

**ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MINUTES**  
**JUNE 13, 2017 - 7:00 PM**  
**ROCKVILLE HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM**  
**70 LOVELAND HILL ROAD**  
**VERNON, CONNECTICUT**

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Pledge of allegiance

Mayor Daniel A. Champagne called the adjourned Annual Town Meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

There were approximately 75 persons present at the Annual Town Meeting including the Mayor and members of the Town Council.

Town Clerk, Bernice K. Dixon, read into the record the legal notice of the Adjourned Annual Town Meeting and certified that the notice was posted on the indoor and outdoor bulletin boards in the Town Hall, the town website and published in the Journal Inquirer in the June 7, 2017 edition.

Mayor Daniel A. Champagne turned the meeting over to Moderator James Luddecke, Finance Officer and Treasurer. Mr. Luddecke spoke on the status of the State of Connecticut's budget, and the impact to the Town if State aid was reduced.

Moderator Mr. Luddecke explained the requirements necessary to vote at the Annual Town Meeting as to residence, age and ownership of property.

The Moderator then asked if anyone present wanted to comment on the budget:

Daniel Champagne, 30 Lawler Road, spoke on the reduction of State aid to the Town of Vernon. It is anticipated that the State of Connecticut will have its budget finalized by September.

7:07 PM Moderator closed the comment portion of the meeting.

**PROPOSED MOTION:**

**MOVE TO ADOPT THE TOWN OF VERNON BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING JULY 1, 2017 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2018 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$89,494,832.00.**

Steve Wakefield, seconded by Laura Bush, moved to adopt the Vernon budget for fiscal year commencing July 1, 2017 and ending June 30, 2018 in the amount of \$89,494,832. Motion carried by hand vote.

7:09 PM John Anderson, seconded by Robert Hurd, made a motion to adjourn. Motion carried.

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Approved:

Respectfully Submitted,

Karen C. Daigle  
Recording Secretary