

ORDINANCE COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF CONTINUED PUBLIC HEARING

The Ordinance Committee of the Stratford Town Council conducted a continued Public Hearing on Monday, May 2, and Tuesday, May 3, 2016 pursuant to notice duly posted.

Agenda Items

1. AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF STRATFORD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING JULY 1, 2016, AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2017, AND APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$216,051,861 IN ACCORDANCE THEREWITH; (16-07)
 2. PROPOSED – MILL RATE ORDINANCE – FY17 (WITH PROPOSED MV AND NON-MV REVISIONS) (#16-08)
 3. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$11,565,000 FOR VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017 (#16-09)
 4. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$11,565,000 BONDS OF THE TOWN TO MEET THE APPROPRIATION FOR VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017 AND PENDING ISSUANCE THEREOF THE MAKING OF TEMPORARY BORROWINGS FOR SUCH PURPOSE (#16-10)
 5. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$762,500 FOR VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CAPITAL EQUIPMENT PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017 (#16-11)
 6. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$762,500 BONDS OF THE TOWN TO MEET THE APPROPRIATION FOR VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CAPITAL EQUIPMENT PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017 AND PENDING ISSUANCE THEREOF THE MAKING OF TEMPORARY BORROWINGS FOR SUCH PURPOSE (#16-12)
- I. **Call to Order:** by Ordinance Committee chairman Philip Young on Monday, May 2, 2016 at 6:32 p.m. in the auditorium of Bunnell High School, Bulldog Boulevard, Stratford, CT 06614
- Presiding:** Chairman Philip Young
- Ordinance Committee Members in Attendance:** Ms. Beth Daponte, Mr. Mark Dumas, Mr. Wali Kadeem, Mr. David Harden, Mr. Philip Young, Ms. Marianne Antezzo, Mr. J. Vincent Chase, Mr. Alan Llewelyn, Ms. Tina Manus

The following members of the public addressed the Ordinance Committee in reference to the above-cited ordinances:

- Michael Fiorello, 20 Red Fox Rd.
- Lori Keogh, 20 Hawley Glen
- Kristen Chonko, 105 Pine Street
- Ann Martorana, 285 Reeds Lane
- Peter Bowe, 1705 Reeds Lane
- Paul Graham, 46 Blamey circle
- Ken Navara, 4530 Main Street
- Katie Graf, 66 Riverbend Road
- Brian Frazier, 196 Oakland St.
- Andrea Veileux, 441 Washington Parkway
- Richard Nelson, 125 Fairview Ave.
- Andrea Dodson, 135 High Park Ave.

- Tyler Diaz, 180 Victory Street
- Kayla Diaz, 180 Victory Street
- Aaron D’hati, 361 Wakelee Avenue
- Jill Marie Veteri, 41 Flora Drive
- Harold Greist, 215 Washington Pkwy
- Oscar Quintagilla, 130 Ridge Road
- Marciel Valse, 145 Legion Ave.
- Marissa Guasp, 365 Highland Ave
- Stephanie Philips, 41 Yarwood St.
- Bunnell High School student
- V. Stavis, 213 Hollister Street
- Heather Youngquist, 110 Beers Pl.

II. **Adjournment:** Hearing no additional speakers, Mr. Young recessed the Public Hearing at 7:19 p.m. until Tuesday, May 3 in Stratford High School.

I. **Call to Order:** Chairman Philip Young reconvened the Ordinance Committee Public Hearing on Tuesday, May 3, 2016 at 6:35 p.m. in the auditorium of Stratford High School, North Parade, Stratford, CT 06615
Presiding: Chairman Philip Young
Ordinance Committee Members in Attendance: Ms. Beth Daponte, Mr. Mark Dumas, Mr. Wali Kadeem, Mr. David Harden, Mr. Philip Young, Ms. Marianne Antezzo, Mr. Alan Llewelyn, Ms. Tina Manus

The following members of the public addressed the Ordinance Committee in reference to the above-cited ordinances:

- Dylan Connor, 191 Flagler Ave.
- Kim Cody, 72 Edison Street

- Benny Nwachuocho, 240 Hollywood Ave.
- Julia Seeber, 87 Ravencrest Drive

- Ann-Marie DiGennero, 696 Birdseye Street
- Aamir Kadeem, 96 Larkin Court
- Stephanie Philips, 41 Yarwood St.
- Robin Julian, 520 River Valley Rd.
- Hank Ciecuch, 504 Curtis Ave.
- Adam Brill, 210 Anson St.
- Thomas Yates, 30 Avery St.
- Scott Farrington-Posner, 76 Homestead Ave.

- Jennifer Ortiz, 230 Wiklund Ave.
- Linda Palermo, 46 Vought Place
- Barbara Heimlich, 91 College St.
- Frank Parady, 798 E. Broadway
- Walter Rimkunas, 425 Second Ave.
- Jim Feehan, 930 Beaver Dam Rd.
- Kelly Farrell, 120 Bunnell Ave.
- Dawn Farrell, 120 Bunnell Ave.

Council members responded to comments from members of the public.

- II. **Adjournment:** Hearing no additional speakers, Mr. Young adjourned the Public Hearing at 8:00 p.m.