

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP BUDGET WORKSHOP

February 26, 2026

6:00 pm

Municipal Building

349 Mountain Lake Road

Great Meadows, NJ 07838

A special advertised Budget workshop of the Township of Liberty was held in the Municipal Building, 349 Mountain Lake Road, Great Meadows on February 26, 2026.

The Budget workshop was opened by John Inscho at 6:03 p.m.

Present: Dan Grover; John Inscho; Peter Karcher; Wayne Spangenberg and, Dave Rogers

Also, Present: Jennifer Breslin, CFO

Discussion ensued on the following:

- Reviewed bullet points from January's budget workshop
- Larry Supp confirmed the Environmental Commission can cover the expense for the removal of water chestnut and has received 2 quotes so far. Dave Rogers is going to get a quote from another vendor that can do a drone aerial treatment.
- Bob Ballou advised to wait until next year to budget for opening outlet at lake, he estimated \$4,800. Mr. Ballou advised there are permits now needed for hydro raking.
- Budget is estimated at a 1.9 cent increase for the local tax. For a house assessed at \$300,000 this would be estimated as a \$57.00 increase for the year.
- There are no state aid amounts available as Governor Sherrill is having her budget address on March 10. Amounts were kept the same as previous year.
- Committee agreed to move forward to introduce budget on March 5.

The workshop concluded at 6:24 pm