

Minutes of the special meeting of the Jerusalem Town Board held on September 13, 2012 at 7:00 P.M. PRESENT were: Supervisor Jones, Deputy Supervisor Stewart, Councilors Folts, Killen, Parson, Steppe, Town Clerk McMichael, Budget Officer Muscarella.

GUESTS: Acting Highway Superintendent Martin.

Supervisor Jones called the meeting to order at 7:02 P.M.

Budget Officer Muscarella offered options to reduce the tentative budget tax increase to 1.5%. Items discussed included salary proposals; medical and dental insurance; salt storage building reserve; attorney fees; planning grant expense and planning legal/consulting fees.

The Data Collector proposal was removed from the discussion list. Medical and dental options were deferred to 2014.

Town Clerk McMichael excused herself from the meeting following salary discussions.

Council will identify further options for discussion to reduce the tax increase at the September 20, 2012 budget workshop.

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Sheila McMichael, Town Clerk