

Town Board, Town of Barre
Public Hearing/Water District #10/CDBG

July 9, 2025

Present: Supervisor Sean Pogue
Councilman George McKenna
Councilman Kerri Richardson
Councilman Margaret Swan
Councilman David Waters

Others present: Adrienne Daniels, Deputy Town Clerk; Dale Brooks, Highway Superintendent; Bridget Cook, Town Attorney, Bill Eick, Orleans County Legislator, Steve Coville, Wes Miller, Betsey Miller, Dave Allen, Gary Palmer, Iva McKenna.

Supervisor Pogue called the Public Hearing to order at 7:00pm.

Supervisor Pogue read the legal notice that was published in the Batavia Daily News. Supervisor Pogue discussed the reason for the meeting, for the purpose of hearing public comments on the Town of Barre's community development needs, and to discuss the possible submission of one or more Community Development Block Grants, (CDBG) applications for the 2025 program year for proposed Water District #10. Supervisor Pogue asked if any others in attendance were there for the Public Hearing. No others responded or signed the attendance sheet.

CDBG representative. Jay Grasso commented that New York has announced that \$24.2 million is available through the 2025 CDBG Program, with up to \$20 million specifically available for public infrastructure projects. The Town of Barre intends to ask for \$2 million to assist with the costs for the WD#10 project.

Discussion: Councilman McKenna asked if it would be of benefit to have support letters from WD#10 residents. Mr. Grasso has a template for that purpose. The letters will need to be submitted by July 30.

Margaret Swan made a motion to close the Public Hearing, motion seconded by David Waters.

Public Hearing was closed at 7:10pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Adrienne Daniels, Deputy Town Clerk