

Town of Greenville
SPECIAL/EMERGENCY MEETING
RE: SCHEDULING PUBLIC HEARING
February 15th, 2023 6:00pm

An emergency meeting was called to order by Supervisor Macko on February 15th, 2023 at 6:00pm at Pioneer Hall. This meeting was posted to the Town Website Calendar and Signboard outside of Pioneer Hall. Supervisor Macko started this meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance at 6:01pm.

Four Board members were present, Councilman Bensen was absent.

Supervisor Macko explained that the purpose this meeting was to schedule and appropriately give notice/advertise that a Public Hearing will be held regarding Local Law Introductory Number 1 of 2023 Real Property Tax Exemption for Volunteer Firefighters and Ambulance Workers.

The following email was received from the Greene County Real Property Tax Service, initiating the need for the Public Hearing being scheduled:

"The Greene County Legislature has decided to take action on the new Real Property Tax Law Section 466-a which provides all local governments with the option to provide a property tax exemption to volunteer firefighters and volunteer ambulance workers. Attached please find a copy of the legislation A10155-A that amended RPTL 466-a to allow for this local option and a copy of the proposed Greene County Local Law Number 1 of 2023. The Greene County Legislature will be holding a public hearing on February 6, 2023 at 6:00 P.M. and convene a special meeting of the Legislature immediately following said public hearing to act on this local law.

Each municipality (by local law) and school district (by resolution) will need to do the same for the exemption to apply to their individual taxes. If you desire to allow for this exemption, action will need to take place prior to March 1st for this to be applicable for the 2023 assessment rolls."

Councilman Bear motioned, seconded by Councilman VonAtzingen to schedule a Public Hearing on February 28, 2023 at 6:00pm regarding Local Law Introductory Number 1 of 2023 Real Property Tax Exemption for Volunteer Firefighters and Ambulance Workers. Carried 4 ayes

There being no further business this meeting was adjourned at 6:03pm.

Jessica K. Lewis, Town Clerk-Collector

Supervisor Macko

Councilman Bear

Councilman Richards

Councilman Von Atzingen