

**TOWN OF DEERPARK  
TOWN BOARD MEETING**

**March 9, 2026**

Meeting was held at Town Hall, 420 Route 209, Huguenot, New York 12746

**Regular Meeting Called to Order:** 7:32 pm by Gary Spears

**Invocation:** Alan Schock

**Pledge of Allegiance:** Robert Whitney

**Attendance:**

**Supervisor:** Gary Spears

**Council Members:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei

**Town Clerk:** Flo Santini

**Attorney:** Glen Plotsky

**Absent:** Christa Hoover

**Addition to Agenda:** None

**Presentation/Communications:**

Mobile DMV March 24, 2026 at the Senior Center

Pavement Resurfacing of 209 South of 211 to the City of Port Jervis

**Public Comment "Agenda Items Only":** None

**Department Head Reports:**

*Deerpark Police Chief Richard Szyndor reads his February 2026 Monthly Report.  
(Attached to Minutes)*

*Highway Superintendent Excused for Training. His February 2026 Monthly Report attached  
(Attached to Minutes)*

**Motion to Approve February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026 Meeting Minutes**

Motion by Alan Schock 2<sup>nd</sup> Robert Whitney

**VOTES: 4 AYES:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei, Gary Spears

**Absent:** Christa Hoover

**MOTION CARRIED**

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***Old Business:***

**Motion to Approve Local Law #1 of 2026 – Firefighter Exemption for Property Taxes and set a Public Hearing for April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 7pm**

Firefighters & Living Spouses that live in Deerpark but Volunteer in adjoining municipality is also allowed to receive a Property Tax Exemption credit with proper documentation. The State requires needed paperwork to the assessor by March 1<sup>st</sup> of each year.

Motion by Alan Schock, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Art Trovei

**VOTES: 4 AYES:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei, Gary Spears

**Absent:** Christa Hoover

**MOTION CARRIED**

***New Business:***

**Motion to Approve Re-Appointment for 2026 of Danielle L. Glynn Bookkeeper/Clerk to the Supervisor (FT)**

Bookkeeper/Clerk to Supervisor (FT) Glynn \$1,280- weekly – Salary for 40 hours per week up to \$66,560- a year

Motion by Alan Schock, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Robert Whitney

**VOTES: 4 AYES:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei, Gary Spears

**Absent:** Christa Hoover

**MOTION CARRIED**

**Motion to Approve Re-Appointment of Deputy of Emergency Management & P/T Floating Clerk**

Emergency Management Clerk (Cirulli) \$23.66/hourly per-diem as needed to be paid monthly and up to \$300 per year Floating Clerk (Cirulli) \$23.66/hourly [er-diem as needed to be paid weekly as works/Up to \$11, 000.

Motion by Robert Whitney, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Alan Schock to re-appoint Joyce Cirulli as Deputy of Emergency Management & P/T Floating Clerk for 2026.

**VOTES: 4 AYES:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei, Gary Spears

**Absent:** Christa Hoover

**MOTION CARRIED**

**Motion to Advertise for Fuel Bids for the Year 2026. Sealed bids are due back on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2026 at 2:15 pm and opened same day at 2:30 pm**

Motion by Art Trovei, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Robert Whitney

**Attached to Minutes**

**VOTES: 4 AYES:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei, Gary Spears

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**Motion to Approve Local Law #2 of 2026– Requiring Prior Written notice of defect(s) in civil actions for damages commenced against the Town of Deerpark – Public Hearing April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 7pm**

Motion by Alan Schock 2<sup>nd</sup> by Art Trovei

**VOTES: 4 AYES:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei, Gary Spears

**Absent:** Christa Hoovler

**MOTION CARRIED**

**Motion to Approve Local Law #3 of 2026– Amending Local Law #1 of 1978 regulating exemptions from Taxation and Special AD Valorem Levies imposed on the Town of Deerpark – Public Hearing April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 7pm**

Motion by Alan Schock 2<sup>nd</sup> by Robert Whitney

**VOTES: 4 AYES:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei, Gary Spears

**Absent:** Christa Hoovler

**MOTION CARRIED**

**Local Law # - Short Term Rentals**

Glen Plotsky - Drafted to get this before the Board. No Public Hearing as of now, need to do more work. Supervisor trying to get a handle on this, he wants to keep the town safe.  
No Public Hearing set.

**Motion to Approve Local Law #4 of 2026 – Retirement Medical Benefits for Full Time Elected Official**

**Public Hearing April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 7pm**

Motion by Robert Whitney 2<sup>nd</sup> by Alan Schock

**VOTES: 4 AYES:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei, Gary Spears

**Absent:** Christa Hoovler

**MOTION CARRIED**

**Bills to pay:**

General Fund Abstract #4 of 2026	\$1,560,801.76
Highway Fund Abstract #4 of 2026	\$147,214.00
Street Lighting Fund Abstract #2 of 2026	\$343.61
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,708,359.37</b>

**Motion to Approve Paying Bills**

Motion by Alan Schock 2<sup>nd</sup> by Robert Whitney

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**Absent:** Christa Hoovler

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Motion made to go into Executive Session by Gary Spears after Closing Comments

**Closing Comments**

Art Trovei – None

Alan Schock – None

Robert Whitney - None

Gary Spears – It's been a rough winter to work with., thank you to highway department and other departments.

**Motion to start Executive Session at 9pm**

Motion by Art Trovei 2<sup>nd</sup> by Robert Whitney

**VOTES: 4 AYES:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei, Gary Spears

**Absent:** Christa Hoovler

**MOTION CARRIED**

**Motion to Re-enter Regular Session at 10:20pm**

Motion by Art Trovei 2<sup>nd</sup> by Robert Whitney

**VOTES: 4 AYES:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei, Gary Spears

**Absent:** Christa Hoovler

**MOTION CARRIED**

**Motion to Approve David Echerson as Part-Time DCO**

Motion by Robert Whitney 2<sup>nd</sup> by Alan Schock

**VOTES: 4 AYES:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei, Gary Spears

**MOTION CARRIED**

**Motion to Adjourn Meeting at 10:22pm**

Motion by Alan Schock 2<sup>nd</sup> by Robert Whitney

**VOTES: 4 AYES:** Alan Schock, Robert Whitney, Art Trovei, Gary Spears

**Absent:** Christa Hoovler

**MOTION CARRIED**

Respectfully Submitted,

*Flo Santini*

Flo Santini, Town Clerk



# Police Department



## TOWN OF DEERPARK

231 US Route 209  
PO Box 621  
Huguenot, NY 12746

Business: 845-856-4333  
Voice Mail: 845-858-4529  
Fax: 845-856-5512

Richard J. Szyndor, Chief of Police  
Web: [www.townofdeerpark.org](http://www.townofdeerpark.org)  
Email: [chiefszyndor@townofdeerparkny.gov](mailto:chiefszyndor@townofdeerparkny.gov)

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## Town Board Meeting March 9, 2026

### Report for the month of February 2026

#### 1. CALLS FOR SERVICE

- 343 Calls for Service
- 83 Traffic Tickets were issued
- 12 Arrests were made
- 13 motor vehicle crashes investigated

#### 2. COMMUNITY POLICING

- Members took part in welcoming home the Port Jervis Ladies Varsity Bowling after they won the Section 9 Championship.

#### 3. MISCELLANIOUS

- Two surveillance trailers were delivered to the Police Department. Steps are being taken to set them up for use throughout the town.



# TOWN OF DEERPARK HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

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Raymond Cirulli, Highway Superintendent

## February 2026 Monthly Report

For the month, we had 6 winter storms. Plow routes were completed a total of 9 times with over 675 tons of material used.

Snow removal took place in almost all of our developments. Roadway edges were also pushed back with our wing plows and grader.

The new barn ceiling was insulated. This will have a significant impact for the rest of this winter and next with preventing freezing issues on our trucks.

Pot holes throughout the town were filled with cold patch.

Catch basins and culvert pipes were cleaned so water will flow freely in preparation for the spring thaw.

We finally received some of our salt order from January. Trucks are starting to come in slowly. Once the salt budget is exhausted, I plan to request transferring funds from my road repair line to ensure the barn is completely full prior to next winter in case we experience another shortage.

Lastly, I attended advocacy day in Albany. Myself along with highway superintendents and vendors in our industry all go to Albany, visit with lawmakers, and lobby for increases in CHIPS funding along with other highway issues.

# **TOWN OF DEERPARK**

## **BID FOR FUEL**

The Town of Deerpark will be accepting sealed bids on the following item for the Town of Deerpark Highway Department.

### **DIESEL FUEL**

### **REGULAR UNLEADED GAS**

## **THE TOWN MUST BE GUARANTEED DELIVERY AT LEAST TWICE A WEEK (OR AS NEEDED)**

Specifications must be submitted to the Town Clerk's Office, 420 Route 209, PO Box 621, Huguenot, NY 12746, on or before the 8th day of April, 2026 at 2:15 pm. Opening of bids will be at 2:30 pm on the 8th day of April, 2026 at the Town Hall, 420 Route 209, Huguenot, NY 12746.

Bid packages are available at the Town Clerk's office or by fax: call 845-856-2210 ext 2.

The Town of Deerpark reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

**FLORENCE T. SANTINI  
TOWN CLERK  
TOWN OF DEERPARK**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TOWN OF DEERPARK  
COUNTY OF ORANGE  
STATE OF NEW YORK

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that there has been presented to the Town Board of the Town of Deerpark, Orange County, New York, on the 7th day of September, 2026, a proposed Local Law #1 of the Year 2026, entitled "A Local Law to Provide a Real Property Tax Exemption for Members of Volunteer Fire Companies and Voluntary Ambulance Services Residing in the Town of Deerpark, Orange county, New York Pursuant to New York State Real Property Tax Law Section 466-a".

The full text is on file for public review at the Office of the Town Clerk, Route 209, Huguenot, New York, during regular business hours.

THEREFORE, pursuant to the Municipal Home Rule Law of the State of New York, the Town Board of the Town of Deerpark will hold a public hearing on the aforesaid proposed Local Law in the Town Hall, Route 209, Huguenot, New York, at 7:00 p.m. or soon thereafter on the 13th day of April, 2026, at which time all interested persons will be heard.

DATED: March 11, 2026

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD

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