

**Town of Ridgeville
Minutes of the Public Budget Hearing
2015 Proposed Budget
And
Special Town Meeting of the Electors-2015 Budget
Monday, November 17, 2014**

Board Members Present: Chairman, Mike Luethe; 1st Supervisor, Jerry Haney; 2nd Supervisor, Carrol Wallerman; also attending were Clerk, Rita Williams; Treasurer, Mary Fries and 6 other residents.

The Budget Hearing was opened by Chairman, Mike Luethe with the pledge to the flag.

Chairman Luethe asked those in attendance to review the proposed budget for the 2015 Year. There was some discussion on the roads and possibly putting more money in the budget for the up keep on roads. It was noted that we could possibly have some money left that could be put towards the roads. There was a motion from Inese Strazdins Epstein and seconded by Ron Luethe to approve the proposed budget as presented for the 2015 Budget Year. Motion Carried. There were a total of 11 attending with 9 yes votes and 2 not voting.

The budget hearing was adjourned with a motion from Ron Luethe and seconded by Mary Fries. Motion Carried. There were a total of 11 attending with 9 yes votes and 2 not voting.

Chairman Luethe then opened the Special Meeting of the Electors-2015 Budget.

1. Chairman, Mike Luethe asked those present to review the proposed Highway Expenses for the 2015 Budget Year. The proposed costs will total \$154,477. There was a motion from Ron Luethe to approve the proposed highway expenses for the 2015 budget year. There was a second by Inese Strazdins Epstein. Motion Carried. There were a total of 11 attending with 9 yes votes and 2 not voting.

2. Chairman, Mike Luethe then asked those present to review the Levy for the 2015 Budget Year which has been set at \$136,070 which is an increase of \$1,331 over last year's levy or .0099% increase. This includes the \$1,331 plus \$10,000 for the truck loan payments. There was a motion from Mike Luethe and seconded by Ron Luethe to approve the levy for the 2015 Year. Motion Carried. There were 11 attending with 9 yes votes and 2 not voting.

There was a motion by Ron Luethe and seconded by Mary Fries to adjourn the Special Meeting of the Electors. Motion Carried. There were 9 yes votes and 2 not voting.

**Rita Williams
Clerk**

