

**TOWN OF WEST WARWICK**  
**ANNUAL FINANCIAL TOWN MEETING**

**TUESDAY, MAY 17, 2005**

**WEST WARWICK HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM**  
**WEBSTER KNIGHT DRIVE**  
**WEST WARWICK, RHODE ISLAND**

*DOORS OPEN AT 6:00 PM*

*MEETING CONVENES AT 7:00 PM*

**AGENDA**

**MODERATOR:**

**Moderator David D. Clayton** convenes the Annual Financial Town Meeting and reports that the Board of Canvassers has reported that \_\_\_\_\_ voters have registered for the meeting.

**DEPUTY TOWN CLERK:**

**Deputy Town Clerk Deborah A. Tellier** declares a quorum present and on record.

**PRAYER:**

Prayer led by **Councilman Leo Costantino**.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

Pledge of Allegiance led by **School Committee Member Jeffrey M. Kos**

**MODERATOR:**

**Moderator David D. Clayton:**

1. Introduces the people on the stage (Town Council, Town Manager, Town Solicitor, Deputy Town Clerk, Finance Director, School Committee, Superintendent of Schools, School Department Solicitor, School Department Director of Administration).
2. Explains how the meeting will be conducted.

**WARRANT:**

The reading of the Warrant by **Deputy Town Clerk Deborah A. Tellier**.

**BUDGET(S):**

**Town Council President, Jeanne-Marie DiMasi**, delivers opening address and reads the Municipal Budget Resolution.

**School Committee Chairman, Daniel T. Burns, Jr.**, delivers address and reads the School Department Budget Resolution.

**SUBSEQUENT YEAR PAYMENTS OF PRIOR YEAR EXPENDITURES:**

Resolution authorizing the payment of prior year expenditures in the subsequent fiscal year. Resolution read by **Councilman John J. Flynn**.

**APPROVING THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT TO EXPEND FOR OPERATIONAL EXPENSES ANY FEDERAL OR STATE AID RECEIVED IN EXCESS OF THE \$19,275,598.00 BUDGETED:**

Resolution authorizing the School Department to expend for operational expenses any federal or state aid received in excess of the \$19,499,965.00 budgeted, if: 1) Mandated by legislation that it be used for education; and, 2) That any such increase in the budget will not increase the property tax rate as approved by the Financial Town Meeting. Resolution read by a **Member of the School Committee**.

**AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF WEST WARWICK TO TRANSFER OR OTHERWISE DISPOSE OF PROPERTY OWNED BY THE TOWN.** Resolution read by **Councilman Leo Costantino**.

**AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF WEST WARWICK TO TRANSFER OR OTHERWISE DISPOSE OF PROPERTY THAT THE TOWN HOLDS TAX TITLE TO.** Resolution read by **Councilman Edward A. Giroux**.

**TAX LEVY:**

Resolution setting the minimum and maximum tax levy. Resolution read by **Councilman Peter F. Calci**.

**ADJOURN (DISSOLVE):**

Motion to adjourn (dissolve) the meeting.