

TOWN OF LINCOLN
10905 Falcon Road
Marshfield, WI 54449
November 10, 2016

PUBLIC HEARING

Board Members Present: David Rogers/Chairman, Bob Cassaday, Josh Mauritz,
Tom Finta, Matt Joiner/Supervisors, Janet M. Bell/Treasurer, Kathleen Altmann-Drinka/Clerk

Meeting was called to order by Chairman David Rogers at 8:24 pm

A proposed budget has been prepared and the summary of the proposed budget has been created and properly noticed by your town board. Also upon request to our clerk, a copy of the proposed budget has been made available for your review by appointment. Your township is allowed to increase the Town Levy Amount over the amount of the budget last year by percent increase of the equalized value from the new construction. This year the local levy has been raised by the allowable rate set by the State Department of Revenue for new construction equaling approximately 1 percent. The Town Board also this year at a properly noticed meeting, voted to approve a proposed budget that included a 6 percent increase of limits in the tax levy. The Town Board passed a resolution to propose exceeding Levy Limits and your Town Board has created a sound budget and the Town Board endorses and supports the increase of the tax levy for 2016 to be collected in 2017 by a total of 7 percent, which would increase the Town Levy by \$21,466.00 for a total Town Tax Levy of \$378,886.00 The town board is seeking town electors approval to exceed the levy limit for this year.

Chairman David Rogers read the Budget Summary for the Town of Lincoln 2017 Proposed Budget.

**Motion by Bob Cassaday to close the Public Hearing at 8:35 pm Second by Tom Finta
all ayes. Motion carried.**