

**TOWN OF HILL**  
**THE SELECTMEN'S MEETING**

Special Meeting  
November 23, 2021

**Selectmen Present:** Tom Seymour, Shaun Bresnahan, Christopher Gronski & Lisa Seymour  
(Administrative Assistant)

**Selectmen Absent:**

Thomas Seymour called the meeting to order at: 2:10 pm

**BOARD BUSINESS:**

Special Meeting to set the 2021 final tax rate:

Lisa Seymour provided different scenarios to see what we could do to lessen the tax rate for the town.

Scenario 1: Using \$95,448 from the unreserved fund balance the rate would be \$25.86 per thousand. The breakdown tax rate breakdown would be Town portion Municipal \$6.91 County \$2.65 School portion Local Education \$14.42 and State Education \$1.88.

Scenario 2: Using \$105,000 from the unreserved fund balance the rate would be \$25.76 per thousand. The breakdown tax rate breakdown would be Town portion Municipal \$6.81 County \$2.65 School portion Local Education \$14.42 and State Education \$1.88.

Scenario 3: Using \$115,000 from the unreserved fund balance the rate would be \$25.65 per thousand. The breakdown tax rate breakdown would be Town portion Municipal \$6.70 County \$2.65 School portion Local Education \$14.42 and State Education \$1.88.

Christopher Gronski asked if we could do \$150,000 to reduce it further. Shaun Bresnahan said if we do this and we have growth which will increase services, we will not succeed.

Next year is going to be challenging with an increase of the ambulance contract with Bristol, increases in the Fire department to meet life safety, the Highway department needing to replace the 550 truck, and the school gaining additional students.

Christopher Gronski asked who maintains the school building which belongs to the town. The school maintains the building.

Thomas Seymour stated the town rate has stayed steady over the past 5 years.

Shaun Bresnahan made a motion to set the rate as \$25.65. Christopher Gronski seconded the motion. All in favor

Lisa Seymour will submit the information to the Department of Revenue for approval.

With no further business to conduct, Shaun Bresnahan made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Christopher Gronski seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously motion at 2:50 pm.

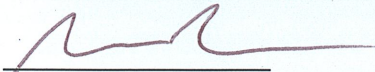
Respectfully Submitted,

Lisa Seymour

Tom Seymour, Chair



Shaun Bresnahan



Christopher Gronski

