

# **Board of Fire Commissioners**

Greenfield Fire District  
P.O. Box 103  
Greenfield Center, NY 12833

The public hearing on the 2018 Proposed Budget of the Greenfield Fire District Board of Fire Commissioners was called to order at the District Office by Chairman Jack Sadousky at 7:03 PM on October 17, 2017. The flag salute and a moment of silence recognized.

## **Present were:**

**Commissioners:** Chandler, Dussault, King, Miller, Sadousky; and District Administrator/Treasurer Joyce Petkus. Please see sign in sheet for others in attendance.

Chairman Sadousky announced that in accordance with NYS Town Law §105, all Fire Districts must, prior to the adoption of their budget, hold a public hearing on their budget. He also noted the following:

- Tonight's meeting is regarding the 2018 Proposed Budget;
- The proposed budget was adopted on September 19, 2017;
- As specified in NYS Law, the budget has been posted on the website, firehouse and Town billboards, etc.
- Notice of the public hearing was posted in accordance with NYS law;
- The proposed budget was also made available during district office hours;
- The purpose of the hearing is to allow the public to talk and ask questions about the budget;
- The Treasurer will give a brief presentation of the 2018 Proposed Budget;
- The budget must be adopted no later than November 4, 2017 and submitted to the Town budget officer no later than November 7<sup>th</sup>.

Chairman Sadousky then requested Treasurer Petkus to read through the 2018 Proposed Budget. The total budget presented: \$1,582,392.00, which is under the 1.84% tax cap and amounts to a zero increase from the 2017 budget.

Chairman Sadousky then opened the floor to questions/comments from the public: there were no comments.

Chairman Sadousky asked the Board if there were any questions for the Treasurer. Commissioner Dussault questioned if the salary for the Deputy Treasurer would remain. The Treasurer explained several options available to the Board; it was noted by several Board members to keep it as is. There were no other questions.

Motion to close the public hearing of the 2018 Proposed Budget was made by Commissioner Miller with a second from Commissioner Chandler. All in favor, motion carried.

**RESOLUTION #277 TO SET THE 2018 BUDGET ADOPTION MEETING DATE FOR OCTOBER 25, 2017.**

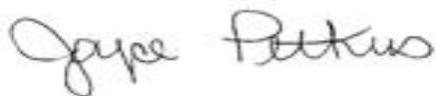
MOTION: Miller  
SECOND: Chandler  
RESOLVED to set the 2018 Budget adoption meeting date for October 25, 2017.  
VOTE: All in favor, motion carried.

**RESOLUTION #278 TO DISPENSE WITH THE READING OF THE MINUTES.**

MOTION: Dussault  
SECOND: Miller  
RESOLVED to dispense with the reading of the minutes.  
VOTE: All in favor, motion carried.

Motion made by Commissioner Dussault with a second from Commissioner King to adjourn the meeting at 7:13 PM. All in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joyce Petkus".

Joyce A. Petkus  
District Administrator/Treasurer