The Weedsport Village Board held a Special Meeting on Monday, March 24, 2014 at 6:00 p.m. at 8892 South St. Weedsport.

Present were: Mayor Saroodis

Trustees: Perkins, Lukins, Hinman,

Also present: Steve Sims, David James, and Matthew Smokoski

Matthew Smokoski was present to answer questions from the Board regarding ambulance service that the Board and Fire Department have been considering.

Mr. Smokoski is a NYS Critical Care Tech. with 30 years’ experience. Currently, Mr. Smokoski works for Four Town First Aid Squad as Director of Operations for the Village of Moravia. He also works as an ALS provider for the Village ambulance of Fair Haven and is a member of the Fleming Fire Department.

Matthew Smokoski offered scenarios of what could be done and the pros and cons of each of the options. It would take one year to work out bugs of whatever option is decided on. He stated options he felt to be considered were; the operation could stay the same, staff leasing from another agency, merge with another agency, disband the ambulance, hold the C.O.N and bid out contract, change level of care from ALS to a BLS agency, hire own staff.

After a discussion on these options, the Board asked Mr. Smokoski if he would provide the Board with a sample Business Plan and Budget prior to the next Board meeting on April 9, to review. Mr. Smokoski stated he would respond with the requested information prior to the meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Susan Lamphere

Clerk