

SPECIAL TOWN BOARD MEETING (BUDGET WORKSHOP) -TOWN OF BRIGHTON –
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The Special Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Brighton was held Tuesday, October 15, 2002 at 6:00 p.m. at the Brighton Town Hall, Paul Smiths, NY, with the following:

PRESENT: Deputy Supervisor Alicia Bodmer
Council Members: Linda Dobson
John Quenell
Steven Tucker

ABSENT: None

VACANT: Supervisor

OTHERS PRESENT: Elaine Sater-Town Clerk and Don Oliver-Superintendent of Highways

RESIDENTS: There was one resident present.

GUESTS: None

Meeting was **Called to Order** by Deputy Supervisor Alicia Bodmer at **6:05 p.m.** She stated **the Purpose for the special meeting was to discuss the 2003 Tentative Budget**

Public Notice: Notification was faxed to the Adirondack Daily Enterprise on Saturday October 12, 2002, and public notices were posted in the Paul Smiths, Gabriels, and Rainbow Lake Post Offices, two local businesses and on the Town Clerk Signboard

John Quenell gave a brief presentation on the different sources of funds for the Budget, which includes funds in the bank at the end of the year, revenues collected from other government sources and other sources, and the Tax Levy. The tax levy has remained steady over the last five years compared to the up and down amounts of the early 1990s.

Discussion started with A1010.1 (Board Members) and finished with A1670.4 (Central Mail) during this meeting. Each line item was discussed and an amount set that will be revisited again before the 2003 Preliminary Budget is set. The Citizen's Compensation Report is being used to calculate salaries.

Motion made by Alicia Bodmer **to hold a Special Town Board meeting on Tuesday, October 22, 2002, at 6:00 pm and Saturday, October 26, 2002, at 8:30am to discuss the 2003 Budget**, second by John Quenell, Aye 4, Vacant 1 (Supervisor)

Motion made by Alicia Bodmer **to hold a Special Town Board Meeting on Friday, October 18, 2002, at 6:00 pm to discuss a HUD matter**, second by Linda Dobson, Aye 4, Vacant 1 (Supervisor)

Motion made by Alicia Bodmer **to hold a Public Hearing on Thursday, November 7, 2003, at 6:30 pm for the Purpose of public input on the 2003 Preliminary Budget**, second by John Quenell, Aye 4, Vacant 1 (Supervisor)

Motion made by Alicia Bodmer **to adjourn the Special Town Board Meeting at 7:04 p.m.**, second by Linda Dobson; Aye 4, Vacant 1(Supervisor)

Respectfully submitted,

Elaine W. Sater
Brighton Town Clerk