# REGULAR MEETING January 22, 2024

A regular meeting of the Sherrill City Commission was held at 7:00 p.m. on January 22, 2024. Present were Mayor W. Vineall, Commissioners C. Niles, B. Piccola, K. Sayles and City Clerk M. Holmes.

## **MINUTES**

Motion was made by K. Sayles and seconded by B. Piccola that the minutes of the previous meetings, January 8 and January 15, 2024, be approved as written.

AYES: Piccola, Sayles, Niles, Vineall

### **BILLS**

Motion was made by B. Piccola and seconded by K. Sayles that the following bills be approved for payment and W. Vineall be authorized to sign the warrant.

Fund	Warrant No.	Date	Dollars
City Claims on	2	1/22/2024	\$ 73,605.25
Sewer Claims on	2	1/22/2024	\$ 7,610.11
P&L Claims on	2	1/22/2024	\$ 124,159.87
Trust & Agency Claims on	2	1/22/2024	\$ 1,250.00

AYES: Piccola, Sayles, Niles, Vineall

#### SET PUBLIC HEARING – ELECTRIC RATES

M. Holmes reported that the proposed electric rates have finally been finalized with the New York Power Authority (NYPA). NYPA led the development of the rates in conjunction with the data provided by Sherrill. The rates will call for an increase in all service classes. Holmes is finalizing the rate summary sheet that will be made available to the public. Holmes reported that a public hearing needs to be held locally on the proposed rates and then the City needs to approve the proposed rates and alert NYPA of their approval. Then there is reviews and public postings at the state level with the NYPA Board of Directors ultimately approving them at their meeting in May 2024. Motion was made by B. Piccola and seconded by C. Niles to set a public hearing on the proposed rates for February 12, 2024, at 7:15 p.m.

AYES: Piccola, Sayles, Niles, Vineall

## POLICE SARGEANT SWEARING IN CEREMONY

M. Holmes reported with Sargeant Joe Pruckno resigning and now working for the Town of New Hartford Police Department, Brandon Lovett has appointed Officer Chad Murphy as the new Sherrill Police Sargeant. Murphy was present along with his family and City Clerk Holmes officially swore him in at the City Commission meeting.

Motion was made by C. Niles and seconded by K. Sayles to adjourn.

AYES: Piccola, Sayles, Niles, Vineall

Michael Holmes City Clerk