Minutes for the Ticonderoga 2025 Budget Workshop and any Other Lawful Business held on August 5, 2024, commencing at 1:00 p.m.

Present: Mark A. Wright, Supervisor

Dave Woods, Councilman Joyce Cooper, Councilwoman Tom Thatcher, Councilman

Tonya M. Thompson, Town Clerk

Absent: Heath Towne, Councilman

Others: Rebecca Norton and Amy Beeman from Finance, Heather Johns, Librarian (1:00p.m.), Judge LaPerle (1:30 p.m.)

Library Budget Review.

o Expenditure of remaining audio visual and books

Municipal Court Budget Review.

- o Overtime review.
 - Where are we for 2024?
- o Subscriptions review. When will this be spent? Carryover?

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Resolution #393-2024 brought by Dave Woods, seconded by Tom Thatcher authorizing the following budget adjustments:

SW09.9710.600 Debt Service Principal Bond

\$160,000.00

To fund an additional principal payment on SW09 Bond, Shore Airport Rd.

Favor Mark Wright – Aye, Dave Woods – Aye, Joyce Cooper – Aye, Tom Thatcher – Aye. **Opposed** – none. Heath Towne – Absent. **Carried.**

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Meeting closed at 3:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Tonya M. Thompson, Town Clerk

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