Town of Charlton Saratoga County

PUBLIC HEARING For 2021 Preliminary Budget

October 26, 2020 7:00 PM

The Public Hearing for the 2021 Budget of the Town of Charlton, Saratoga County, New York was held at the Charlton Town Hall and called to order by Supervisor Grattidge at 7:00 p.m.

Present: Councilman Grasso, Councilman Robbins, Supervisor Grattidge, Attorney Craig, Town Clerk Brenda Mills.

Excused: Councilman Ranaletto

Town Clerk Mills read the following Legal Notice which was published in the official newspaper, The Daily Gazette on Wednesday October 14th, 2020:

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PRELIMINARY BUDGET

Town of Charlton Saratoga County, NY

NOTICE is hereby given that the preliminary budget of the Town of Charlton for the fiscal year beginning January 2021 has been filed in the office of Town Clerk, where it is available for inspection during business hours. Further notice is hereby given that the Town Board will meet and review said preliminary budget and hold a public hearing thereon at the Charlton Town Hall, 758 Charlton Rd, Charlton, NY at 7:00pm, on October 26th and that at such hearing any town resident may be heard in favor or against any item therein contained. Pursuant to Section 108 of the Town Law, the proposed salaries of the following town officers are hereby specified as follows:

Town Supervisor \$12,240.00 Town Councilman (4) \$6,120.00 Town Clerk \$42,330.00 Highway Superintendent \$61,200.00

BY THE ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD

Brenda Mills, Town Clerk 10/14/20

Supervisor Grattidge gave an overview of the budget:

- 2021 budget for General Fund spending is \$921,526. 2020 budget was \$987,963.
- 2021 budget for Highway spending is \$1,008,457. 2020 budget was \$1,038,809.

Overall there is a 3 to 4% reduction based on lower revenue coming in.

There will be a reduction in capital projects next year, a delay to the revaluation in Town, and less money put in to the Contingency Fund. The budget does contain a 2% pay increase for employees.

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

No one chose to speak.

RESOLUTION #146 Adjournment of Public Hearing

Motion by Councilman Grasso Seconded by Councilman Robbins

Vote: All Ayes, No Nays, CARRIED.

The Public Hearing adjourned at: 7:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Mills Town Clerk