

## SPECIAL MEETING

November 12, 2012

The Special Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of New Bremen, County of Lewis and the State of New York was held at the Town Municipal Office Building, 8420 State Rte. 812, New Bremen, New York on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 2012.

Town Officer's Present: Peter J. Keys, Supervisor  
David L. Becker, Councilman  
Matthew E. Bush, Councilman  
Ralph L. Bush, Councilman  
Susan J. Sauer, Councilwoman  
Donald Glenn, Deputy Hwy. Superintendent  
Elizabeth B. Jones, Clerk  
Aimee L. Murphy, Deputy Clerk/Court Clerk

Attended by: Approximately 4 people

Supervisor Keys called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

### **OPENING OF PUBLIC HEARING**

The Public Hearing for the Preliminary Budget for 2013 was declared open at 6:31 p.m. with Proof of Publication in the Journal & Republican being acknowledged.

### **PRIVILEGE OF FLOOR**

Supervisor Keys opened the floor to the public for comments.

Patty Flint and Sheila Buckingham questioned the necessity for the increase in the personal services for the Highway Department. They feel no one should get raises this year due to the economic struggle. They also would like to see the employees pay a higher percentage of their health insurance premium.

Supervisor Keys stated the increase in the personal services funds does not necessarily mean the highway men will get a raise this year and it does not mean that all monies in those funds will be spent. Highway wages are set in December and will be addressed at that time.

### **BUDGET CHANGES**

Supervisor Keys received an invoice from the NYS Retirement System for the Towns contribution for 2013 showing a significant increase from 2012. After discussion the Board increased the state retirement accounts A9010.8, DA9010.8 & DB9010.8 from \$25,000 to \$27,000 in the 2013 preliminary budget.

### **CLOSE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

All comments and/or questions by the public pertaining to the 2013 Preliminary Budget were addressed. Therefore, the public hearing was hereby closed at 7:25 p.m. by Supervisor Keys.

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**RESOLUTION NO. 137 OF 2012  
ADOPTION OF THE 2013 BUDGET**

On a motion by Councilman M. Bush, seconded by Councilman Becker, the following resolution was  
ADOPTED Ayes 5 Becker, M. Bush, R. Bush, Sauer, Keys Nays 0

Whereas the Town Board of the Town of New Bremen did meet at the time and place as advertised in the  
Journal & Republican, now therefore

Be It Resolved that the Town Board of the Town of New Bremen does hereby adopt such Preliminary Budget  
of the Town of New Bremen for fiscal year 2013 and said budget will be attached to the proceedings of this  
meeting, and be it

Further Resolved that the Town Clerk shall prepare and certify a copy of the annual budget as adopted by the  
Town Board pursuant to Town Law and within 5 days thereof deliver 2 copies to the Supervisor for submission  
to the Board of Legislators.

With no further business, on a motion of Councilman Becker, seconded by Councilman M. Bush, the meeting  
was adjourned at 7:30 p.m. Carried unanimously.

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Elizabeth B. Jones, RMC  
Town Clerk/Tax Collector