

Annual Town Meeting
Friday, May 5, 2023@7 PM
Minutes

Meeting was held at the Falls Village Emergency Management Center, 188 Route 7 South
Falls Village, CT 06031

Canaan Town Clerk, Johanna M. Mann called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.
There were 52 voters present.

Ms. Mann asked for nominations for moderator. Henry Todd nominated Mark Burdick.
Nomination was seconded by Dave Barger. Hearing no further nominations a motion to close
nominations was made by Lou Timolat seconded by Henry Todd. Vote was unanimous to close
nominations. Vote was unanimous for Mark Burdick to serve as moderator.

The moderator was seated.

The moderator asked Ms. Mann to read the call of the meeting.

Ms. Mann read the call.

1. To Receive, review and act upon the Annual Auditors Report for the fiscal year
2022-2023.

Motion was made by Henry Todd, seconded by Steve Dean.
Linda Paviol noted that the call should have read 2021-2022.
Motion was made by Lou Timolat to amend the call to reflect the correct dates,
seconded by Linda Paviol. Amendment passed.

Motion was made by Henry Todd and seconded by Steve Dean to accept item
per call with the amendment. Passed with zero abstain. Motion carried.

2. To Receive, review and act upon the report of the offices of the Town of Canaan.

Motion was made by Greg Marlowe and seconded by Dave Barger to accept item
per call. There was discussion. Passed with zero abstain. Motion carried.

3. Shall the Town of Canaan approve an appropriation of up to \$27,500 from
Reserve Account 1705336856 for painting of the Town Hall.

Motion was made by Dave Barger and seconded by Linda Paviol to accept item
per call. There was discussion. Passed with zero abstain. Motion carried.

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4. Shall the Town of Canaan approve an ordinance allowing for the appointment of a Town Treasurer.

Motion was made by Dave Barger and seconded by Andrea Downs to accept item per call. Discussion in length. Dick Heinz moved the question, seconded by Andrea Downs. Motion passed with more than 2/3 vote.

Passed 25/21 with 6 abstain. Motion carried.

Lou Timolat made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Henry Todd. Motion Passed. Meeting was adjourned at 7:46 PM.

Respectfully submitted,


Johanna M. Mann
Town Clerk

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