

## Senior Tax Abatement Ad Hoc Committee Town Hall Brookfield, CT

## Minutes Regular meeting, Friday 20 October 2017

Attendance: Betsy McIlvaine, chair, Dan Walker, Maura Manganese, Loretta Donovan (by

telephone)

Absent: Alice Carolan, Jeff Kass, Jen Barczak, Mark Ferry, all with notice

Tammie Fiske, Accessor, provided answers to numerous questions posed by the committee. Full copies were provided to each committee member.

The ordinance on tax abatements limits the total amount to 1% of the total grand list, residential and commercial. For the most recent year that figure was approximately \$500,000. The abatements granted based on applications was just over \$420,000. If the application number go over the 1% figure, all applicants are reduced by the same amount. Information on the grand list for 2016 was also provided.

## Old business

Dan Walker presented some preliminary figures on Bethel and Maura Mangan on New Milford

No actions were voted on.

Meeting adjourned at 3:15

Submitted

Betsy McIlvaine, chair