

**Town of Manchester
November 21, 2013
Public Hearing & Special Town Meeting Minutes**

Danny Iverson called the Public Budget Hearing Open at 6:30PM. The budget for 2014 has handed out and Danny asked everyone to take their time to review the budget and then he would ask for any comments, questions or suggestions.

Ruth Ciriacks asked if the 2012 actual detail budget could be adjusted to show the actual mileage expensed for all offices as well as adding the actual 2013 actual beginning balance in the budget worksheets.

Discussion was had in regards to the waste disposal site being self sufficient. Danny stated that yes, it was an on-going problem and that the board was working on new procedures and costs to make the dump stand on its own. We were tied to one more year on our contract with Advanced Disposal, but we were continuing to get information to belong to Jackson County's recycling program to save us huge dollars in our current recycling program. New fees and charges would need to be implemented on January 1, 2014.

Discussion on the Town Hall becoming a "Historical Building" was talked about, along with improvements that were currently being done. A new roof will be replaced yet this year. The old benches were removed and replaced with church pew type seating. Cleaning, painting and some new drywall will also be completed shortly.

Scott made a motion to close the Budget Hearing at 6:54 PM. Tom seconded. Motion Passed.

Special Town Meeting to Adopt Tax Levy

Danny called this meeting to order at 6:55 PM.

Danny called for any discussion on the proposed tax levy-no increase is being asked for-just the statutory levy limit. No discussion, at which time Danny called for a motion from the electors.

Ruth Ciriacks made a motion to adopt the Tax Levy, Jim Kaphengst seconded. Motion Carried.

Scott made a motion to adjourn this special town meeting. Tom seconded. All were in favor.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:07 PM.

Respectfully submitted: Sally Malecki, Clerk