

A meeting of the Town of Cochection was held on November 4, 2015 at 6:30 PM at the Cochection Town Hall with the following members present:
(Public Hearing)

Supervisor Gary Maas
Councilperson Larry Richardson
Councilperson Anna Story
Councilperson Sean Nearing
Councilperson Paul Salzberg

OTHERS PRESENT:

Hollye Schulman – Town Clerk
Eileen Hennessy –Tax Collector

Supervisor opened meeting with the pledge to the flag at 6:30 pm.

The Town Board discussed several issues, such as the legal notice for the Public Hearing re: Land Purchase for the Sewer Plant. When to hold the Public Hearing (most likely will be at the December regular meeting).

Supervisor also mentioned that at the Supervisor's meeting they discussed the Sales Tax Sharing for the Villages and Towns for FY 2018, and he explained same.

Supervisor also mentioned that the Highway workers would like to have dental plan which they would pay for themselves. They would like the town to do the bookkeeping. Cost would be \$44.00 for single and \$110.00 for a family. This was discussed no decision made

Town Clerk read the legal notice placed in The River Reporter on Oct. 22, 2015 advertising the Public Hearing for the FY 2016 Budget

MOTION: On motion of Councilperson Nearing, seconded by Councilperson Richardson, the following motion was to open the Public Hearing re: 2016 Budget. Time 6:50 p.m. All voted in favor

Only one community members present

Town Board discussed some budget lines –money used previous year the town was over on the Appropriated Fund balance and needed to reduce it thereby adjusting the Revenues & Appropriated Fund balance from \$140,000.00 to \$122,500.00 for the 2016 town wide budget.

MOTION: On motion by Councilperson Salzberg, seconded by Councilperson Nearing, the following motion was to close this Public Hearing. Time 7:00 p.m. All voted in favor

MOTION: On motion of Councilperson Richardson, seconded by Councilperson Story, the following motion was to adopt the FY 2016 town wide budget. All voted in favor

Councilperson Nearing is working on trying to get the Renaissance Grant for the ball field at the Town Hall. This was discussed

MOTION: On motion of Councilperson Story, seconded by Councilperson Nearing, the following motion was to adjourn this Town Board meeting. Time 7:15 p.m. All voted in favor

Respectfully Submitted, _____
Hollye Schulman, Town Clerk