

MINUTES BOOKTOWN OF COEYMANS
November 9, 2023 – Public Hearing – 6:00pm**

A Public Hearing was held Thursday November 9, 2023 at 6:00pm at Town Hall, 18 Russell Avenue, Ravena, New York

PRESENT: Brandon L. LeFevre, Council Member
Marisa Tutay, Council Member
Stephen J. Schmitt, Council Member

Absent: George D. McHugh, Supervisor
Linda S. Bruno, Council Member

ALSO PRESENT: Candace McHugh, Town Clerk

Deputy Supervisor LeFevre called the meeting order and led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance. Council member Tutay led the audience in prayer. Supervisor McHugh asked that the record reflect that all board members were present with the exception of Council member Bruno and Supervisor George McHugh.

Deputy Supervisor Lefevre opened the Public Hearing which was seconded by Council member Tutay in which all in attendance approved. He asked the clerk to read the notice:

**NOTICE
OF
PUBLIC HEARING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Board of the Town of Coeymans will meet and hold a Public Hearing, at the Town Hall, 18 Russell Avenue, Ravena, New York, at 6:00pm on Thursday, November 9, 2023 for the purpose of hearing comments on the 2024 Preliminary Budget.

Pursuant to Section 108 of Town Law, listed below are the proposed salaries of Elected Officials.

Supervisor	(1)	\$45,000.00
Councilman	(4)	\$12,500.00 each
Justice	(2)	\$26,000.00 each
Highway Supt.	(1)	\$64,000.00
Town Clerk	(1)	\$54,000.00

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A copy of the budget will be available at the Town Clerk’s Office, 18 Russell Avenue, Ravena, New York, where it may be viewed, and a copy can be obtained during regular business hours. It will also be available on the Town website.

At the above date, time and place all interested persons are welcome to attend and will be heard.

**By Order of the Town of
Coeymans Town Board
Candace McHugh
Town Clerk**

Public Comment

Cindy Rowzee resides on Orchard Ave. Mrs. Rowzee asked if the Town Council had put money in the budget for the Village pool to be used by the town residents. Council member Tutay recalled that a breakdown of costs was requested but never received. Mrs. Rowzee also mentioned she appreciated that fact the B fund would be funded by fund balance and that sales tax revenue was raised.

Dan Baker from South Clement Ave asked if anyone from the Village had reached out to the Town Board in regards to what they would be requesting in 2024 for the pool. The Council in attendance stated they had not received numbers from the Village.

Barbara Tanner lives on Ridge Road and thanked the Town Board for not raising taxes.

Motion to Close the Public Hearing for the 2024 Budget was made by Supervisor LeFevre and Seconded by Council member Tutay- APPROVED – VOTE – AYES 3 – NAYS 0 – ABSTAIN 0 – ABSENT 2 - SO MOVED

6:12p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Candace McHugh, Town Clerk

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