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Town of East Hampton
Annual Town Budget Meeting
Monday, May 13, 2019
East Hampton Town Hall Meeting Room

The Annual Town Budget Meeting of the electors of the Town of East Hampton and those entitled to vote at town meetings was held on May 13, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. at the East Hampton Town Hall Meeting Room at 20 East High Street, East Hampton, CT.

Moderator Mr. Steven Greco opened the meeting at 6:00 p.m. and read Attachment #1 - Town Meeting Information. Moderator Greco then directed Town Clerk Kelly Bilodeau to read Attachment #2 – Town Meeting Call.

Following the reading of the call Melissa Engel read Attachment #3 - Town Meeting Resolutions as follows:

Resolved, that this Town Meeting sets the date of Tuesday, May 21, 2019 from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. for a referendum by “YES” OR “NO” vote on voting machines for approval or disapproval of the Town Government annual budget for fiscal year 2019-2020 as recommended by the Board of Finance and approved by the Town Council.

Further resolved, that this Town Meeting sets the date of Tuesday, May 21, 2019 from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. for a referendum by “YES” OR “NO” vote on voting machines for approval or disapproval of the Board of Education annual budget for fiscal year 2019-2020 as recommended by the Board of Finance and approved by the Town Council.

Moderator Greco declared, there being no further business the Town Meeting was adjourned at 6:03 p.m. to the Referendum on Tuesday, May 21, 2019 from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Attest:

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Kelly Bilodeau'.

Kelly Bilodeau, CMC, CCTC
Town Clerk

REFERENDUM May 21, 2019. Moderator Steven Greco called the adjourned Town Meeting to order at 6:00 a.m. and voting began and continued until 8:00 p.m. Moderator Red McKinney called for counting of machine votes. All final vote totals for each question were announced by the Moderator to all those present. It was announced that the Budget failed. Meeting adjourned at 9:10 p.m.

A Tabulator was used, and absentee ballots were received and counted with two being rejected as follows:

Question 1

SHALL THE TOWN GOVERNMENT ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$15,451,679 AS RECOMMENDED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL BE APPROVED?

Question 1	YES	NO
Tabulator	729	837
Hand Count	71	46
Total	800	883

Question 2

SHALL THE BOARD OF EDUCATION ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$31,253,693 AS RECOMMENDED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL BE APPROVED?

Question 2	YES	NO
Tabulator	762	804
Hand Count	68	45
Total	830	849

ADVISORY QUESTIONS

1. IS THE GENERAL GOVERNMENT BUDGET OF \$15,451,679:

Advisory Question 1	TOO HIGH	TOO LOW	JUST RIGHT
Tabulator	778	301	442
Hand Count	47	21	49
Total	825	322	491

2. IS THE BOARD OF EDUCATION BUDGET OF \$31,253,693:

Advisory Question 2	TOO HIGH	TOO LOW	JUST RIGHT
Tabulator	852	387	292
Hand Count	54	31	32
Total	906	418	324

Attest:



Kelly Bilodeau, CMC, CCTC
Town Clerk