

A Public Hearing on the 2023 Preliminary Budget for the Town of Addison was held on Wednesday, October 26, 2022 6:00pm at the Town Hall. The following people were present:

Supervisor	Jack Thompson	
Councilperson	Alice Weale	
Councilperson	Brandon Conklin	
Councilperson	John Lyons	
Councilperson	Joseph Trappler	
Attorney	Craig Patrick - absent	
Town Clerk	Robin Carr	
Hwy Superintendent	Jeff BeGell - absent	
Assessor	Teresa Lyons	
Bookkeeper	Betty Machuga - absent	
Budget Officer	Linda Austin - absent	
Deputy Town Clerk	Elizabeth Carr	
	Hope Trappler	David Miller

Proof of Notice having been furnished, the Public Hearing on the 2023 Preliminary Budget was called to order at 6:00pm. Supervisor Thompson asked all to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance.

Supervisor Thompson asked if anyone wanted the Budget read line by line, all board members and attendees declined. Supervisor Thompson then asked if anyone wanted to speak in favor of or against the 2023 Preliminary Budget.

No one from the public spoke for or against the 2023 Preliminary Budget. Councilperson Conklin referenced Opinion 206-5, Office of the New York State Comptroller, that an Elected Town Officers Salary could not be reduced mid-term without a Local Law subject to a Mandatory Referendum. David Miller, the previous Town Supervisor, stated that the Salary was raised for the Highway Superintendent from \$42,000 to \$50,000 because he didn't want the Town Insurance. Several board members disagreed with Councilperson Conklin's interpretation of the Opinion.

All persons desiring to be heard, having been heard, the Hearing was terminated at 6:08pm.

Motion by Supervisor Thompson, seconded by Councilperson Trappler, to go out of the Public Hearing into a Regular Meeting.

Ayes: Thompson, Weale, Conklin, Lyons and Trappler
Noes: None

Motion by Supervisor Thompson, seconded by Councilperson Trappler to approve **Resolution #10 of 2022**, to Adopt the 2023 Budget. Supervisor - \$6,000; Town Clerk/Tax Collector - \$22,126; Superintendent of Highways - \$45,006; Town Justice - \$9620; Councilpersons – 4 each @\$1200 - \$4800. Total to be raised by Taxes is \$432,220.87 which is a 0.805% increase. Roll Call taken: Thompson – Aye; Weale – No; Conklin – No; Lyons – Aye, and Trappler – Aye. Motion Adopted 3-2.

Motion by Councilperson Trappler, seconded by Councilperson Lyons, that the meeting be adjourned at 6:16pm, and next scheduled meeting is Monday, November 21, 2022 7:00pm at the Town Hall.

Ayes: Thompson, Weale, Conklin, Lyons and Trappler
Noes: None

Respectfully Submitted,

Robin A Carr
Town Clerk

NEXT MEETING:
MONTHLY BOARD MEETING: Monday, November 21, 2022, 7pm at the Town Hall