September 24, 2026

The Town Board of the Town of Warwick held a Public Hearing on a Proposed Local Law No. 7A entitled "A Local Law to Override the Tax Levy Limit Established in General Municipal Law Section 3-C." Said public hearing was held on Thursday, September 24, 2026 at the Town Hall, 132 Kings Highway, Town of Warwick. Supervisor Dwyer opened the public hearing at 7:00 p.m.

ATTENDANCE: **Supervisor Jesse Dwyer**
Councilman Russell Kowal
Councilman Floyd DeAngelo
Councilman Kevin Shuback
Councilman Tom Mattingly - Absent

LEGAL NOTICE: The Clerk read the legal notice, which was duly published in the Warwick Valley Dispatch on September 16, 2026.
(Copy of this legal notice is printed at the end of these minutes.)

Supervisor Dwyer – This is standard. The Town Board has been doing this for a number of years. Ever since the implementation of the 2% tax cap by the New York State Legislature that does not actually abide by their own law. This does not necessarily mean that the Town Board intends to exceed the 2% tax cap. It just gives us the ability to if we end up needing to exceed it that we might be able to do it. We do this again because we're in the budget process right now and we'll be preparing the tentative budget for the Town Board and still as of this date we do not have all of our proposals needed to formulate the finalized budget such as our insurance rates. We do not know what our insurance rates will be. We have not received our health insurance cost contributions yet. So, some of these big number items have not come in yet. So therefore, we want to make sure that we have the flexibility to exceed if we absolutely need to. Before we go to the public on any questions on the public hearing, I'd like to go to the board. Are there any comments from the board? Okay, anyone from the public like to share anything on this public hearing? Local law number 7a. If you have any comment on the public hearing itself.

There were no public comments for or against this public hearing from the public or Town Board.

CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING: Motion Councilman Shuback, seconded Councilman DeAngelo that the public hearing be closed. Motion Carried (4 ayes, 0 nays & 1 Absent Councilman Mattingly Absent) 7:05 p.m.
09-24-26 CP

Eileen Astorino

Eileen Astorino, Town Clerk

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Town Board of the Town of Warwick will hold a public hearing to consider Introductory Local Law No. 7A of 2026 entitled "Exceed the two percent (2%) property tax cap". Said Public Hearing to be held on Thursday, September 24, 2026, at 7:00 pm or soon thereafter as the matter be heard at the Town Hall, 132 Kings Highway, Warwick, NY

A complete copy of the Introductory Local Law is available for inspection in the Clerk's Office and/or the Town of Warwick website, townofwarwick.org.

All interested persons will be given the opportunity to be heard.

DATED: September 16, 2026

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN
BOARD OF THE TOWN OF WARWICK
Eileen M. Astorino
Town Clerk