

**MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC HEARING HELD ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2018 AT 6:00 P.M. AT THE FORT ANN TOWN HALL**

**PRESENT:** Supervisor Richard Moore  
Councilman Dennis Fletcher  
Councilman Samuel J. Hall  
Councilwoman Gretchen Stark  
Councilwoman Deborah Witherell

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Barbara Winchell, Town Clerk, Helen Denno, Budget Officer, Mary Davis, Gene Connell

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

This meeting was published in the Post Star October 30, 2018.

On motion of Councilwoman Stark, seconded by Councilman Hall to approve tonight's agenda.

**1.2 2019 Pilot Knob Volunteer Firefighters Assoc., Inc. \$98,490.00 (contract) Public Hearing opened at 6:01 p.m.** Mary Davis asked is that figure includes LOSAP. Supervisor Moore responded yes. The Pilot Knob Volunteer Firefighters Assoc., Inc. closed at 6:02 p.m.

**1.3 2019 Fort Ann Volunteer Fire Company \$204,390.00 (contract) Public Hearing opened at 6:02 p.m.** Supervisor Moore stated levy is the same. The Fort Ann Volunteer Fire Company public hearing closed at 6:03 p.m.

**1.4 2019 West Fort Ann Volunteer Fire Company \$244,934.00 (contract) Public Hearing opened at 6:03 p.m.** Supervisor Moore stated levy is the same. The West Fort Ann Volunteer Fire Company public hearing closed at 6:04 p.m.

**1.5 2019 Fort Ann Rescue Squad \$139,301.00 (contract) Public Hearing opened at 6:04 p.m.** Supervisor Moore stated this is the same amount as last year. The public hearing closed at 6:05 p.m.

**1.1 2019 Budget Public Hearing** opened at 6:05 p.m. Supervisor Moore stated this is a 1% increase over last year. Gene Connell asked if this figure includes the purchase of a new harvester. Supervisor Moore stated that will be decided at the November 13, 2018 Town Board meeting. Supervisor Moore stated that he has had two (2) meetings with Northern Trucking. The first meeting the Highway Superintendent, Paul Winchell, was present and the second meeting Charlie Hillebrandt was present. Supervisor Moore will follow-up with Randy at Northern Trucking on November 13, 2018. The Lake Hadlock Manager salary remains in the budget. The 2019 budget public hearing was closed at 6:07 p.m.

Motion was made by Councilwoman Witherell, seconded by Councilman Fletcher to adjourn meeting at 6:08 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: November 13, 2018

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Barbara Winchell, Town Clerk  
Town of Fort Ann, New York