

**Town Council
Council Chambers
Windsor Town Hall
FEBRUARY 4, 2019
PUBLIC HEARING**

UNAPPROVED MINUTES

1) CALL TO ORDER

The Public Hearing was called to order at 7:15 p.m. by Mayor Trinks.

Present were: Mayor Donald Trinks, Deputy Mayor Jody Terranova, Councilor James Govoni, Councilor Donald Jepsen, Councilor Joseph McAuliffe, Councilor Richard O'Reilly, Councilor Michael Tustin and Councilor Kenneth Wilkos.

Absent: Councilor Nuchette Black-Burke

Mayor Trinks read aloud the notice of the public hearing to hear public comment on the FISCAL YEAR 2020 BUDGET DEVELOPMENT and an ordinance entitled, "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 5, ARTICLE XVII, PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR ELDERLY AND/OR DISABLED HOMEOWNERS."

2) PUBLIC COMMENT

John Dunn, 15 Strawberry Hill, asked if there was a weighted average available for all property types and a total value of the grand list. This is the fifth revaluation since 1999 and usually the mill rate decreases in those years. Since 2013, the mill rate has increased every year. This year it seems that there will be a substantial grand list increase and he asked the council to consider decreasing taxes rather than spend the maximum amount available.

Linda Alexander, 155 Fieldstone Drive, thanked the council for including citizens in the process and even though there is not a lot of information available yet and we don't know what's coming from the state legislature, she will be listening and paying attention and is happy to be a part of the process.

3) ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Trinks declared the Public Hearing closed at 7:21 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Erin Rand
Clerk of the Town Council