

**PUBLIC HEARING
PROPOSED 2010 BUDGET
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2009; 7:00 P.M.
NEW WINDSOR TOWN HALL
NEW WINDSOR, NEW YORK**

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Supervisor Green, Councilwoman Mullarkey, Councilwoman Weyant, Councilwoman Biasotti, Councilman Lundstrom

OTHER OFFICIALS PRESENT: Comptroller Finnegan, Town Attorney Blythe, Highway Superintendent Fayo, Deputy Police Chief Hovey, Assessor Wiley

SALUTE TO FLAG

Supervisor Green called to order a Public Hearing regarding the proposed 2010 Budget and the Town Clerk presented proof of publication as required by law.

Supervisor Green said that there were handouts available in the front of the room explaining the various charges in the budget. He said there is an increase of \$1.14 per thousand, up from last year. He said the budget was incredibly difficult to do but the board managed to prevent employee layoffs, continue the three year hiring freeze and not cut off any services to residents. The 2010 tax rate is \$21.99 combining both the General Fund and the Highway Fund. The sewer usage charges will be \$14.16 per point for an annual cost for a single family home of \$141.60 billed at \$35.40 quarterly. The water rates went up effective with the September billing and that was due to the increase in the New York City water rates. Beaver Dam garbage rates will be \$460 annually. The sewer district rates for debt service have all gone down with the exception of sewer district #22. The Fire Department rates are set by the individual fire departments and the town has no control over them. He then asked if anyone had any questions about the proposed budget.

Hearing no one wishing to speak, Supervisor Green entertained a motion to close the public hearing.

MOTION - CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING

Motion by Councilwoman Mullarkey, seconded by Councilwoman Weyant that the Town Board of the Town of New Windsor close the Public Hearing regarding the proposed budget for the year 2010 at 7:10 p.m.

Roll Call: All Ayes

Motion Carried: 5-0

MOTION - ADOPT PROPOSED 2010 BUDGET

Motion by Councilwoman Weyant, seconded by Councilwoman Mullarkey that the Town Board of the Town of New Windsor adopt as follows:

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of New Windsor met on November 4, 2009 as specified in the Notice of Public Hearing on the Preliminary Budget and heard all persons interested in same; and

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NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT said Board does hereby adopt the Budget, as the Annual Budget of the Town of New Windsor for the fiscal year beginning the first day of January 2010, and that said Budget as so adopted be entered in detail in the Minutes of this meeting as is hereto attached, marked #1; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Town Clerk of the Town of New Windsor shall certify in triplicate, copies of said Budget as adopted, pursuant to Section 202, Subdivision 2 of Town Law and shall file one certified copy in her office and transmit two (2) certified copies to the Town Supervisor who presents said budget to the Orange County Legislature. Further, that the Town Clerk be authorized to advertise same as required by law.

Roll Call: All Ayes

Motion Carried: 5-0

Respectfully submitted,

DEBORAH GREEN
TOWN CLERK

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