

**TOWN OF WEST GREENWICH  
TOWN COUNCIL**

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**BUDGET HEARING  
APRIL 8, 2015**

A Budget Hearing of the West Greenwich Town Council was held on April 8, 2015. Present were Mark Tourgee, Susan Woloohojian, Robert Andrews, Thomas Mulcahey and Linda Rekas Sloan. Also present were Town Administrator Kevin Breene and Town Solicitor Michael Ursillo.

**A. CALL TO ORDER – 7:00 P.M.**

Council President Tourgee called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

The pledge of allegiance was recited.

**B. BUDGET HEARING ON FY 2015/2016 BUDGET**

Council President Tourgee opened the Public Hearing on the 2015/ 2016 Budget.

Council President Tourgee explained the school budget and the Council does not have control over the school budget.

The proposed budget was reviewed.

Town Administrator Breene explained the bond rating and refinancing with savings of \$600,000.00

Council President Tourgee reviewed the following appropriations from surplus:  
Fire Apparatus 60,000, Asphalt Fund \$100,000, Sweeper Fund \$112,000, Highway Truck \$50,000, and Police Vehicle \$41,000.

Council President Tourgee further reviewed the overall budget.

Town Administrator Breene stated taxes have remained level for the past 6 years and the proposed budget is fiscally conservative.

Councilwoman Rekas Sloan moved to adopt the budget as proposed and to be presented to the voters at the Financial Town meeting. Councilman Andrews seconded

VOTED: Tourgee - aye, Woloohojian - aye, Andrews - aye, Mulcahey –aye, Rekas Sloan - aye

Councilwoman Rekas Sloan moved to adjourn at 7:21 P.M. Councilman Andrews seconded.

VOTED: Tourgee - aye, Woloohojian - aye, Andrews - aye, Mulcahey –aye, Rekas Sloan - aye

**ERIN F. LIESE, CMC  
TOWN CLERK**