

**Village of Tupper Lake**  
**Board of Trustees**  
**Minutes**

Date: Monday, April 8, 2013  
Location: Board Room  
Meeting: Public Hearing & Special Meeting 5:30-7:50 PM

At the Public Hearing and Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees held this date, the following were present: Mayor Paul Maroun, Trustees Richard Donah, Thomas Snyder, Leon LeBlanc and Village Clerk/Treasurer Mary A. Casagrain.

Trustee David Maroun was absent from the Public Hearing and Special Meeting.

Public Hearing on  
Preliminary Budget  
For FY2013-14

Also present were Chamber of Commerce Events Coordinator Michelle Clement, Police Chief Eric Proulx, Department of Public Works Superintendent Michael Sparks and news reporter Dan McClelland.

Call the Public Hearing  
To Order – Preliminary  
Budget FY2013-14

Mayor Maroun called the Public Hearing to order for the purpose of hearing comments from the public concerning our Preliminary Budget for FY2013-14.

Michelle Clement  
Chamber Events  
Sponsorship

The Chamber of Commerce Events Coordinator Ms. Michelle Clement addressed the board first with a petition that the village continue to sponsor the events coordinator position. She briefly highlighted the Chamber of Commerce's short term plans for 2013-14 and how they wouldn't be possible without the continued support of the Village and Town of Tupper Lake.

Trustee Donah and Mayor Maroun echoed that they are eager to see the chamber prosper but that they need a commitment that she will be able to staffing the chamber office with volunteers so that visitors to the area are met with a person especially as the tourism season begins.

Close Public Hearing  
5:55 pm

Mayor Maroun called the Public Hearing to a close at 5:55 pm after there were no further comments.

Call to Order and  
Agenda Established

Mayor Maroun called the Special Meeting to order and established the agenda at 5:56 pm.

DPW Budget  
Review

The board briefly reviewed each line item of the Department of Public Works Department.

Road work review, Mayor Maroun announced that we received a petition letter from Mr. Roger Amell asking that the Village take ownership of Amell Lane. The board discussed this item at length and tabled final decisions until we could have an engineer look closer at the road as well as Hebert Lane.

Police Budget  
Review

The board briefly reviewed each line item of the Police Department comparing the proposed budget to the actual for this budget year.

Adjournment

Motion by Trustee LeBlanc, seconded by Trustee Donah to adjourn the Special Meeting at 7:50 am. (Carried 4-0)

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Mary A. Casagrain, Village Clerk/Treasurer