

**MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC HEARING OF  
THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF NEW LEBANON  
ON THE LVPA BUDGET FOR 2019  
HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 2018**

**Present:** Colleen Teal, Supervisor  
Kevin Smith Sr., Councilmember  
Jesse Newton, Councilmember  
Mark Baumli, Councilmember  
Norman Rasmussen, Councilmember

**Recording Secretary:** Tistrya Houghtling, Town Clerk

**Others Present:** Jeff Winestock, Highway Superintendent  
Bill Black, CC Emergency Management  
Kevin Darcy, LVPA  
Eugenia Browning, LVPA

**CALL TO ORDER:**

The public hearing was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Supervisor Teal.

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE:**

Town Clerk Houghtling read the following public hearing notice aloud:

**TOWN OF NEW LEBANON  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
ON THE LVPA 2019 PRELIMINARY BUDGET AND  
THE TOWN OF NEW LEBANON  
2019 PRELIMINARY BUDGET**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the PRELIMINARY BUDGET of the TOWN OF NEW LEBANON for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2019, including general town funds, highway funds, and fire protection district funds, has been completed and filed in the office of the Town Clerk at the New Lebanon Town Hall, 14755 NYS Route 22, New Lebanon, New York, where it is available for inspection by any interested persons during regular Town Clerk office hours. The Preliminary Budget for 2019 has also been posted on the town website ([www.townofnewlebanon.com](http://www.townofnewlebanon.com)) and can be viewed or downloaded from the website.

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Board of the Town of New Lebanon shall hold a public hearing on the Lebanon Valley Protective Association's 2019 Preliminary Budget on Thursday, November 8, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at the New Lebanon Town Hall, 14755 NYS Route 22 for the purpose of receiving public input on said budget.

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Board of the Town of New Lebanon shall hold a public hearing on the Town of New Lebanon's 2019 Preliminary Budget on Thursday, November 8, 2018 at 7:05 p.m. at the New Lebanon Town Hall, 14755 NYS Route 22 for the purpose of receiving public input on said budget.

The following are the proposed 2019 salaries of the Elected Town Officers of the Town of New Lebanon:

Supervisor	\$22,772
Councilmembers (4)	\$4,000 each
Town Clerk	\$37,737
Highway Superintendent	\$61,752
Town Justices (2)	\$10,931 each
Tax Collector	\$10,812

The following is the proposed amount for 2019 for the Lebanon Valley Fire Protective Association:

SF-1	\$159,500
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By order of the Town Board of the Town of New Lebanon

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

Supervisor Teal opened the floor to public comment.

Nobody spoke in favor of the proposed budget. Nobody spoke opposed to the proposed budget.

Councilmember Newton clarified that of the \$159,500 budget, \$129,500 is for operating and \$30,000 is for contingency.

**CLOSING OF PUBLIC HEARING:**

All persons desiring to be heard, having been heard, a motion was made by Councilmember Newton, seconded by Councilmember Baumli and approved unanimously to close the public hearing at 7:04 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Tistrya Houghtling  
New Lebanon Town Clerk