TOWN OF COPAKE
Public Hearing and Town Board Meeting
Thursday
November 12, 2026
6:45 p.m.
Agenda

Public Hearing

Local Law Establishing Income Levels for Senior Citizen Real Property Tax Exemption
Local Law Establishing Income Levels for Disabled and Low Income Real Property Tax Exemption

1. **Call to Order** – Pledge of Allegiance

2. **Approval of Minutes –** Monthly Board Meeting – October 8, 2026
Special Board Meeting and Public Hearing – October 21, 2026

3. **Announcements**

4. **Correspondence**

5. **Supervisor's Report**

6. **Department Heads/Committee Report**

Highway -- Superintendent Bill Gregory

CAC – Chair Brian Boom

Park Commission – Diana Jameson

7. **Public Forum**

8. **New Business**

a. Introduction of Local Law Amending the Tax Exemption for Veterans
b. Adoption of Local Law Establishing Income Levels for Senior Citizen Real Property Tax Exemption
c. Adoption of Local Law Establishing Income Levels for Disabled and Low Income Real Property Tax Exemption
d. Adoption of 2027 Preliminary Budget as the Annual Budget for Fiscal Year 2027

9. **Old Business**

a. Community Preservation Fund (Will Morningstar)

b. Introduction of Local Law Amending the Tax Exemption for Veterans

10. **Resolutions**

a. Number 30 of November 12, 2026 – To Make Budget Transfers in the 2026 Budget

b. Number 31 of November 12, 2026 – **To Adopt the 2027 Preliminary Budget as the Annual Budget for the Town of Copake for the Fiscal Year Beginning January 1, 2027**

11. **Appointments**
    Appoint Doris Varlese – Member, CEDAC
    Continue to advertise for members of Conservation Advisory Committee, CEDAC and Historic Preservation Committee

12. **Budget – Approval of October Budget to Actual Reports and agreement to post**

13. **Councilpersons' Reports**

14. **Public Forum**

15. **Approval of bills**

16. **Adjournment**

17. **Next meeting** – Thursday, December 10, 2026 – 7:00 p.m.