQS2&j=MjQwMDMyNzY5MwS2&mt=1&rt=0

Grants

- The Charging Station Grant awards will be announced in the 1st quarter of 2023. Still waiting to hear.
- Pending grant projects included the following:
 - ESD Market NY is finally CLOSED. Funds of \$67,500 should be received within the week.
 - DEC Hamlets Gateway grant needs to have a timeline and budget modification processed by DEC.
 - DEC Cunningham Land Acquisition will be heading into the close-out process. Distribution of funds TBD.
 - We are still waiting for two DASNY Member Item grants to be processed. One for \$2.5M for Lake Adirondack Dam and the other for \$300,000 Townsend Garage purchase. DASNY is slow in providing any details re: when we can expect to receive these payments.

- The grant for DEC Byron Park Improvements also needs modifications and is pending as it is tied directly to the Lake Adirondack Dam project.
- Grants we can apply for in 2023 included:
 - **Adirondack Foundation – APPLIED.** Funding requested for Ski Hut Community center to replace pool, foosball and ping pong tables. Requested \$3,275. Awards announced in April.
 - Adirondack Community Recreation Alliance –due 2/25/2023. Projects sought are to create and/or enhance local efforts to increase the community benefit of outdoor recreation. The maximum award is \$5,000. Project ideas (ski hut trails).
 - DEC High Hazard Rehabilitation Grants – due 2/10/2023. Minimum award is \$25,000 and Maximum is \$100,000. (Proposed project is the Adirondack Lake Dam)

Meetings

1/19 – LaBella phone meeting.
 1/17 – Zoom meeting with Adirondack Foundation
 1/17 – Virtual Selling Your Business – ANCA
 1/24 – Virtual Selling Your Business - ANCA
 1/25 – ILCDC Zoom Meeting – I was the presenter.
 1/27 – Zoom Meeting with ROOST
 1/28 – Black Fly Challenge Meeting

Respectfully submitted by Christine Pouch, 2/7/23



Town of Indian Lake Chamber of Commerce

Representing Blue Mountain Lake, Indian Lake and Sabael

P.O. Box 724 Indian Lake, New York 12842

Phone and Fax (518) 648-5112 website: indian-lake.com

Email indianlakechamber@frontiernet.net

Executive Director – Robert Marriott

Date: February 4, 2023

Monthly Indian Lake Chamber Report – January 2023

- Taking snowmobile club memberships – Snowwarriors.
- Issuing Hunting & Fishing licenses. Many fishing licenses have been issued for people ice fishing.
- Visiting Chamber businesses and getting input from business owners.
- Planning with Snowwarriors for upcoming scavenger hunt that Chamber will be promoting. The Chamber is co-sponsoring this event with the Snowwarriors and helping with the event planning. Event scheduled for 2/11/23. It should be a fun event and we will market it to the world and hopefully it will attract people to our community.
- The Chamber will host a breakfast meeting on 2/15. Coffee and breakfast items will be served. The presentation will be for people who own short-term rentals and how to protect your investment insurance wise. The Stevenson Insurance Agency will present along with a rep from an insurance company with information on new insurance products available. The meeting ends with the New York State Insurance Fund doing a presentation on group Workers Comp and Disability Coverage.
- The Chamber will again host the Snocade Craft Fair on 2/25 at the IL School Gym.
- We have another presentation planned for March. Michelle Bartlett from Life in the ADK will present ways for business members to increase sales using marketing in the digital world. Interest for this event has been strong and we may need to move this event to the Theater. Stay tuned for additional event details.
- Continue to be a positive face of the community with providing information to visitors.



TOWN OF INDIAN LAKE


P.O. Box 730 Pelon Road
Indian Lake, Hamilton County
New York 12842

 **COPY**

Town of Indian Lake Building Permit Report
January 2023

	<u>Residential</u>	<u>Commercial</u>
1. Total # of Permits Issued:	4	0
2. Total dollar amount of projects in #1:	<u>\$73,400</u>	<u>\$0</u>
3. Number of Permits in #1 which are Hunting Camps:	0	
4. Total dollar amounts of projects in #3:	<u>\$0</u>	
5. Number of single-family permits issued (Camps N/A):	<u>1</u>	
6. Total dollar amount of projects in #5:	<u>\$50,000</u>	
7. Number of Trailers/Double Wide/Modular Homes:	0	
8. Number of Permit renewals:	0	
9. Number of Firework Permits issued:	0	
10. Total dollar amount of permits in #9:	<u>\$0</u>	
11. Fire inspections (Annual) to date	<u>2</u>	

Respectfully Submitted by:



Tyler S. Monthony

ADIRONDACK LAKES CENTER FOR THE ARTS

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www.adirondackarts.org

art, music, theatre, dance, sculpture, exhibits, crafts, writing, painting, classes- the arts center... community.

January 29, 2023

Brian Wells, Town Supervisor
Town of Indian Lake
117 Pelon Road
P.O. Box 730
Indian Lake, NY 12842


Dear Brian,

Thank you to the Town of Indian Lake for your donation and continued support for the Adirondack Lakes Center for the Arts. The Town of Indian Lakes support is critical to the foundation of the Arts Center. Your donation helps us in planning and producing our upcoming 2023 season, and in meeting the general operating expenses that go along with providing another terrific lineup of programming, lectures, and classes.

On behalf of the Arts Center Board of Trustees, staff, and volunteers, we appreciate your continued collaboration, support, and donation. As we enter our 55th season for the Arts Center in Blue Mountain Lake, we celebrate the community's continued support of the arts.

Thank you again!

Sincerely,


Jean-Marie Donohue
General Development Director



Race name- BluMoulA-BuFuRa (Blue Mountain Lake Association Buoy Funding Race)
Date- July 23, 2023

Schedule-
Race Day Registration- 8:30-9:45 AM
Mandatory Boat Inspection for Invasive Species- 8:30-9:45 AM
Captains' Meeting- 10 AM
Race- 10:30 AM
Awards/Prize Table- 2:15 PM

Entry fees-
Adults-\$25 pre-registered, \$35 race day
Kids 11 and under, \$15 pre-registered, \$25 race day

Address for pre-registration- <https://paddleguru.com/races/BluMoulABuFuRa2023>

Directions or a google maps link (preferably both)-
Race is at Blue Mountain Lake Town Beach, 3/10 mile west of the junction of NY routes 28, 28N, and 30.
<https://goo.gl/maps/QLH3WhSA9ap723KG6>

URL if you have a website- www.BMLBuoyRace.com

Brief description-

BluMoulA-BuFuRa, the Prettiest Dam Race in America, offers 14, 7, and 1.5 mile courses amid spectacular scenery. Our 14-mile race proceeds through the three lakes of the Eckford Chain to a buoy-turn in Lake Utowana, returns through Eagle Lake and turns left to follow the shores and bays of Blue Mountain Lake clockwise, the long way back to town. The seven-miler is the clockwise loop alone, no easy race either. The hotly-competed 1.5 mile course circles the nearest island and returns.

With top-notch competition on pristine water circled by mountains, with open, often windswept bays, narrow channels, and so many tight buoy turns, you will be challenged.

7th Annual
Blue Mountain Sizzler 5K

Date: Sunday, August 13, 2023, rain or shine
Times: 7:15-8:10 Number pickup & Race Day registration
8:20 AM 5K Walkers (and slower runners) start
8:30 AM 5K Run
8:45-9 Kids's Half Mile Number pickup & Race Day registration
9:15 AM Kids' Half Mile start
Where: The field behind the Adirondack Lakes Center for the Arts, 3446 State Route 28.

Sponsor: Blue Mountain Lake Association. Proceeds will benefit the Association's Project Fund.

Pre-registration: ONLINE STRONGLY PREFERRED www.runreg.com/blue-mountain-sizzler

Parking: Along State Route 28, downtown Blue Mountain Lake. Please, race official parking only on Durant Road and behind the Art Center.

Course: Around Blue Mountain Lake's Big Triangle. See the course map.

Awards: Awards to 1-male and female overall, age group awards.

Amenities: Professional timing, water station, water at finish. A runner's race.

date	ends	5K Run/Walk Race	Kids' Race	Tuesday, August 8	midnight	\$24	\$11
				Saturday, August 12	5PM	\$28	\$15
Sunday, August 13				8AM	\$35		
				9AM			\$20

GENERAL FUND			REASON FOR REQUEST		
ACCT #	PRIOR BUDGET AMT	THIS REQUEST	ACCT #	PRIOR BUDGET AMT	ADJUSTED BUDGET
A.1110.400	\$6,000.00	\$1,832.00	CONFERENCE EXPENSES & COPIER LEASE		
A.1410.100	\$58,376.00	\$574.00	CLAUDIA WORKED MORE HOURS THAN BUDGETED		
A.1620.400	\$40,000.00	\$2,341.00	VAN COLLISION REPAIRS - OFFSET BY INSURANCE RECOVERIES		
A.5110.400	\$500.00	\$1,536.00	VET SERVICES - TAMMY BENTON		
A.5162.400	\$68,795.00	\$675.00	INCREASED SAFETY NOT BUDGETED FOR		
A.6112.400	\$30,000.00	\$3,440.00	INCREASED SAFETY NOT BUDGETED FOR		
A.6772.400	\$7,500.00	\$4,548.00	PURCHASE OF ELECTRIC CAR - OFFSET IN CONTRACTUAL		
A.7142.300	\$10,000.00	\$129.00	BUILDING REPAIRS		
A.7189.400	\$7,500.00	\$911.00	APPROVED TRUCK PURCHASE FROM PLANNED FUND BALANCE		
A.7450.400	\$7,500.00	\$911.00	ADJUST TO BRING UNDER BUDGET		
A.8810.400	\$1,400.00	\$296.00	PRICE INCREASES - OUTHOUSE RENTALS		
	\$246,550.00	\$10,253.00	ADJUST TO BRING UNDER BUDGET		
	\$554,221.00	\$84,457.00	ADJUST TO BRING UNDER BUDGET		
A.1898.400	\$1,900.00	\$14,900.00			
A.1990.800	\$1,577,678.00	\$69,557.00			
	\$1,592,378.00	\$84,457.00			
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Town of Indian Lake Resolution No. 3 - 2023

WHEREAS, the Town of Indian Lake has realized an enriched quality of life due to the tireless volunteer work and outstanding community service of Sue Montgomery Corey; and

WHEREAS, serving as the president of the Indian Lake Chamber of Commerce, helping to provide scholarships for Indian Lake students through the North Creek Rotary, and serving on the Town of Indian Lake Equality & Justice Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Indian Lake hereby proclaims on February 13, 2023

CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

SUE MONTGOMERY COREY

PROCLAIMED AND SIGNED this 13th day of February 2023.

Brian E Wells Supervisor Brian E. Wells

State of New York
County of Hamilton
Town of Indian Lake

I, Julie A. Clawson, Town Clerk of the Town of Indian Lake do hereby certify that Resolution # 3 in the year 2023, was duly adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Indian Lake, Hamilton County, New York State at the Town Board meeting held in Indian Lake on February 13, 2023.

Resolution # 3 will be on file in the Resolution Book as well as the Official Minutes in the Town Clerks office at the Town Hall, located on Pelon Road, Town of Indian Lake, County of Hamilton, and State of New York.

The following Board Members of the Indian Lake Town Board had due notice of the meeting and was present at said meeting: Supervisor Brian Wells, Councilman Jake Mahoney, Councilwoman Kristina Eldridge, Councilman John Rathbun, and Councilman D. Sean Curry was absent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the Town of Indian Lake on this day of February 13, in the year 2023.

Seal

Julie A. Clawson - Town Clerk

SUE MONTGOMERY COREY -
TOWN OF INDIAN LAKE CITIZEN OF THE YEAR 2023

The many reasons why Sue is being recognized as our Citizen of the Year....

Because Sue had a heart of gold and always wanted to do all she could for those less fortunate and worked tirelessly with several organizations.

Because she served as the Indian Lake Chamber of Commerce President for the last four years, working to ensure chamber members' needs were being met.

Because she served as the North Creek Rotary President and worked to ensure graduating seniors of Indian Lake, Johnsonburg and Minerva Schools were presented with the opportunities to receive Rotary scholarships.

Because she provided thoughtful and judicious input while serving on the Town of Indian Lake Equality and Justice Committee;

Because she attended many town board meetings sharing her wise sentiments in an open and collaborative spirit.

Because she was always eager to work with the many town organizations to offer the Indian Lake Theater as a welcoming space to host the Moose Calling Contests, Meet the Candidate Nights, Snocade activities and various community forums.

Yes, she did all these activities as a volunteer while working tirelessly as the Indian Lake Theater Executive Director, her favorite job in her long and prestigious career.

Because as the executive director she emphasized the importance of having fun, coming together, and bringing diverse perspectives via film, concerts and live theater to the citizens and visitors to our neck of the woods.

Because she crafted a streamlined mission statement for the theater: "Offering a gathering space that entertains, engages and enriches the economic and cultural life of the Central Adirondacks."

Because she so enjoyed working with Indian Lake, Speculator, Johnsonburg and Minerva schools to educate and expand students' knowledge of history through appropriate films.

Because she always made sure that the honor roll students were recognized and provided had free movie passes to celebrate their accomplishments.

Because she was always thrilled when a student told her it was his or her first time in a theater.

And, because she hired many of our young people to work at the theater, often their first job.

Bottom line was, it was extremely important to Sue that nobody felt left out.

Supervisor
Brian E. Wells

Town Clerk/Tax Collector
Julie A. Clawson

Principal Accountant
Suzanne Walfath



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Town Board
John Rathbun
Jake Mahoney
D. Sean Curry
Kristina Eldridge

RESOLUTION # 4 – 2023

Resolution to purchase a brush hog and chain saw to maintain the Ski Hut Walking Trails and Bike Trails

Resolution offered by: Supervisor Brian E Wells

Seconded by: Councilman Jake Mahoney

WHEREAS, the Buildings and Grounds Department maintain the ski hut walking trails and bike trails
AND,

WHEREAS, the Department is in need of a Brush Hog and Chain Saw to maintain the trails AND,

WHEREAS, purchasing equipment is part of the Indian River Acquisition Grant, AND

WHEREAS, Bill Laprairie, Department Head of Buildings and Grounds has received quotes on both and recommends purchasing a Brush Hog in the amount of \$3,820.00 from H&M Equipment, and a Chain Saw from Village Motorsports, Inc in the amount of \$1,397.64, THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Indian Lake due hereby approve both purchases, as long as, all laws, rules and regulations were followed concerning the bidding process.

Roll Call: Councilman Mahoney Aye
Councilwoman Eldridge Aye
Councilman Rathbun Aye
Supervisor Wells Aye

State of New York
County of Hamilton
Town of Indian Lake

I, Julie A. Clawson, Town Clerk of the Town of Indian Lake do hereby certify that Resolution # 4 in the year 2023, was duly adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Indian Lake, Hamilton County, New York State at the Town Board meeting held in Indian Lake on February 13, 2023.

Resolution # 4 will be on file in the Resolution Book as well as the Official Minutes in the Town Clerks office at the Town Hall, located on Pelon Road, Town of Indian Lake, County of Hamilton, and State of New York.

The following Board Members of the Indian Lake Town Board had due notice of the meeting and was present at said meeting: Supervisor Brian Wells, Councilman Jake Mahoney, Councilwoman Kristina Eldridge, Councilman John Rathbun, and Councilman D. Sean Curry was absent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the Town of Indian Lake on this day of February 15, in the year 2023.

Seal

Julie A. Clawson

Julie A. Clawson - Town Clerk

Agreement for the Expenditure of Highway Moneys

AGREEMENT between the Highway Superintendent of the Town of Indian Lake
Hamilton County, New York, and the undersigned members of the Town Board.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 284 of the Highway Law, we agree that moneys levied and collected in the Town for the repair and improvement of highways, and received from the State for State Aid for the repair and improvement of highways, shall be expended as follows:

1. GENERAL REPAIRS. The sum of \$667,373 shall be set aside to be expended for primary work and general repairs upon 32.93 miles of town highways, including sluices, culverts and bridges having a span of less than five feet and boardwalks or renewals thereof.

2. PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS. The following sums shall be set aside to be expended for the permanent improvement of Town highways: See attached sheet

(a) On the road commencing at _____ and leading to _____, a distance of _____ miles, there shall be expended not over the sum of \$_____.

Type _____
Width of traveled surface _____
Thickness _____
Subbase _____

(b) On the road commencing at _____ and leading to _____, a distance of _____ miles, there shall be expended not over the sum of \$_____.

Type _____
Width of traveled surface _____
Thickness _____
Subbase _____

Executed in duplicate this _____ day of _____, 2_____

Supervisor _____ Councilman _____

Councilman _____ Councilman _____

Councilman _____ Councilman _____

County Superintendent of Highways _____
Town Superintendent of Highways James V. Roblee

Note: This agreement should be signed in duplicate by a majority of the members of the Town Board and by the Town Superintendent. Both copies must be approved by the County Superintendent. One copy must be filed in the Town Clerk's office and one in the County Superintendent's office. COPIES DO NOT HAVE TO BE FILED IN ALBANY.



February 10, 2023

Mr. Jamie Roblee
Indian Lake Highway Department

Thank you for the opportunity to quote you for your 2023 road program.

The following is our budgeted pricing for **Hot Mix Paving** on the roads you requested:

Road	Length	Width	SY			
Jerry Savarie Rd	4200	20	9333			

Pricing is Subject to NYS OGS Escalation/De-Escalation Clause.

Road	Type	Depth	Tons	Cost / Ton	Total
Jerry Savarie Rd	Type 3	2.5	1283	65.00	\$ 83,395.00
Total Tons			1283	AGGREGATE COST	\$ 83,395.00

		Cost	Days/ Gallons	Total
PAVING EQUIPMENT	Paver, Rollers and two laborers	\$9,020.00	1.0	9,020.00
Mobilization		\$1,570.00	1.0	1,570.00
			EQUIPMENT COST	\$10,590.00

Current 608 Index

Total Project Cost \$93,985.00

Town to supply: traffic control, trucking and aggregate.

We look forward to working with you to make your 2023 road program a SUCCESS!

Sincerely,

John Scoones
Sales Representative

Gorman guarantees workmanship and materials but is not responsible for failures due to inadequate sub base, poor drainage or the result of poorly prepared/treated shim. Damage to Gorman's equipment due to abandon structure may result in extra charges to the customer. Any alteration or deviation from the above mentioned specifications or any change in the scope of the job involving extra costs will be executed only upon written orders, and will become an extra charge over and above this estimate.

20 Robinson Road
Clinton, NY 13323

Email: jscoones@gormanroads.com
Cell: 315-625-0774

Tel: 315-853-6161

TOWN BOARD MEETING ATTENDANCE:

DATE OF MEETING: Feb 13, 2023

NAME:

TITLE:

ADDRESS:

1. Pam Howard

2. Pat Mahoney

3. Bill DeLore

4. Bob DeLore

5. Larry DeLore

6. Robert DeLore

7. Jamie Roblee

8. Sally Stanton

9. Janice Fine

10. Bob Harriot

11. Brenda Joek Valentine

12. Emma Corey & Dave Lombardo

13. Jim Zumpare

14. Andy Coney

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Respectfully Submitted by -

Julie Dawson

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