

**Town of Northumberland
Public Hearing – 2023 Town Budget
November 10, 2022**

The Public Hearing on the proposed 2023 Town Budget was called to order @ 8:00 AM by Supervisor Willard Peck. Those attending included Supervisor Willard Peck; Councilman Paul Bolesh; Councilman John DeLisle; Councilman George Hodgson and Councilwoman Patricia Bryant. Also attending was Clerk Denise Murphy; Town Attorney David Brennan; Highway Supt David Coffinger and Building and Zoning Officer Michael Terry.

Supervisor Willard Peck presented the proposed 2023 Town Budget and gave an overview of the proposed Budget. The 2023 Town Budget is under the 2% Tax Cap by roughly \$7,000. Supervisor Willard Peck stated that the Wilton Emergency Squad has requested additional funds due to the increase in calls. Wilton Emergency Squad requested an additional \$1,937 which would mean the Town's budget would be \$5,063 under the Tax Cap. Supervisor Willard Peck stated that the proposed 2023 Town Budget is fiscally conservative.

Pursuant to Section 108 of the Town Law, the proposed salaries of the following town officers are hereby specified as follows:

Supervisor \$16,640.00
Councilperson (4) \$5,520.00
Superintendent of Highways \$66,040.00
Town Clerk \$ 55,080.00
Justices (2) \$9,185.00

There were no comments from the public.

Councilman Paul Bolesh made a motion to close the Public Hearing at 8:05 AM. Councilwoman Patricia Bryant seconded the motion. All in favor, motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Denise Murphy, Town Clerk