**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

**ON THE PRELIMINARY BUDGET**

**OF THE TOWN OF MAINE FOR THE YEAR 2025**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the preliminary budget of the Town of Maine for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2025 has been completed and filed in the office of the Town Clerk, Town Hall, 12 Lewis Street, Maine, NY, where it is available for inspection by any interested citizen during business hours.

The Town Board of the Town of Maine shall hold a public hearing on said preliminary budget of the Town at Maine Town Hall, 12 Lewis Street, Maine, NY on Tuesday, October 15, 2024 commencing at 6:00 p.m., showing such changes, alterations and revisions as shall have been made therein by the Town Board. At such public hearing, any person may be heard in favor of or against the preliminary budget as compiled or for or against any item therein contained.

The following are the proposed year 2025 salaries of certain officers of the Town:

Town Supervisor $18,519.00

Each of the 4 Town Council Members $8,411.81 (each)

Town Clerk $48,863.00

(with additional duties and salary as follows)

Records Manager $1,704.00

Tax Collector $6,964.00

Vital Statistics $2,225.00

Town Superintendent of Highways $69,284.00

(Commissioner of Highways,

Parks, Buildings and Grounds)

Town Justice $14,675.00

Pursuant to the requirements of Chapter 258 of the laws of 2008, this shall serve as notice of the exemption report. The report is posted on the Town’s bulletin board, on the Town’s website, is annexed to any tentative or preliminary budget, and shall become part of the final budget.

Any person has the right to provide written and oral comments and ask questions concerning the entire budget or any portion thereof. Persons with disabilities or senior citizens who require assistance in attending said public hearing or in furnishing comments should contact the undersigned to request such assistance.

Dated: September 26, 2024 Joyce Grover, Town Clerk

 Town of Maine

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 Maine, NY 13802

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