

**TOWN OF WELLS**  
**MINUTES FOR NOVEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup>, BUDGET HEARING AND SPECIAL HEARING OF**  
**THE ELECTORS**

The board for the Town of Wells held their annual budget hearing on Wednesday, November 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022 at the town hall. The meeting was properly posted and published. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Dennis Hemmersbach at 7:03 p.m. The Supervisors Jeff Schmitz and Greg Schmitz were present as well as Clerk Diane Schwarz and Treasurer Simon Wells. There were 12 people present at the meeting.

The budget summary was discussed and questions were asked and answered concerning the reason to increase the tax levy in the summary for the Proposed Budget for 2022 to be paid in 2023. The Special Meeting of the Electors was called to order by Chairman Dennis Hemmersbach. All board members were present. After review of the budget a motion was made by Simon Wells to approve the adoption of a resolution by the electors which proposes that the town levy exceed the state allowable levy limit under the Wis. Stat. 66.0602, specifically a proposed tax levy which would exceed the allowable town tax levy for 2022 by 59%, for a dollar amount of \$70,255.72 (\$58,353.32 in increased debt service, plus a 10% increase for wage increase for patrolmen and election workers equaling \$11,902.40), to exceed the town tax levy. Ned Gatske seconded the motion. Motion carried. Ned Gatske made a motion to approve the 2022 total town tax levy (to be collected in 2023), pursuant to Wis. Stat. 60.10(1)(a). Dave Pottinger seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Greg Schmitz made a motion to adjourn the Special meeting of the electors. Jeff Schmitz seconded the motion. Motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 7:35 p.m.

Diane Schwarz  
Clerk-Town of Wells