

## **TOWN OF NEWTOWN**

## TOWN OF NEWTOWN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL MEETING WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 2014 NEWTOWN MUNICIPAL CENTER, NEWTOWN, CT

## MOTIONS

**MINUTES:** MR. LUNDQUIST MOTIONED TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF THE APRIL 2ND MEETING. MOTION SECOND AND APPROVED.

**SENIOR TAX RELIEF:** MR. RYAN MOTIONED TO APPROVE THE AMENDED SENIOR TAX RELIEF ORDINANCE AS WRITTEN WITH 4 NON SUBSTATIVE CHANGES AS EXPLAINED ON FRIDAY, MAY 2, 2014 EMAIL FROM FIRST SELECTMAN LLODRA. MOTION SECOND AND APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.

MR FERGUSON MOVED TO SET THE TOWN OF NEWTOWN MILL RATE FOR YEAR 2014-2015 TO 33.31 REPRESENTING A DECREASE OF -0.02%. SECOND BY MR. KNAPP. UNAMIMOUSLY APPROVED.

MR CHAUDHARY MOTIONED TO APPROVE THE SALE OF MUNICIPAL TAX LEANS ON REAL PROPERTY APPEARING ON THE GRAND LIST OCTOBER 1, 2012 THROUGH OCTOBER 1, 2016. SECOND BY MR. FERGUSON. UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

MR. CHAUDHARY MOTIONED TO APPROVE THE TRANSFER OF UNCOLLECTIBLE MOTOR VEHICLE, PERSONAL PROPERTY AND REAL ESTATE TAX ACCOUNT TO SUSPENSE TAX LIST. SECOND BY MR. FERGUSON. UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

MR. CHAUDHARY MOTIONED TO APPROVE THE RESOLUTION ACCEPTING A GIFT FROM GENERAL ELECTRIC CORPORATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$15,000,000 FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A COMMUNITY CENTER. SECOND BY MR. FERGUSON. APPROVED. 11 YES, 1 NO (MR. FERGUSON)

MR. CHAUDHARY MOTIONED TO APPROVE A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL APPROPRIATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$450,000 FOR PRECONSTTUCTION AND DESIGN PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FOR THE NEW NEWTOWN COMMUNITY CENTER AND AUTHORIZING THE USE OF A \$450,000 GRANT WHICH IS PART OF A \$15 MILLION MULTI-YEAR GRANT FROM GE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF A COMMUNITY CENTER TO FINANCE THIS APPROPRIATION. SECOND BY MR. KNAPP. UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED. MR. CHAUDHARY MOTIONED TO TRANSFER: \$52,000 FROM FEES & PROFESSIONAL SERVICES (1-101-13-500-5300-0000) TO CONTINGENCY (1-101-24-570-5899-0000). SECOND BY MR. FERGUSON. UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

MR. CHAUDHARY MOTIONED TO TRANSFER: \$145,000 FROM CONTINGENCY (1-101-24-570-5899-0000) TO SALARIES & WAGES-OVERTIME (1-101-12-310-5130-0000). SECOND BY MR. FERGUSON. UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

MR. CHAUDHARY MOTIONED TO APPROVE THE TRANSFER: \$35,000 FROM CONTINGENCY (1-101-24-570-5899-0000), TO PROFESSIONAL SERVICES-LEGAL (1-101-15-490-5350-0000). SECOND BY MR. FERGUSON. UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

MR. CHAUDHARY MOTIONED TO APPROVE THE TRANSFER: \$45,000 FROM CONTINGENCY (1-101-24-570-5899-0000), \$15,000 SALARIES & WAGES-FULL TIME (1-101-12-300-5110-0000) & \$25,000 SALARIES & WAGES-FULL TIME (1-101-14-220-5110-0000) TO PROFESSIONAL SERVICES LEGAL (1-101-15-490-5350-0000) SECOND BY MR. FERGUSON. UNAMIMOUSLY APPROVED.