

TOWN OF CORINTH, REGULAR TOWN BOARD MEETING OCTOBER 23, 2025 @ 6:00PM

CALL MEETING TO ORDER: Supervisor Butler Called the meeting to order at 6:00pm

ROLL CALL: Eric Butler, Supervisor
Patrick Clothier, Councilman
Melanie Denno, Councilwoman
Shawn Eggleston, Highway Superintendent
Brenda Peris, Town Clerk

EXCUSED: Albert Brooks, Building/Code Officer
Kiley Crooks, Councilwoman
Carey Mann, Councilman
Matt Fogarty, EMS Coordinator

PLEDGE:

RESOLUTION #190

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Councilwoman Denno and seconded by Councilman Clothier the following resolution was

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| ADOPTED | Ayes | 3 Butler, Clothier, Denno |
| | Nays | |
| | Excused | 2 Crooks, Mann |

RESOLVED, that the Town Board Meeting Minutes dated October 9,2025 be approved.

RESOLUTION #191

APPROVAL OF ABSTRACT

A motion was made by Councilman Clothier and seconded by Councilwoman Denno the following resolution was

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| ADOPTED | Ayes | 3 Butler, Clothier, Denno |
| | Nays | |
| | Excused | 2 Crooks, Mann |

RESOLVED, the abstracts of October 23, 2025, be approved as follows:

ABSTRACT
Abstracts for 10/23/2025

Voucher A – 250552, 250567 – 250591

Voucher B – 252374 - 252385

Voucher CM – 257266 - 257276

Voucher DB – 253288 - 253303

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| General Fund A | \$ 37462.38 |
| General Fund/Outside Village – B | \$ 4,206.89 |
| Highway/Part Town – DB | \$ 52,337.82 |
| Medical – CM | \$ 13,574.23 |

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| Fire Protection | \$ |
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| SW Consolidated | 225018 | \$ 623.52 |
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Lighting

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| Eastern Avenue | \$ |
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| Eggleston Street | \$ |
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| South Corinth | \$ |
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TOTAL \$ 108,204.84

REPORTS: The following reports given to the Town Board for review:

Sales Tax

TAX CAP OVERRIDE:

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
ON PROPOSED LOCAL LAW
TO OVERRIDE TAX LEVY LIMIT
ESTABLISHED IN GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW §3-C
FOR TOWN OF CORINTH FISCAL YEAR 2026**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Corinth Town Board will hold a public hearing on October 23, 2025, beginning at 06:00 p.m. at the Corinth Town Hall, 600 Palmer Avenue, Corinth, New York, concerning proposed Local Law No. 2 of 2025. Proposed Local Law No. 2 overrides the tax levy limit under New York General Municipal Law Section 3-c for the Town of Corinth for fiscal year 2026 and authorizes the Corinth Town Board, after completing all required procedures

for the adoption of a budget, to adopt a budget for fiscal year 2026 that requires a tax levy that is greater than the tax levy limit calculated for 2026 pursuant to General Municipal Law Section 3-c.

A copy of proposed Local Law No. 2 is on file and available for review at the Town Clerk's Office, Corinth Town Hall, 600 Palmer Avenue, Corinth, New York, during normal business hours.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that at the time and place of the Public Hearing all interested persons will be given an opportunity to comment on proposed Local Law No. 2 of 2025.

Publication date: October 11, 2025

Brenda Peris
Corinth Town Clerk

Supervisor Butler stated that he does not believe we will be over the tax cap and then opened the public hearing.

Public Comment:

James Murray: Don't agree with overriding the tax cap. Councilman Clothier stated that we don't want to override it.

RESOLUTION#192
TO CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING

A motion was made by Supervisor Butler and seconded by Councilman Clothier the following resolution was

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| ADOPTED | Ayes | 3 Butler, Clothier, Denno |
| | Nays | |
| | Excused | 2 Crooks, Mann |

RESOLVED, to close the public hearing on proposed Local Law NO. 2 of 2025 to override tax levy limit established in general municipal law 3-c for Fiscal Year 2026.

RESOLUTION NO.: 193

INTRODUCED BY: Supervisor Butler
WHO MOVED ITS ADOPTION

SECONDED BY: Councilman Clothier

RESOLUTION ADOPTING LOCAL LAW NO. 2 OF 2025
AUTHORIZING THE TOWN BOARD TO OVERRIDE
TAX LEVY LIMIT ESTABLISHED IN GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW §3-C
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026

WHEREAS, the Town Board is considering adoption of proposed Local Law No.: 2 of 2025 entitled, "A Local Law to Override Tax Levy Limit Established in General Municipal Law §3-c for Fiscal Year 2026". Local Law No. 2 would authorize the Town Board to override the limit on the amount of real property taxes that may be levied by the Town of Corinth pursuant to New York General Municipal Law Section 3-c, and allow the Town Board to adopt a budget for the fiscal year 2026 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the "tax levy limit" as defined by General Municipal Law Section 3-c; and

WHEREAS, adoption of this legislation is authorized by New York General Municipal Law §3-c and New York Municipal Home Rule Law §10; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board duly held a public hearing concerning such proposed Local Law on Thursday, October 23rd, 2025 and heard all interested persons,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Corinth Town Board hereby adopts Local Law Number 2 of 2025 authorizing the Board to override the limit on the amount of real property taxes that may be levied by the Town of Corinth pursuant to New York General Municipal Law Section 3-c for the fiscal year 2026; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town Board hereby authorizes and directs the Town Clerk to file the Local Law with the New York Secretary of State in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Home Rule Law and acknowledges that the Local Law will take effect immediately upon filing by the Office of the Secretary of State; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town Board further authorizes and directs the Town Supervisor, Town Clerk and Town Counsel to take such other and further action as may be necessary to effectuate the terms of this Resolution.

Duly adopted this 23rd day of October, 2025, by the vote:

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| ADOPTED | Ayes | 3 Butler, Clothier, Denno |
| | Nays | 0 |
| | Excused | 2 Crooks, Mann |

The Resolution was declared duly adopted by a vote of not less than sixty percent (60%) of the full membership of the Town Board.

TOWN OF CORINTH
Local Law No. 2 of 2025
A LOCAL LAW TO OVERRIDE TAX LEVY LIMIT
ESTABLISHED IN GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW §3-C
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026

BE IT ENACTED BY THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF CORINTH, SARATOGA COUNTY, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS:

1. **Legislative Intent and Need:** It is the intent of this Local Law to override the limit on the amount of real property taxes that may be levied by the Town of Corinth pursuant to New York General Municipal Law Section 3-c, and to allow the Corinth Town Board to adopt a budget for the fiscal year 2026 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the “tax levy limit” as defined by General Municipal Law Section 3-c.

2. **Authority:** This Local Law is adopted pursuant to subdivision 5 of General Municipal Law Section 3-c, which expressly authorizes the Town Board to override the tax levy limit by the adoption of a Local Law approved by a vote of sixty percent (60%) of the total voting power of the Town Board.

3. **Tax Levy Limit Override and Budget Authorization:** The Town Board hereby overrides the tax levy limit under New York General Municipal Law Section 3-c for the Town of Corinth for fiscal year 2026 and authorizes the Town Board, after completing all required procedures for the adoption of a budget, to adopt a budget for fiscal year 2026 that requires a tax levy that is greater than the tax levy limit calculated for 2026 pursuant to General Municipal Law Section 3-c.

4. **Severability:** The invalidity of any clause, sentence, paragraph or provision of this Local Law shall not invalidate any other clause, sentence, paragraph or part thereof.

5. **Effective Date:** This Local Law shall take effect immediately upon filing by the Secretary of State and shall apply only to the Town’s budget for fiscal year 2026.

RESOLUTION#194
TO TRANSFER FUNDS

A motion was made by Councilwoman Denno and seconded by Councilman Clothier the following resolution was

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| ADOPTED | Ayes | 3 Butler, Clothier, Denno |
| | Nays | |
| | Excused | 2 Crooks, Mann |

RESOLVED, to transfer \$8300. from ARPA acct A216 to Economic Development #69894.01 to cover an LA Group invoice for 9N Town Park Phase 1 permitting (APA, NYSDOT, and construction documents).

SUPERVISOR ITEMS:

*Water at the Corinth Rural Cemetery is off and clean-up day is scheduled for November 8th.

*Supervisor Butler thanked the highway department for cleaning up the museum house at 607 Palmer Ave.

*Budge Public Hearing:

RESOLUTION#195

SCHEDULE BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING

A motion was made by Supervisor Butler and seconded by Councilwoman Denno the following resolution was

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| ADOPTED | Ayes | 5 Butler, Clothier, Denno |
| | Nays | 0 |
| | Excused | 2 Crooks, Mann |

RESOLVED, to schedule the budget public hearing on Thursday November 13, 2025, at 6:00pm.

HIGHWAY:

*Cemetery: Moved spicket and cut off pipes.

*Will be cutting brush

PUBLIC COMMENT: No public comment

TOWN BOARD:

Councilman Clothier: Attended the ribbon cutting at the Curtis preserve with Saratoga Plan. They have opened horseback riding & walking trails.

RESOLUTION#196

TO ADJOURN

A motion was made by Councilman Clothier and seconded by Supervisor Butler the following resolution was

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| ADOPTED | Ayes | 5 Butler, Clothier, Denno |
| | Nays | 0 |
| | Excused | 2 Crooks, Mann |

RESOLVED, to adjourn the Town Board Meeting at 6:20pm.

Respectfully Submitted by
Brenda L Peris, Town Clerk