

**TOWN OF CANAAN  
BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING**

**September 6, 2012  
Canaan Fire Station  
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The meeting was called to order at 7:15 P.M. (when quorum was achieved) by Chair, Eleanor Davis

Members present: Chair Eleanor Davis, Dave Barney, John Bergeron, Bill Crowther, , Al Posnanski, and Martha Pusey.

Members absent: David McAlister, Denis Salvail, Karen Wolk, and Selectman Scott Borthwick.

Also present was Mike Samson, Town Administrator

Town Clerk, Tax Collector Vicki MaAlister presented her budget which includes an increase for Boat Registrations, Software and Vital Statistics and reduction in election expense due to only one election in March, 2013.

Cemetery Trustees Phil Carter and Barbara Hayward presented the Cemetery budget which includes increase for tree cutting and a new mower and a decrease due to fewer hours for full time labor.

Town Administrator, Mike Samson presented other department budgets for which he is responsible.

Minutes of the 6/21/12 and 4/19/12 meetings

**MOTION** by Martha Pusey, seconded by Al Posnanski to accept the minutes of the 6/21/12 meeting as presented.

**The motion was unanimously approved in the affirmative.**

**MOTION** by Dave Barney, seconded by Al Posnanski to accept the minutes of the 4/19/12 meeting as presented.

**The motion was unanimously approved in the affirmative.**

Seeing no other business or questions, the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted  
Eleanor J. Davis  
October 24, 2012