

BURKE TOWN WORK SESSION
March 24, 2020

A Work Session between Supervisor Bill Wood, Councilman Arnold Lobdell and Highway Superintendent Larry LaPlante to open bids for a wheel excavator was held on March 24, 2020 at the Burke Town Court House at 9:04 A.M.

The following excavator bids were received:

1. A bid for a 2006 Cat M318C Wheeled Excavator with 7153 hours in as-is condition for \$49,900.00 was received from Jeff and Shelly Pitcher of Plattsburgh, New York.
2. A bid for a 2014 Volvo EW180D Wheeled Excavator with 1482 hours in as-is condition for \$106,000.00 was received from Vantage Equipment of Syracuse, New York.

The price and specifications of the 2006 Cat is more desirable to Superintendent LaPlante but the use of Consolidated Local Street and Highway Improvement Program (CHIPS) funding has been disapproved for the 2006 Cat M318C Wheeled Excavator due to its age and the 2014 Volvo EW180D Wheeled Excavator is outside the budget allotted for an excavator. Superintendent LaPlante will continue to urge the Department of Transportation in Watertown, New York to allow CHIPS funding to be utilized for the 2006 Cat M318C Wheeled Excavator.

The work session was adjourned at 9:20 A.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Elizabeth A. Downing, Town Clerk



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