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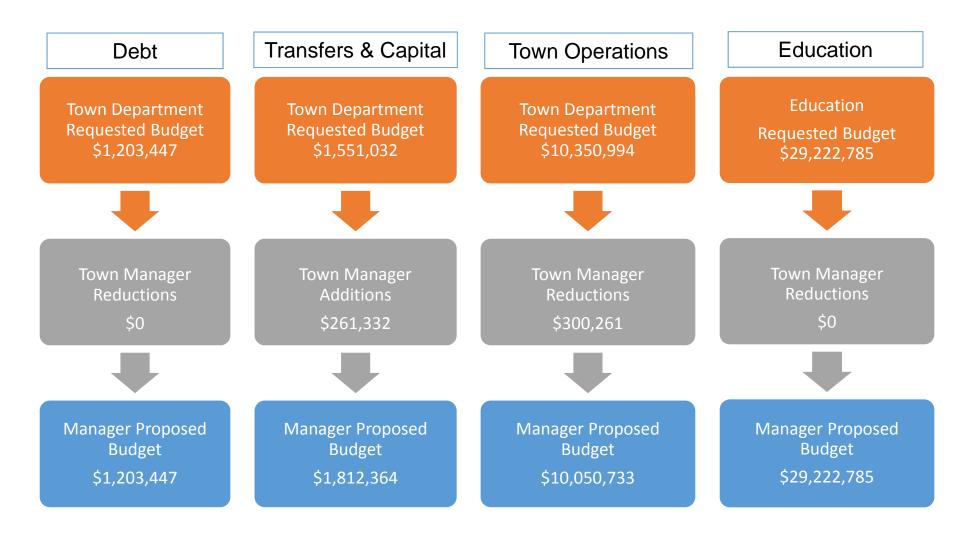
#### **EAST HAMPTON**

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Town Manager 2015-2016 Budget

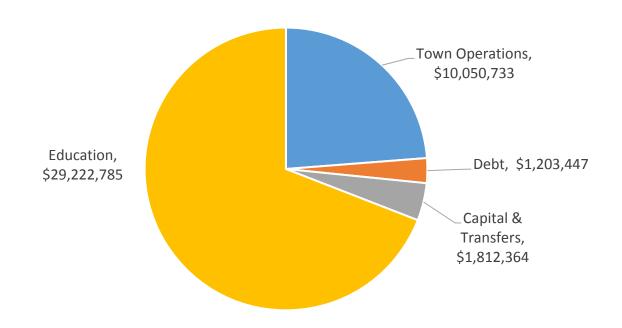
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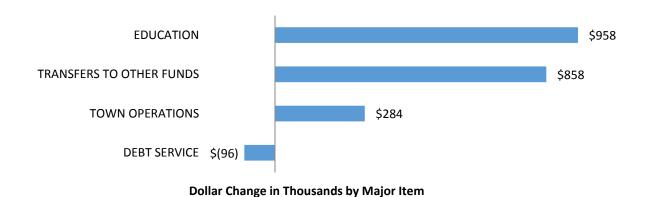


Proposed Spending Plan by Major Function Total Budget Request: \$42,289,329





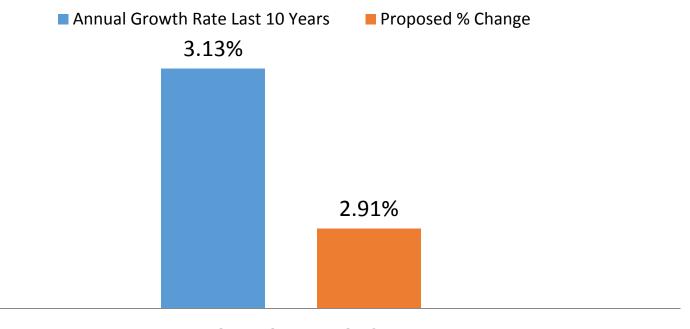
## **2015-2016 Proposed Budget** Allocation of Total Increase





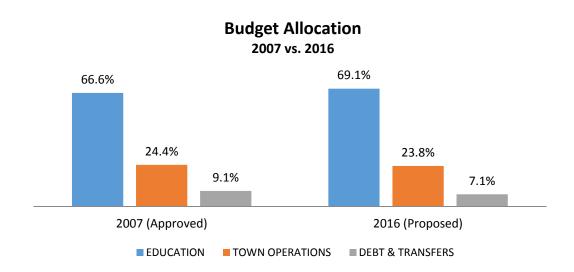
#### **TOWN OPERATIONS**

(EXCLUDES DEBT & TRANSFERS)



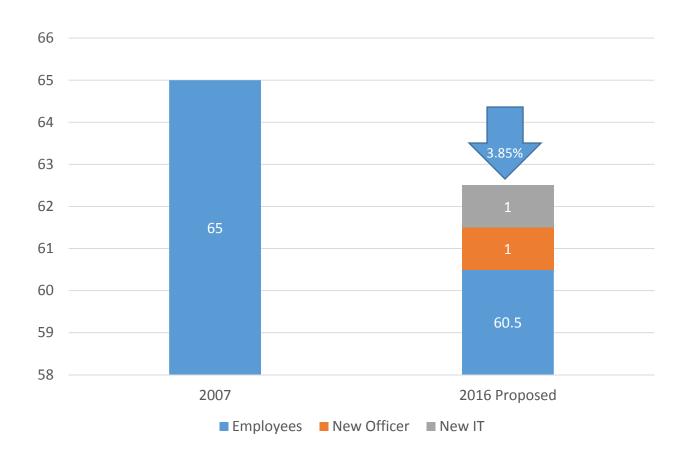
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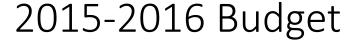






## Full Time Staff







#### YOUR RETURN ON INVESTMENT IN THE EHPD

- > Provides an additional Officer( ½ Year; \$42,808) & 4<sup>th</sup> Sergeant's Position (\$3,800)
- > Reduction in overtime: In 2014 (calendar) we spent \$77,000 filling open shifts
- Enable our staff to start proactive patrolling measures as opposed to solely reactive measures
- > Creation of a detectives position to handle cases being handled by patrol such as: sexual assaults, serious assaults narcotics, burglaries, arsons and identity theft
- > On average we have at least ten shifts a week with no direct supervision
- We project we will be spending \$6,000 in OIC as opposed to \$3,800 for the 4<sup>th</sup> Sergeants position
- > Provides more direct oversight and reduces potential liability for failure to supervise
- Would increase our compliance with our new SOPs and put us on the path to achieving State Accreditation

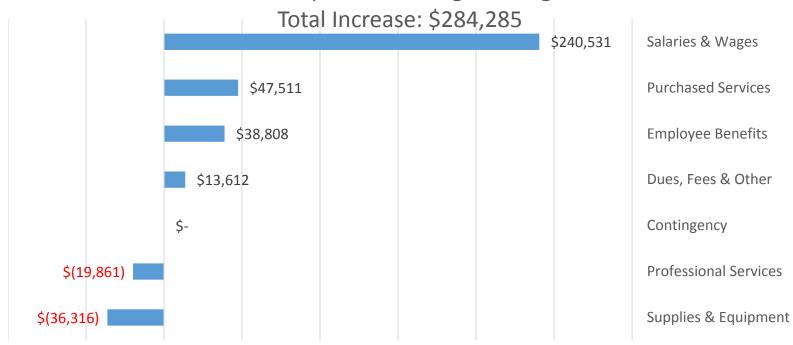




- Currently we spend \$48,000 annually on outside IT support. This provides for 960 hrs. of support annually
- ➤ The proposed position will cost an additional \$30,087. The additional amount covers health insurance, FICA and a defined pension contribution
- > This position will provide an additional 860 hrs. of support annually
- ➤This position will be able to take a proactive rather than reactive approach to IT issues. As more and more services are being provided by departments through the use of technology it is becoming necessary to provide adequate support to those departments
- ➤ Provides better segregation of duties in the Finance Department and will address auditors recommendations
- ➤ Proactively test and monitor the Town's backup and disaster recovery systems
- ➤ Proactively monitor for outside threats
- Improve response time to user issues within 2 hrs.
- ➤ Timely review and processing of software updates
- ➤ Enhance Microsoft Office training



#### Town Operations Budget Change

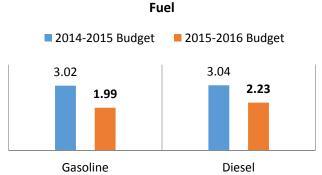




### Expenditures

#### **Forecasted Savings**

• Utilities & Fuel – The Town & Board of Education locked in pricing on gasoline through Dec. 31, 2017 and diesel fuel through June 30, 2017. Total estimated savings between Town and BOE is \$102,000.



• Changing boilers from oil to natural gas for a majority of Town and BOE facilities is estimated to save \$250,000 annually.



#### Revenues

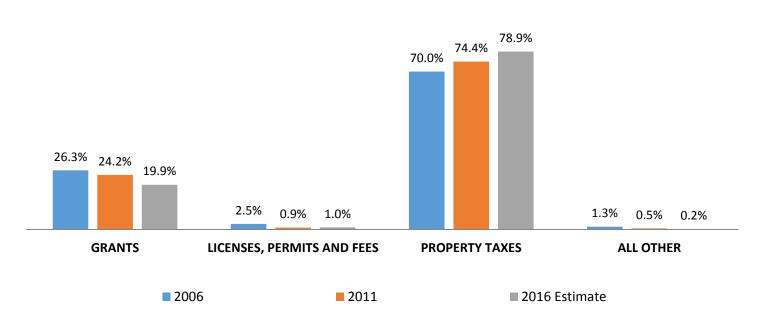
We have adjusted our estimates in the following revenue categories:

- Licenses, Permits & Fees \$4,050
- Grants (\$209,553)
- Delinquent tax collections \$5,200

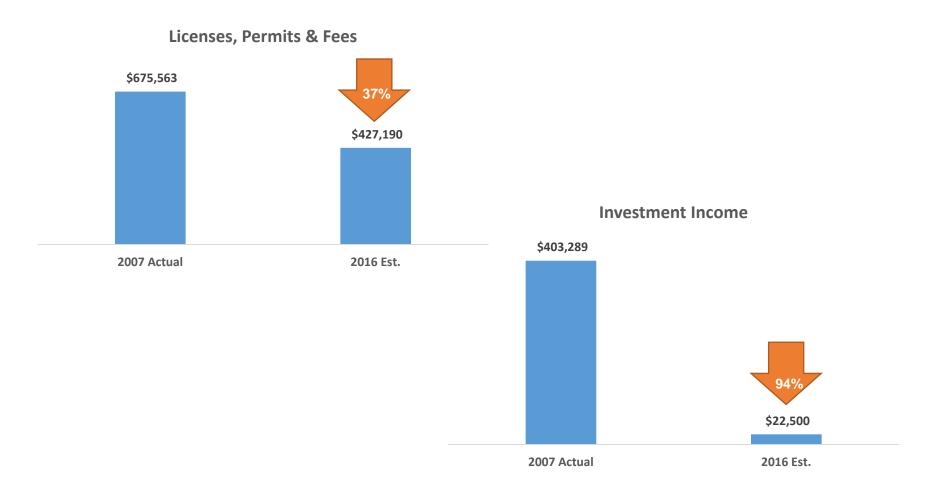
The large decrease in grants is due to the Town receiving its last principal and interest subsidy payment from the State (\$163,417) during the 2015 fiscal year. All other grant estimates are based on the Governor's February 2015 statutory formula grant estimates.



#### % of Total Revenue







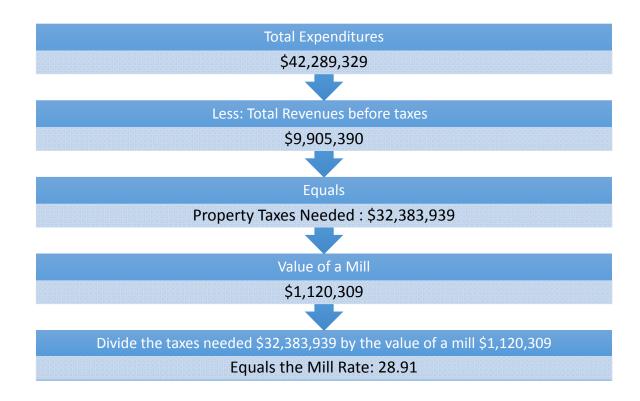


#### **Grand List Growth**

- Grand list growth of .63% or \$7.2M
- This new tax growth will generate \$195,000 in new revenue.

#### **Assessed Value Grand List Growth** 2% 9% 4.6% 3.6% Real Estate Motor Vehicle 1.4% ■ Personal Property 0.97% 0.65% 0.63% 0.6% 0.3% 0.16% 89% 2009 2012 2013 2014 2007 2008 2010 2011 2015 2016 **Fiscal Year**





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# Example of estimated taxes

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2045	2016									
2015-2016										
Proposed Mill Rate					28.91					
Proposed Mill Rate Change					1.77					
Example of Estimated Taxes										
	Market Value		Assessment		Taxes		١	early Increase	Мо	nthly Increase
\$	142,857	\$	100,000	\$	2,891.00		\$	177.00	\$	14.75
\$	214,286	\$	150,000	\$	4,336.50		\$	265.50	\$	22.13
\$	285,714	\$	200,000	\$	5,782.00		\$	354.00	\$	29.50
\$	357,143	\$	250,000	\$	7,227.50		\$	442.50	\$	36.88
\$	428,571	\$	300,000	\$	8,673.00		\$	531.00	\$	44.25
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