

Tuesday, October 10, 2023

To the Newfane Selectboard

Re: Williamsville Hall performance lighting upgrades

Following up on our presentation to the Selectboard on Monday 10/2, where we submitted our plans to upgrade the stage lights in the Williamsville Hall, the Selectboard generously offered to help us pay for the second phase of the project, so that it could be completed in a single phase rather than over a 12 month period.

The estimated total cost of this upgrade is somewhere between \$11,300 and \$15,300

The Players are committing \$5,000

The Williamsville Hall Committee is committing \$1,000

The Town of Newfane is offering to use ARPA funds for the community as a whole, up to \$8,500.

The electrical work is scheduled to begin on Monday 16 October.

We would like to purchase the necessary equipment so we can begin the installation as soon as the electrical work has been completed.

To that effect, it would be most efficient & helpful if the Town of Newfane could transfer the \$8,500.00 to the Rock River Players as soon as possible.

The purpose of this investment is to upgrade the stage lighting in the Williamsville Hall so that it meets the necessary standards of live performance on the stage, without compromising the integrity of the historic building.

Our ultimate common goal is to turn the Williamsville Hall into a vibrant & welcoming community center for all Newfane, Williamsville & South Newfane residents.

Respectfully

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