

A special meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Avon was held in the Whitney Room of Village Hall, 74 Genesee Street, Avon, New York, on March 20th, 2024.

Present: Thomas Freeman, Mayor
 William Zhe, Trustee
 Tim Batzel, Trustee
 Amanda Hoffmann, Trustee
 Patrick McCormick, Trustee

Visitors: Rob Hayes, Mayor-elect
 Tom Cushing, Trustee-elect
 Federal Bureau of Investigation Representative
 Jake Whiting, Attorney
 George Brown, resident
 Jim Harrington, resident
 Several unnamed residents

Mayor Freeman called the meeting to order at 5:00pm and began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Upon a motion made by Trustee Hoffmann and seconded by Trustee McCormick, the Board entered executive session at 5:00pm in order to discuss the employment history of a particular person or corporation leading to the appointment, employment, promotion, demotion, discipline, suspension, dismissal, or removal of a particular person or corporation. Agent Csapo was asked to remain. The motion was carried by the following vote:

Thomas Freeman, Mayor	Voting	Yes
William Zhe, Trustee	Voting	Yes
Tim Batzel, Trustee	Voting	Yes
Amanda Hoffmann, Trustee	Voting	Yes
Patrick McCormick, Trustee	Voting	Yes

Upon a motion made by Trustee McCormick and seconded by Trustee Batzel, the Board exited executive session at 7:05pm. The motion was carried by the following vote:

Thomas Freeman, Mayor	Voting	Yes
William Zhe, Trustee	Voting	Yes
Tim Batzel, Trustee	Voting	Yes
Amanda Hoffmann, Trustee	Voting	Yes
Patrick McCormick, Trustee	Voting	Yes

The public was invited in at the conclusion of the executive session.

Upon a motion made by Trustee McCormick and seconded by Trustee Batzel, the Board voted to suspend Chief Joseph Geer without pay. Officer Tim Ferrara will be placed as Officer in Charge. The motion was carried by the following vote:

Thomas Freeman, Mayor	Voting	Yes
William Zhe, Trustee	Voting	Yes
Tim Batzel, Trustee	Voting	Yes

Amanda Hoffmann, Trustee	Voting	Yes
Patrick McCormick, Trustee	Voting	Yes

ADJOURNMENT:

Upon a motion made by Trustee Hoffmann and seconded by Trustee Batzel, the Board adjourned at 7:10pm by a unanimous vote.

Respectfully submitted,



Heather Randall
Village Clerk