Annual Budget Town Meeting
May 8, 2017

First Selectman, Norman Needleman, called the Town Meeting to order at 7:30 PM. Al Wolfgram was elected Moderator. Selectmen Norman Needleman, Stacia Libby and Bruce Glowac were in attendance as well as James Francis, Treasurer and Kelley Sterner, Director of Finance. Town Clerk Joel Marzi read the call of the meeting. There were approximately fifty two (52) 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 $24,078,267.

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.

First Selectman Norman Needleman indicated that the Town will postpone setting the mill rate given the changeable environment at the State level over its budget.

SECONDED: Terry Stewart **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, 2017
b. All real estate and personal property tax bills $100.00 or less will be due and payable in full on July 1, 2017.
c. Real Estate and personal property tax bills over $100.00 may be paid in two installments with one half due on July 1, 2017 and one half due on January 1, 2018.

SECONDED: James Francis **All in favor**

MOTION TO ADJOURN: James Francis
SECONDED: Bruce Glowac

The meeting adjourned at 7:38 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Joel Marzi
Town Clerk