

VILLAGE OF LEROY BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Minutes of Workshop Meeting held on
November 3, 2025
Village Hall, 3 West Main St., Le Roy, NY

PRESENT: Mayor Gregory Rogers, Trustee William Kettle, Trustee Raymond Yacuzzo, Trustee Richard Tetrault, DPW Sup. Robert Lathan, Deputy Clerk Treasurer Arna Tygart

ABSENT: Trustee James Bonacquisti, WWTF Sup. Steven Carroll, Clerk Treasurer Eileen Carmel

OTHERS: Jasmine Morrow, Jill Fitzgerald, Tim Hogle, Rita Wallace, Jim VerHague

Mayor Rogers called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm, followed by the Pledge to the Flag.

FINANCIAL DISCUSSION:

Mayor Rogers reported ongoing discussions with Tompkins Trust regarding new banking options for the Village. The Board reviewed proposals for improved interest rates and enhanced fraud protection measures. It was agreed that further evaluation would occur before finalizing any transition of municipal accounts. Trustee Kettle asked if we talked to Five Star to see if they would counter regarding rates. We have been told that they do not have a representative for us to talk to. Mayor Rogers said he will reach out to the banks to discuss rates with them as well. Trustee Yacuzzo asked about moving some of the money to NYCLASS.

HOLIDAY DECORATIONS AND BUDGET:

Mayor Rogers raised the topic of holiday decorations, noting the need to refresh aging light fixtures and banners. The Board agreed on budgeting \$25,000 in next year's budget to allocate from the beautification fund to support next year's holiday display. DPW Sup. Robert Lathan will reach out to vendors in the Spring to get pricing.

BUILDING AND INFRASTRUCTURE UPDATES:

Mayor Rogers informed that the ladies locker room and bathroom on the second floor will have work done on them over the winter by the DPW. The Village offices will be getting new carpet and paint. The boardroom will have the carpet replaced, will be painted, and get new curtains. There is money left in the budget to cover these improvements.

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AND GRANTS:

Trustee Kettle noted progress by the Comprehensive Plan Committee and upcoming coordination with Genesee County planners. Mayor Rogers stated that the Village remains in consideration for several grant programs, including the Ralph Wilson and Main Street revitalization grants.

COMMUNITY BEAUTIFICATION AND MURALS:

The murals on the corner of Routes 5 & 19 and Settlers were discussed. Jim VerHague brought in samples of what we could do differently with the buildings. Samples of both buildings were handed out to the board and attendees. It was suggested that the barn quilt be painted on the side of Settlers, and something relating to the history of LeRoy be painted on the side of the building at 5 & 19. Mayor Rogers said he will discuss this with the building owners.

The Village purchased a sleigh for the area on the corner of 5 & 19. The tree display was also discussed. In order to show support for the Music Boosters, the Village will not have a tree lighting before the trees are lit at Trigon. Options for tree displays to go with the sleigh on the corner were also discussed.

CITIZEN PARTICIPATION:

Residents discussed a range of topics including holiday displays, the comprehensive plan, and ongoing efforts to improve/upgrade public spaces not only for residents but visitors as well. Mayor Rogers thanked the attendees for their input and community engagement.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business before the Board, Trustee Yacuzzo made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Trustee Kettle, and passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 7:39 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Arna Tygart, Deputy Clerk Treasurer