

RED HOOK TOWN BOARD MEETING
October 22, 2018

A budget workshop of the Town Board of the Town of Red Hook, Dutchess County, New York was convened in public session at the Town Hall, 7340 South Broadway, Red Hook at 7:00 p.m.

Present: Supervisor Robert McKeon
 Councilman Harry Colgan
 Councilman William O'Neill
 Councilperson Sarah Imboden
 Councilperson Christine Kane
 Town Clerk Sue McCann
Also Present: Highway Superintendent Theresa Burke
 Bookkeeper Ann Conway

Supervisor McKeon called the meeting to order and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance. The Board began with review of the Highway DB Fund. Highway Superintendent Theresa Burke presented her budget for 2018 and bill amounts as of October 1, 2018. Supervisor McKeon is working on a Capital plan beginning early next year. In regard to Workman's Comp, we are looking into leaving Dutchess County. (Comp.) The Highway Department has a request for a back hoe, and a plow truck will be needed in 2020. The Board continued with review of Highway DB Fund revenues. They want to keep the fund balance strong and keep our credit rating strong. They moved on to review of the SF Fire Fund appropriations, the SL Consolidated Lighting and SW Water O & M Funds. Councilperson Imboden would like food waste to be a budget consideration. There is a grant possibility through the DEC and Rhinebeck may be the lead.

On a motion of Supervisor McKeon seconded by Councilperson Kane moved to hold a public hearing on the preliminary budget on November 8, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.

Adopted Ayes 5 McKeon, Colgan, O'Neill, Imboden, Kane
 Nays 0

On a motion of Councilman O'Neill seconded by Councilperson Kane moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:34 p.m.

Adopted Ayes 5 McKeon, Colgan, O'Neill, Imboden, Kane
 Nays 0

Respectfully submitted,

Sue McCann, Town Clerk