

VILLAGE BUDGET MEETING

March 3rd, 2025

A budget meeting of the Sandy Creek Village Board was duly held on the third day of March in the year 2025 at 6pm in the Village Offices Building at 11 Park Street, Lacona, NY 13083.

Members Present:

Lynn Miller, Mayor
Lori LaRue, Trustee
Sharon Turo, Trustee

Village Staff Present:

Megan Sprague, Clerk/Treasurer

Clerk Megan Sprague began the meeting by going over each budget line.

It was decided that each employee of the Village would get a 5% raise with the exception of the Clerk, who will get 7.7% as requested due to the savings from no deputy clerk and the mayor, who will get 13.5% as requested due to the extra hours required from the joint waterworks.

The Board has decided to add the \$10,000 left in the budget for drainage to the drainage reserves.

At 7pm, the Board closed the budget meeting to open the regular meeting. At or around 8pm, the Board reopened the budget meeting immediately following the regular meeting.

Upon Motion given by Trustee Turo, seconded by Trustee LaRue and carried, the Board agreed to the following **Water Rates for 2025-26**:

- Equivalent Dwelling Unit (inside village only): \$120
- Minimum Water Usage Charge: \$75 for the first 25,000 gallons used. Additional \$4 per 1,000 gallons thereafter.
- Outside Rate: \$293.00 for the first 25,000 gallons used. Additional \$4 per 1,000 gallons thereafter.
- Bulk Rate: \$6 per 1,000 gallons
- There will also be the same 10% late fee assessed **the day after** the due date, with an *additional* 10% late fee assessed **30 days after** the due date

At or around 8:45pm, a motion to adjourn was duly made by Trustee Turo, seconded by Trustee LaRue and carried unanimously.

Megan K. Sprague, Clerk/Treasurer