

**TOWN OF ASHFORD**  
**SPECIAL TOWN MEETING/  
ANNUAL BUDGET MEETING**  
**TUESDAY, APRIL 19, 2016, 7:30 P.M.**  
**KNOWLTON MEMORIAL HALL**  
**25 Pompey Hollow Road, Ashford, CT**

**MINUTES**

First Selectman Michael Zambo called the Special Town Meeting/Annual Budget Meeting to order at 7:35 p.m., read the legal notice for the meeting at that time, and thanked the audience and three members of the Board of Finance for attending.

Cathryn Silver-Smith nominated Michael Zambo to serve as Moderator. Carl Pfalzgraf seconded the motion. Bill Falletti moved that nominations be closed. Ralph Fletcher seconded the motion to close nominations, which passed. Motion that Michael Zambo serve as Moderator passed.

Mr. Zambo read Agenda Item #2:

**Agenda Item #2: Shall the Town of Ashford appropriate the sum of \$3,170,403 for the General Government budget, and \$686,132 for the Capital Improvement budgets of the Town of Ashford for the fiscal year 2016-2017, the total appropriation being \$3,856,535**

C. Pfalzgraf moved that Agenda Item #2 be voted on at referendum on Tuesday, May 3, 2016.

C. Silver-Smith moved to second; the motion passed unanimously.

Mr. Zambo read Agenda Item #3:

**Agenda Item #3: Shall the Town of Ashford appropriate the sum of \$7,406,140 for the Ashford Board of Education budget for the fiscal year 2016-2017**

B. Falletti moved that Agenda Item #3 be voted on at referendum on Tuesday, May 3, 2016.

Janet Bellamy moved to second; the motion passed unanimously.

Mr. Zambo read Agenda Item #4:

**Agenda Item #4: Shall the sum of \$18,135,475, the Town of Ashford's share of which is \$3,410,845, be appropriated for the operation and maintenance of the Regional School District Number 19 Public School System for the July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017 fiscal year?**

C. Silver-Smith moved that Agenda Item #4 be voted on at referendum on Tuesday, May 3, 2016.

Susan Eastwood moved to second; the motion passed unanimously.

M. Zambo announced that the meeting was adjourned to referendum at 7:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Sherri L. Mutch, CMC  
Ashford Town Clerk