

MINUTES OF TOWN BOARD MEETING
OF THE TOWN OF BRIGHTON, COUNTY OF
MONROE, NEW YORK, HELD AT THE
EMPIRE STATE UNIVERSITY, 680 WESTFALL ROAD
ROCHESTER, NEW YORK
January 14, 2026

Present:

Supervisor William Moehle
Councilmember Christopher Werner
Councilmember Christine Corrado
Councilmember Nathaniel Salzman
Councilmember Clara Sanguinetti

Daniel Aman, Town Clerk
John Mancuso, Attorney to the Town
Earl Johnson, Finance Director
Glen Layton, Commissioner of Public Works
David Catholdi, Chief of Police

PRESENTATIONS/RECOGNITIONS:

- Cheryl Frank Proclamation

OPEN FORUM: No Speakers

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Motion by Councilmember Christopher Werner seconded by Councilmember Nathaniel Salzman to approve the agenda.

UPON ROLL CALL VOTE

MOTION UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED

COMMUNICATIONS:

FROM: Tharuman Thavakumar, Director of Operations, OneHome Global Foundation Inc., 230 Hidden View, Henrietta, New York, 14586, received January 2026, RE: Thanks for the award to Sri Lankan artist P.S. Balamurugan.

Motion by Councilmember Christine Corrado seconded by Councilmember Nathaniel Salzman to receive and file the aforementioned communications.

UPON ROLL CALL VOTE

MOTION UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Community Services Committee:

Has not met since the last Town Board meeting; Next meeting 1/21/26, 10:00 AM at Brookside.

Finance and Administrative Services Committee:

Met on 1/07/26; Next meeting 1/21/26, 8:30 AM in the Auditorium at Empire State University.

Public Safety Committee:

Met on 1/13/26; Next meeting 2/10/26, 8:00 AM in the Auditorium at Empire State University.

Public Works Committee:

Met on 1/13/26; Next meeting 2/10/26, 9:00 AM in the Auditorium at Empire State University.

NEW BUSINESS:

MATTER RE: Reading and approval of claims (*Resolution #01-14-26-CLAIMS*).

Motion by Councilmember Clara Sanguinetti seconded by Councilmember Nathaniel Salzman that the Supervisor read and approve payment of the claims as set forth in Exhibit No. 1 attached.

UPON ROLL CALL VOTE

MOTION UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED

MATTER RE: Accept a donation to the Police Department from Cheryl Overs in the amount of \$25 and amend the budget to reflect said revenue (*see Resolution #1 and letter dated January 2, 2026 from David Catholdi, Chief of Police*).

Motion by Councilmember Nathaniel Salzman seconded by Councilmember Christopher Werner that the Town Board adopt the resolution as prepared by the Attorney to the Town as set forth in Exhibit No. 2 attached.

UPON ROLL CALL VOTE

MOTION UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED

MATTER RE: Approve the solicitation of bids from professional cleaning companies to provide cleaning services for the Police Department and the Highways and Sewers office building (*see Resolution #2 and letter dated January 2, 2026 from Gary Donofrio, Facilities Manager*).

Motion by Councilmember Christopher Werner seconded by Councilmember Christine Corrado that the Town Board adopt the resolution as prepared by the Attorney to the Town as set forth in Exhibit No. 3 attached.

UPON ROLL CALL VOTE

MOTION UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED

MATTER RE: Set a public hearing for a local law amending the Limited Income Senior Tax Exemption (*see Resolution #3 and letter dated January 9, 2026 from Daniel Aman, Town Clerk and Receiver of Taxes*).

Motion by Councilmember Clara Sanguinetti seconded by Councilmember Christine Corrado that the Town Board adopt the resolution as prepared by the Attorney to the Town as set forth in Exhibit No. 4 attached.

UPON ROLL CALL VOTE

MOTION UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED

MATTER RE: Set a public hearing for the approval of the issuance of bonds in an amount not to exceed \$250,000 for the repair of Home Acres Monuments (*see Resolution #4 and letter dated January 13, 2026 from Earl Johnson, Finance Director*).

Motion by Councilmember Clara Sanguinetti seconded by Councilmember Christine Corrado that the Town Board adopt the resolution as prepared by the Attorney to the Town as set forth in Exhibit No. 5 attached.

UPON ROLL CALL VOTE

MOTION UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED

MATTER RE: Approve the solicitation of bids for the repair and restoration of entrance monuments within the Home Acres subdivision (*see Resolution #5 and letter dated January 12, 2026 from Chad Roscoe, Assistant Engineer*).

Motion by Councilmember Clara Sanguinetti seconded by Councilmember Christine Corrado that the Town Board adopt the resolution as prepared by the Attorney to the Town as set forth in Exhibit No. 6 attached.

UPON ROLL CALL VOTE

MOTION UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED

MATTER RE: Approve membership renewal with the Association of Towns of the State of New York for the year 2026 in an amount not to exceed \$2,300, authorize the Finance Director to make any necessary related budget amendments, and designate the Supervisor as official delegate to attend the annual business meeting of the Association, and (*see Resolution #6 and letter dated January 13, 2026 from William W. Moehle, Supervisor*).

Motion by Councilmember Christine Corrado seconded by Councilmember Christopher Werner that the Town Board adopt the resolution as prepared by the Attorney to the Town as set forth in Exhibit No. 7 attached.

UPON ROLL CALL VOTE

MOTION UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED

MATTER RE: Authorize the Supervisor to enter into an agreement with Mancuso Brightman PLLC for services as Attorney to the Town for a term commencing January 1, 2026 through December 31, 2026 (*see Resolution #7 and letter dated January 13, 2026 from William W. Moehle, Supervisor*).

Motion by Councilmember Christopher Werner seconded by Councilmember Christine Corrado that the Town Board adopt the resolution as prepared by the Attorney to the Town as set forth in Exhibit No. 8 attached.

UPON ROLL CALL VOTE

MOTION UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED

MATTER RE: Appoint an interim chair for the Planning Board (*see Resolution #8 and letter dated January 14, 2026 from William W. Moehle, Supervisor*).

Motion by Councilmember Clara Sanguinetti seconded by Councilmember Christopher Werner that the Town Board adopt the resolution as prepared by the Attorney to the Town as set forth in Exhibit No. 9 attached.

UPON ROLL CALL VOTE

MOTION UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED

MEETING ADJOURNED:

Motion by Councilmember Clara Sanguinetti seconded by Councilmember Christopher Werner to adjourn.

UPON ROLL CALL VOTE

MOTION UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED

CERTIFICATION:

I, Daniel Aman, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and accurate record of the proceeding of the Town of Brighton, County of Monroe, State of New York meeting held on the 14th day of January 2026 and that I recorded said minutes of the aforesaid meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Brighton, New York.