

**TOWN OF EAST GRANBY
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MINUTES
April 23, 2019**

The Annual Town Meeting of the electors and those qualified to vote at Town Meetings of the Town of East Granby, Connecticut was held on Tuesday, April 23, 2019 at 7:30 p.m. at the Senior/Community Center, East Granby, Connecticut.

The meeting was called to order by James M. Hayden, First Selectman.

The Town Clerk read the notice and stated that said notice, signed by the Board of Selectmen, had been posted on the town sign board on April 17, 2019 and that a copy thereof was published in the April 18, 2019 issue of the Hartford Courant.

R. Brad Wolfe was elected Moderator of the meeting.

The Moderator explained that only those registered voters in the Town of East Granby and any citizen 18 years or older who is liable to the town for taxes assessed against him or her either jointly or severally, based on an assessment of not less than \$1,000 on the last completed grand list of the town, are entitled to vote at this meeting

Motion was made and seconded to dispense with the reading of the January 31, 2019 Special Town Meeting minutes. Motion carried.

Motion was made and seconded to accept the minutes from the Special Town Meeting held on January 31, 2019 as prepared by the Town Clerk. Motion carried.

The Moderator explained that in accordance with Section 7-7 of the General Statutes of Connecticut the Board of Selectmen removed Item 2 from the call of the Annual Town Meeting to an Adjourned Town Meeting for the purpose of submitting said item to a referendum vote to take place on May 7, 2019 at the hours to be determined by this meeting. This motion will be read for discussion purposes only.

Motion was made by Bob Ravens-Seeger and seconded to adopt the following RESOLUTION: BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that that the Annual Budget for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020 in the amount of \$4,850,000 for the General Government; \$16,980,000 for the Board of Education; \$853,925 for Debt Service; \$600,000 for the Capital Reserve Fund; totaling \$23,283,925 be adopted as recommended by the Board of Finance.

Representatives from the Board of Finance, the Board of Selectmen and the Board of Education spoke about their areas of the budget summarizing what had been said at the public hearing of the Board of Finance. The Moderator entertained questions from the floor for before closing debate.

Motion was made by Natalie Welsh and seconded to adopt the following RESOLUTION: BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the hours of voting at the referendum to be held on May 7, 2019 for the purpose of approving or disapproving the town budget for fiscal year 2019/2020 be extended to 6:00 AM through 8:00 PM

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned to Tuesday, May 7, 2019 at 6:00 A.M. in the East Granby Senior/Community Center.

Attest,

Christine Gallagher, Town Clerk

Received for Record April 24, 2019
By Christine Gallagher, Town Clerk