



TOWN OF AVON
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Monday, August 8, 2011

at 7:30 o'clock in the evening at Avon High/Middle School

Moderator Frank Staffier called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. and recessed the meeting until the required quorum of 75 was obtained. The meeting resumed at 7:35 p.m. the quorum of 75 being present. Moderator Staffier called for Frank Hegarty, Selectmen, to lead the meeting in the pledge of allegiance. A moment of silence was called for to remember our Servicemen serving in harms way. Moderator Staffier called for Article 1.

Selectmen Frank Hegarty spoke to explain the Article. The amount of \$221,269.(over and above Selectmen and Finance Committee recommendations) was voted by the Annual Town Meeting. As there was not enough levy capacity to support this, the Selectmen called for a Prop. 2 ½ override election. The question on the ballot failed. This Article is to reduce the School Dept. budget to the recommended figure of \$5,695,063.

ARTICLE 1: A motion was made and seconded and **UNANIMOUSLY VOTED IN THE AFFIRMATIVE** to reduce the FY12 operating budget of the Town of Avon as voted by Town Meeting on May 3, 2011 Line Item 300-2 School Department Operating Expenses by Two Hundred and Twenty-One Thousand Two Hundred and Sixty-Nine Dollars (\$221,269)

A motion was made and seconded and **UNANIMOUSLY VOTED IN THE AFFIRMATIVE** to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m

Respectfully Submitted,

V. Jean Kopke
Town Clerk