BURKE TOWN WORK SESSION September 22, 2015

A Work Session of the Burke Town Board was held on September 22, 2015 at the Burke Town Court House to work on the 2016 Budget. Supervisor, David Vincent, called the meeting to order at 7:07 P.M. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was said.

Roll Call:

Councilmembers:

Arnold Lobdell

Bill Wood, arrived 7:11 P.M.

Tim Crippen Jim Otis David Vincent

Supervisor:

Highway Superintendent

Town Clerk: Bookkeeper Tom Russell Elizabeth Downing

Judy Dumont

A motion to dispense with the reading of previous minutes was made by Tim Crippen and seconded by Arnold Lobdell. Roll Call: Arnold aye, Bill absent, Tim aye, Jim aye and David aye.

Judy Dumont, Burke Town Bookkeeper, submitted the following salary increases for 2016:

1. Councilmembers - \$2,000.00 each, an increase of \$300.00 per councilmember

2. Supervisor

- \$8,300.00, an increase of \$300.00

3. Town Clerk

- \$6,600.00, an increase of \$600.00

4. Director of Finance - \$8,300.00, an increase of \$300.00

All Workman's Compensation account payments have increased.

The Highway Department Employee's will look at other insurance company's rates to see if they can obtain insurance at a rate cheaper than the current insurance carrier.

The Burke Fire Department has not submitted their request for funding at this time so the bookkeeper estimated a 5% increase for the 2016 Preliminary Budget.

A motion was made by Arnold Lobdell and seconded by Tim Crippen to set the 2016 Budget Public Hearing on Tuesday, October 13, 2015 at 7:00 P.M. at the Burke Town Court House. Roll Call: Arnold aye, Bill aye, Tim aye, Jim aye and David aye. The Regular Town Board Meeting scheduled for October 2015 will be held immediately following the Public Hearing.

A motion to adjourn at 7:58 P.M. was made by Jim Otis and seconded by Tim Crippen. Roll Call: Arnold aye, Bill aye, Tim aye, Jim aye and David aye.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth A. Downing, Town Clerk

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