

**VILLAGE OF SOUTH BLOOMING
GROVE
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
SPECIAL MEETING
MONDAY
DECEMBER 1, 2025
8:00PM**

➤ **Call to order**

Mayor Kalaj called to order the Village Board Special Meeting at 8:15pm, seconded by Trustee Rosner on December 1, 2025, for the Village of South Blooming Grove located at 811 State Route 208, within the Village of South Blooming Grove, and having a mailing address of Monroe, New York.

➤ **Roll call**

The following persons were present:

- George Kalaj – Mayor
- Asher Guttman - Trustee
- Zalmon Rosner – Trustee
- Scott Ugell – Village Attorney
- Joel Stern – Confidential Assistant to the Mayor
- Kerry Dougherty – Village Clerk
- **Absent**
- Abraham Weiss – Deputy Mayor
- Yitzchok Feldman – Trustee
- Isaac Ekstein – Legislative Aide to Mayor

➤ **Mayor Comments**

- It is going to snow/sleet, do not park vehicles on the street. Happy Holidays to all!

➤ **Executive Session**

- Motion to enter executive session to discuss salaries by Trustee Rosner, seconded by Mayor Kalaj at 8:18 pm, *3 Ayes, 2 Absent.*
- Motion to exit executive session at 8:23 pm by Trustee Guttman, seconded by Trustee Rosner. *3 Ayes, 2 Absent.*

➤ **Business**

- **Resolution No. (078)** Resolution of the Village Board of the Village of South Blooming Grove adopting Local Law to override the tax levy limit. Motion to accept by Trustee Rosner, seconded by Mayor Kalaj. *3 Ayes – Mayor Kalaj, Trustee Guttman and Trustee Rosner. 2 Absent Deputy Mayor Weiss and Trustee Feldman.*
- **Resolution No. (079)** Resolution of the Village Board of the Village of South Blooming Grove adopting the village annual budget for the village’s 2026 fiscal year. Motion to accept by Mayor Kalaj, seconded

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➤ **Adjournment**

- Motion to close the meeting at 8:27 pm by Mayor Kalaj, seconded by Trustee Rosner. 3 Ayes – Mayor Kalaj, Trustee Guttman and Trustee Rosner. 2 Absent Deputy Mayor Weiss and Trustee Feldman.

Minutes respectfully submitted by
Kerry Dougherty, Village Clerk