Town of East Hampton Annual Budget Town Meeting Monday, May 7, 2018 East Hampton Middle School Library

The Annual Budget Meeting of the electors and citizens qualified to vote in Tow Meetings of the Town of East Hampton was held on May 7, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. at the East Hampton Middle School Library, 19 Childs Road, East Hampton, CT.

Moderator Mr. Steven Greco opened the meeting at 6:00 p.m. Moderator Greco directed Town Clerk Sandra Wieleba to read the Legal Call. Motion made by Ms. Melissa Engel to accept the Legal Call and seconded by Mr. Josh Piteo. Motion passed.

Item. #1. To take action pursuant to Section 7-7 of the Connecticut General Statutes to set the time and date for a referendum by "YES" or "NO" vote on optical scanning machines for the approval or disapproval of the Annual Budget for fiscal year 2018-2019 as recommended by the Town Council.

Moderator Greco requested a resolution.

Ms. Melissa Engel presented "RESOLVED that this Town Meeting sets the date of Tuesday, May 15, 2018 from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. for a referendum by "YES" or "NO" vote on optical scanning machines for approval or disapproval of the Town Government annual budget for fiscal year 2018-2019 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 15, 2018 from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. for a referendum by "YES" or "NO" vote on optical scanning machines for the approval or disapproval of the Board of Education annual budget for fiscal year 2018-2019 as recommended by the Board of Finance and approved by the Town Council", seconded by Mr. Peter Brown.

Moderator Greco called for a vote on the resolution as there was no discussion or questions. Vote declared in affirmative.

Motion by Ms. Melissa Engel to recess the budget meeting at 6:07 p.m. to the referendum on May 15, 2018 from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the East Hampton Middle School seconded by Mr. Peter Brown. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted

Sandra M. Wieleba, Town Clerk

REFERENDUM May 15, 2018. Moderator Greco called the adjourned Town Meeting to order at 6:00 a.m. and voting began and continued until 8:00 p.m. Moderator Greco left the referendum at 3:00 p.m. and appointed Moderator Robert McKinney to continue in his place as moderator. Moderator McKinney called for counting of machine votes. Moderator McKinney reported that the Government budget FAILED and the Education Budget PASSED. Motion to adjourn by Mr. Kevin Reich and seconded by Ms. Alannah Coshow. Moderator McKinney called for vote. Vote in affirmative. Meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

An optical scanner machine was used and absentee ballots were received and counted with none being rejected as follows:

SHALL THE TOWN GOVERNMENT ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2018-2019, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$15,140,708 AS RECOMMENDED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL BE APPROVED?*

	YES	NO
Machine total	901	905
Absentee Ballots	6	5
Hand Count		
TOTAL	907	910

SHALL THE BOARD OF EDUCATION ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2018-2019, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$30,499,668 AS RECOMMENDED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL BE APPROVED?

	YES	NO
Machine total	966	842
Absentee Ballots	6	5
Hand Count		
TOTAL	972	847

^{*}recount in accordance with CGS §9-370a

Property owners: 22

Total number of voter who voted: 1,819

Adjourned:

Sandra M. Wieleba, Town Clerk