

October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018

A Special Meeting of the Town Board was held on Thursday October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 7:56 PM with the following members present: Daniel Pemrick, Supervisor; Daniel Cochran, MaryAnn Johnson, Rick Capasso and Kevin Veitch, Councilpersons. Also present were Walter Barss, Superintendent of Highways, Deputy Highway Superintendent of Highways, Duane Wright and Joan Stunzi, Budget Officer.

Walt Barss states that the Dog Control Officer's truck is in disrepair. The frame under the bed is completely rotted and unreparable. It is not safe to pick up animals or for the Dog Control Officer. He recommends taking the Ford escape that is used for the Building Inspector and using that for Dog Control. There's a 2019 Chevy Silverado on State Contract for \$29,000. That is a great price for anything these days and it is important to be safe.

**RESOLUTION #134- PURCHASE TRUCK FOR BUILDING INSPECTOR**

Motion: Cochran, C.

Seconded: Capasso, C.

**RESOLVED**, That the Town hereby approves the purchase of a 2019 Chevy Silverado from State Contract for the Greenfield Building Department and their 2012 Ford Escape will go to the Dog Control Officer.

VOTE: Ayes: Pemrick, Cochran, Johnson, Capasso, Veitch

Noes: None

On a motion by Capasso, C. and seconded by Veitch, C. the Town Board adjourned to Executive Session at 7:58 PM requested by an employee to discuss a personnel matter. The Town Clerk was not present and no minutes were taken or filed. On a motion by Veitch, C. and Seconded by Capasso, C. the Board returned to regular session at 8:47 PM. On a motion by Capasso, C. and seconded by Cochran, C. the meeting was adjourned at 8:48 PM.

October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018

A regular meeting was opened on October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 6:17 PM with the following members present: Daniel Pemrick, Supervisor; Daniel Cochran, MaryAnn Johnson and Kevin Veitch , Councilpersons. Absent was Rick Capasso, Councilman. Also present were Walter Barss, Superintendent of Highways; Duane Wright, Deputy Superintendent of Highways; Joan Stunzi, Budget Officer and 4 residents.

Discussion takes place on the increased cost of Wilton Ambulance service. Supervisor Pemrick states they wanted to add \$17,000 to their yearly amount, but they have negotiated and it will go up \$8,000. Also, the Recreation Dept. asked for an increase of \$25,000 in order to add to the summer camp activities and purchase new playground equipment for Middle Grove Park. The Town is going to decrease that amount to \$16,000.

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PAUL BOUCHARD – Asks the Town to keep in mind that if Prestwick Chase goes through with their plans to increase then there will be more calls and possibly an added increase in cost to the Town.

JAMES VAN DYK- Questioned how billing is done. The Town has to pay ambulance service and the patient gets billed also. Supervisor Pemrick states that the comments are something that the Town has to look at and see what options we have.

**RESOLUTION #135- PRELIMINARY BUDGET ADOPTION AND CALLING PUBLIC HEARING**

**THEREON**

Motion: Johnson, C.

Seconded: Veitch, C.

**RESOLVED**, That this Town Board does hereby prepare and approve as the Preliminary Budget of this Town for the fiscal year beginning on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 2019, the itemized statements of estimated revenues and expenditures hereto attached and made a part of this Resolution, and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That such preliminary budget shall be filed in the office of the Town Clerk where it shall be available for inspection by any interested person at all reasonable hours, and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, That the Town Clerk give notice of such public hearing in the manner provided in Section 113 of the Town Law, and that such notice be published in substantially the following form:

**NOTICE OF HEARING UPON PRELIMINARY BUDGET**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Preliminary Budget of the Town of Greenfield for the fiscal year beginning January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019 has been completed and filed in the office of the Town Clerk, Town Hall, Greenfield Center, NY where it is available for inspection by any interested person at all reasonable hours.

FURTHER NOTICE is hereby given that the Town Board of the Town of Greenfield will meet and review said preliminary budget and hold a public hearing thereon, at the Town Hall, Greenfield Center, NY at 7:00 PM on the 8th day of November, 2018, and that at that hearing any person may be heard in favor of or against the preliminary budget as compiled, or for or against any item or items as therein contained.

Pursuant to Section 113 of the Town Law, the proposed salaries of the following Town officers are hereby specified as follows: Supervisor - \$21,759; Councilman (4) each \$8,557; Town Clerk - \$55,001; Town Justices - \$17,184.; and Highway Superintendent - \$73,181.

VOTE: Ayes: Pemrick, Cochran, Johnson, Veitch

Noes: None

Absent: Capasso, C.

On a motion by Johnson, C and seconded by Veitch, C. the meeting was adjourned at 7PM.

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Town Clerk