Annual Budget Town Meeting May 8, 2023

First Selectman, Norman Needleman, called the Town Meeting to order at 7:32 PM. Kelly Sterner was elected Moderator. Selectmen Norman Needleman, Stacia Libby and Bruce Glowac were in attendance as well as Treasurer Jim Francis and Tracey Celentano, Director of Finance. Town Clerk Joel Marzi read the call of the meeting. There were approximately forty-one (41) people in attendance.

The following Resolution was Read, Seconded and VOTED:

RESOLVED: To make the necessary appropriations as prepared and recommended by the Board of Finance for the support of schools, highways and the general government and other necessary objects in an amount of \$26,522,194.

Registered electors of the Town of Essex and United States citizens, eighteen years or older, owning taxable property assessed at \$1,000.00 or more on the last completed grand list of the Town are eligible to vote at this town meeting.

SECONDED: Jim Francis

All in Favor

The following Resolution was Read, Seconded and VOTED:

RESOLVED: To determine and designate, pursuant to Sections 12-142, 12-144 and 12-144a, of the Connecticut General Statues, that taxes levied on said budget will be due and payable as follows:

- a. All Motor Vehicle tax bills will be due and payable in full on July 1, 2023
- b. All real estate and personal property tax bills \$100.00 or less will be due and payable in full on July 1, 2023.
- c. Real Estate and personal property tax bills over \$100.00 may be paid in two installments with one half due on July 1, 2023 and one half due on January 1, 2024.

SECONDED: Norman Needleman

All in Favor

MOTION TO ADJOURN: Bruce Glowac

SECONDED: Stacia Libby All in Favor

The meeting adjourned at 7:40 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Joel Marzi Town Clerk