

TOWN OF KILLINGLY
RECONVENED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MINUTES
Monday, June 2, 2014
(TO BE ADJOURNED TO MACHINE VOTE)

The Reconvened Annual Town Meeting of electors and citizens qualified to vote in the Town Meetings of the Town of Killingly, Connecticut, shall be held, pursuant to Section 701 of the Killingly Town Charter, in the auditorium of the Killingly High School, 226 Putnam Pike, Dayville, Connecticut on Monday, June 2, 2014 at 7:30 p.m. to consider the following:

1. To consider the following ordinance:

**ORDINANCE APPROVING THE OPERATING BUDGET FOR
THE TOWN OF KILLINGLY FOR FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2014 – JUNE 30, 2015**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF KILLINGLY that, in accordance with Section 1005 of the Town Charter, the budget for the Town of Killingly, Connecticut, for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2015, in the amount of **\$14,142,032** allocated to General Government and **\$40,063,458** allocated to Education, for a total combined budget of **\$54,205,490** be adopted.

KILLINGLY TOWN COUNCIL
John Hallbergh
Chairman

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by John Hallbergh, Council Chairman. There were approximately 50 people in attendance, and the meeting was videotaped for public access on Channel 22.

The call of the meeting was read by Elizabeth M. Wilson, Town Clerk. Motion made by Lynn LaBerge, seconded by Tammy Wakefield to nominate William St. Onge as Moderator of the Reconvened Annual Town Meeting. Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

Motion to close nominations was made by Lynn LaBerge, seconded by Dennis Alemian. Motion passed.

Vote for Moderator: Unanimous to elect William St. Onge as Moderator.

Motion made by Gerard Cinq Mars, seconded by Joyce Ricci to adopt the Ordinance Approving the Operating Budget for Town of Killingly for Fiscal year July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2015.

The Moderator asked for the presentations of the Superintendent, Kevin Farr. He presented a brief slide presentation on the Education Budget. Sean Hendricks, Town Manager then proceeded to present a brief slide presentation on the General Government Budget.

The Moderator asked to continue the motion from the Annual Town meeting to limit speakers to 5 minutes each, and can only speak again once every person entitled has a turn to speak on the item being discussed.

The following residents, electors and taxpayers spoke on the General Government Budget:

Stewart Rivers, 300 River Road raised question to Council of "How many Troopers now in Town?" Also, "What are their hours that they cover for the Town of Killingly?" He is opposed of adding more resident troopers.

Dennis Alemian, 505 Reynolds Avenue discussed that the residential troopers.

Discussion continued.

The following residents, electors and taxpayers spoke on the Education Budget:

Stewart Rivers, 300 River Road asked Superintendent, Kevin Farr "Is the All Day Kindergarten I still be in place?". He stated it was and Mr. Rivers responded with very happy that it still was in place and hope that it passes.

Richard Murray, 17 Huntley Road stated we need to keep supporting our schools and need to pull for the all-day Kindergarten.

Christopher Glynn, 11 Huntley Road stated would like to see the Education budget pass and wish we could explain more on the ballot.

William St. Onge, Moderator stated that by the Secretary of the State we must word it that way. We must remain neutral when explaining.

Motion made by John Burns, seconded by Richard Murray to adjourn at 8:14 p.m. to the machine vote on June 10th, 2014 between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. at all polling places.

Passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted

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Elizabeth M. Wilson
Town Clerk