CITY OF RYE 1051 BOSTON POST ROAD RYE, NY 10580 AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL Wednesday, December 4, 2024 6:30 p.m.

- 1. Pledge of Allegiance.
- 2. Roll Call.
- 3. Draft unapproved minutes of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held November 20, 2024.
- 4. Proclamation for George Latimer.
- 5. Members of the public may be heard on matters for Council consideration that do not appear on the agenda.
- 6. Report of the City Manager.
- 7. Consideration of Crown Castle's request for modification to existing wireless facilities in the City's right-of-way and referral to the Board of Architectural Review.
- 8. Discussion of the proposed City of Rye 2025 Budget.
- 9. Mayor and Council amendments to the proposed 2025 City of Rye Budget.
- 10. Open public hearing on the 2025 Budget.
- 11. Old Business/New Business.
- 12. Adjournment

The next regular meeting of the City Council will be held on Wednesday, December 18, 2024, at 6:00 p.m.

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UNAPPROVED MINUTES of the Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of Rye held at City Hall on November 20, 2024, at 6:30 P.M.

PRESENT:

JOSH COHN, Mayor KEITH CUNNINGHAM SARA GODDARD BILL HENDERSON JAMIE JENSEN JOSH NATHAN JULIE SOUZA Councilmembers

ABSENT:

ALSO ATTENDING: GREG USRY, CITY MANAGER KRISTEN WILSON, CORPORATION COUNSEL JOE FAZZINO, DEPUTY COMPTROLLER

The Council reconvened in City Hall at 6:35 P.M. The meeting was streamed live at <u>www.ryeny.gov</u> for public viewing.

- 1. <u>Pledge of Allegiance.</u>
- 2. <u>Roll Call</u>.

The City Clerk called the roll and there was a quorum.

3. Draft unapproved minutes of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held November 6, 2024.

On motion by Councilperson Souza, seconded by Councilperson Jensen, and unanimously carried, it was

RESOLVED to approve the drafted minutes of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held November 6, 2024.

4. <u>Members of the public may be heard on matters for Council consideration that do not appear on the agenda.</u>

No one in attendance spoke.

5. <u>Report of the City Manager</u>.

City Manager, Greg Usry, updated the City Council on various items.

6. <u>Resolution to waive parking restrictions and parking fees in all downtown parking lots</u> <u>and Purchase Street from December 19 – December 26 for Hanukah, Christmas, and</u> <u>Kwanzaa for 2024.</u>

On motion by Councilperson Souza, seconded by Councilperson Goddard:

WHEREAS, the City Council seeks to support the Central Business District local businesses during the 2024 Holiday Season, and;

WHEREAS, the City Council encourages residents to shop and dine downtown during the holiday season as buying locally helps all of us while strengthening our local economy;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the City Council will provide free metered parking for the period December 19 – December 26, at the City's expense. Adopted by the following vote:

AYES:	Councilpersons	Cunningham,	Goddard,	Henderson,	Jensen,	Nathan,	Souza,
	Mayor Cohn						
NAYS:	None						
ABSENT:	None						

- 7. <u>Consideration of the proposed revisions of the Rules and Regulations of the City of Rye</u> <u>Police Department.</u>
 - Policy 702 Vehicle Maintenance
 - Policy 703 Vehicle Use
 - Policy 704 Cash Handling, Security and Fiscal Management

Commissioner Kopy gave an overview of the proposed revisions to the Rules and Regulations of the City of Rye Police Department.

8. <u>Consideration of the proposed revisions of the Rules and Regulations of the City of Rye</u> <u>Fire Department.</u>

- Policy 408 Hazardous Materials Disclosures
- Policy 501 Latex Sensitivity
- Policy 702 Use of Department-Owned and Personal Property
- Policy 801 New York State and National Fire Incident Reporting Systems
- Policy 914 Fire Station Safety
- Policy 915 Ground Ladder Testing
- Policy 1000 Recruitment and Selection

Commissioner of Public Safety, Mike Kopy, gave an overview of the proposed policies.

9. <u>Presentation by Susan Favate from BFJ Planning regarding a comprehensive planning process for the City.</u>

Susan Favate, a Principal with BFJ Planning, gave an overview of the comprehensive planning process for the City.

10. <u>Consideration of a resolution declaring the City Council's Intent to be Lead Agency</u> <u>under SEQRA and referral to the Rye City Planning Commission for advisory wetland</u> <u>permit review in connection with the Blind Brook Riparian Restoration Project at Rye</u> <u>Nature Center.</u>

On motion by Councilperson Souza, seconded by Councilperson Goddard:

RESOLUTION DECLARING THE CITY COUNCIL'S INTENT TO BE LEAD AGENCY UNDER SEQRA AND REFERRAL OF THE RYE NATURE CENTER BLIND BROOK RIPARIAN RESTORATION PROJECT TO THE RYE CITY PLANNING COMMISSION FOR ADVISORY WETLAND PERMIT REVIEW

WHEREAS, the Friends of Rye Nature Center have proposed a Blind Book Riparian Restoration Project on property owned by the City of Rye; and

WHEREAS, the primary goals of this project are to enhance vegetation biodiversity, stabilize streambanks to reduce erosion, improve wetland habitats, and serve as a model for successful intervention and restoration efforts throughout the Blind Brook Watershed and other urban watersheds; and

WHEREAS, the project scope includes streambank stabilization, wetland creation and enhancement, and riparian restoration activities; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Rye City Council, declares its intent to be Lead Agency with respect to the State Environmental Quality Review (SEQR) of this Project; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Rye City Council hereby refers the Project to the Rye City Planning Commission for advisory wetland permit review as required by Chapter 195 of the Rye City Code.

Adopted by the following vote:

- AYES: Councilpersons Cunningham, Goddard, Henderson, Jensen, Nathan, Souza, Mayor Cohn NAYS: None
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ABSENT: None

11. 2025 proposed budget discussion.

The Council asked City Manager, Greg Usry, and his staff to submit what options are available to reduce the tax increase by 1%.

12. <u>Discussion of possible expanded use of videoconferencing of Rye Public Bodies subject</u> to the Open Meetings Law.

The Council discussed the option for hybrid City Council meetings.

13. <u>Resolution authorizing the City of Rye to enter into a cooperative purchasing agreement.</u>

On motion by Councilperson Souza, seconded by Councilperson Nathan:

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF RYE TO ENTER INTO A COOPERATIVE PRICING AGREEMENT WITH EDUCATIONAL SERVICES COMMISSION OF NEW JERSEY

WHEREAS, New York State General Municipal Law § 103 authorizes contracting units to establish a Cooperative Pricing System and to enter into Cooperative Pricing Agreements for its administration; and

WHEREAS, the Educational Services Commission of New Jersey, hereinafter referred to as the "Lead Agency " has offered voluntary participation in a Cooperative Pricing System for the purchase of goods and services;

WHEREAS, the City of Rye duly adopted Rye City Code Chapter 32 "Procurement Policy" that allows for piggybacking on other municipal contracts as long as certain requirements are met; and

WHEREAS, on November 20, 2024 the governing body of the City of Rye, County of Westchester, State of New York duly considered participation in a Cooperative Pricing System for the provision and performance of goods and services;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED as follows:

TITLE

This RESOLUTION shall be known and may be cited as the Cooperative Pricing Resolution of the City of Rye.

AUTHORITY

Pursuant to the provisions of New York General Municipal Law § 103, the City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a Cooperative Pricing Agreement with the Educational Services Commission of New Jersey.

CONTRACTING UNIT

The Lead Agency shall be responsible for complying with the provisions of the *Local Public Contracts Law* (*N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq.*) and all other provisions of the revised statutes of the State of New Jersey.

EFFECTIVE DATE

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

Adopted by the following vote:

AYES:	Councilpersons	Cunningham,	Goddard,	Henderson,	Jensen,	Nathan,	Souza,
	Mayor Cohn						
NAYS:	None						
ABSENT:	None						

14. Rye Town Park Commission 2023 financial contribution.

On motion by Councilperson Souza, seconded by Mayor Cohn:

RESOLUTION ALLOCATING THE RYE TOWN PARK COMMISSION (RTP) 2023 FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTION

WHEREAS, the Agreement signed by the City of Rye and Town of Rye on January 31, 1942 regarding Rye Town Park stipulated the City's share of the assessed value at 39.278% of the Town's roll; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 848 of the NYS law enacted in 1953 law codified that provision and sets forth the process for capital projects at Rye Town Park: and

WHEREAS, for capital projects, the RTP Commission identifies the scope of a project and the estimated cost; and

WHEREAS, the RTP Commission provides to the Rye City Council and Rye Town Board

a certificate stating the costs of the project and the portions attributable to each municipality; and

WHEREAS, the RTP Commission requests \$ 302,657 due from the City of Rye for 2023; and

WHEREAS, this sum includes the City's share of the 2023 operating deficit contribution of \$94,560 and the City's share of the 2023 capital contribution of \$208,097; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the Rye City Council, duly convened does hereby

RESOLVE, that the Rye City Council does hereby allocate \$302,657 to the RTP Commission for the City's 2023 Financial Contribution

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City anticipates covering these costs through the use of the Contingency account and Capex reserve account.

Adopted by the following vote:

AYES:	Councilpersons	Cunningham,	Goddard,	Henderson,	Jensen,	Nathan,	Souza,
	Mayor Cohn						
NAYS:	None						
ABSENT:	None						

15. <u>Resolution in support of continued and increased State aid for local governments.</u>

On motion of Councilwoman Souza, seconded by Councilman Nathan, and unanimously carried:

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF CONTINUED AND INCREASED STATE AID FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

WHEREAS, until 2024, cities, villages and towns had not received an increase in unrestricted state aid (AIM funding) in 15 years, significantly impacting their ability to provide essential services to their residents; and

WHEREAS, after a prolonged period without financial support, local governments finally received an increase of \$50 million in unrestricted state aid; and

WHEREAS, local officials express their gratitude for the \$50 million increase in unrestricted state aid, recognizing it as a positive step towards addressing long-standing funding challenges; and

WHEREAS, the State has referred to this new aid as Temporary Municipal Assistance, suggesting that such increase may not continue, jeopardizing the sustainability of crucial municipal programs and services; and

WHEREAS, the property tax cap further limits the ability of local governments to properly fund the programs and services their residents need; and

WHEREAS, increased and ongoing state aid for local governments is vital for maintaining infrastructure, public safety, housing and other municipal services; and

WHEREAS, the challenges of inflation, the increasing costs of labor and supplies, and the end of extraordinary federal aid only accentuate the need for consistent and predictable funding to effectively plan for the future and meet the growing needs of their residents;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Rye calls upon the Governor and the State Legislature to commit to continuing the additional \$50 million in unrestricted state aid in the 2025-26 State Budget and beyond, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Rye urges state officials to recognize the need for a long-term plan that ensures consistent and predictable increases in financial support for local governments that keep pace with inflation.

16. <u>Resolution to participate in the 2024 Tree City program.</u>

On motion of Councilwoman Souza, seconded by Mayor Cohn, and unanimously carried:

RESOLUTION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE TREE CITY PROGRAM FOR 2024

WHEREAS, the Tree City USA program has been greening up cities and towns across America since 1976 and is a nationwide movement that provides the framework necessary for communities to manage and expand their public trees; and

WHEREAS, trees in our community increase property values, enhance the vitality of our business areas and neighborhoods, beautify our community, provide wildlife habitat, clean the air we breathe, moderate temperatures, provide shade, produce oxygen, and sequester carbon dioxide; and,

WHEREAS, the City has been recognized as a Tree City USA by the National Arbor Day Foundation for over 20 years; and,

WHEREAS, becoming a Tree City connects a community to a network of other communities who care about their trees;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Rye has applied to be designated a Tree City again in 2024.

17. <u>Old Business/New Business.</u>

Councilmen Nathan thanked the Rye Fire Department for their attention to an incident in his neighborhood and Councilman Henderson mentioned a topic for future discussion of the Council.

18. Adjournment.

On motion of Councilperson Souza, seconded by Councilperson Henderson, and with the Council in favor, the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Noga Ruttenberg City Clerk



DEPT.: City Manager

CONTACT: Greg Usry, City Manager

AGENDA ITEM: Proclamation for George Latimer.

FOR THE MEETING OF:

December 4, 2024

RECOMMENDATION: That the Council consider the proclamation recognizing George Latimer.

IMPACT:	Environmental Fiscal Neighborhood Other:

BACKGROUND:		



DEPT.: City Manager

CONTACT: Greg Usry, City Manager

AGENDA ITEM: Consideration of Crown Castle's request for modification to existing wireless facilities in the City's right-of-way and referral to the Board of Architectural Review.

FOR THE MEETING OF:

December 4, 2024

RECOMMENDATION: That the Council consider Crown Castle's request.

BACKGROUND: See attached letter from Crown Castle and resolution.

Detailed information on each node modification is available upon request.

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Crown Castle 1359 Broadway Suite 1600 New York, NY 10018

November 15, 2024

City of Rye City Manager Office Greg Ursy 1051 Boston Post Rd Rye, NY 10580

*********NOTICE OF ELIGIBLE FACILITIES REQUEST*********

Re: Request for Minor Modification to Existing Wireless Facilities in the City Right of Way

Dear Mr. Usry

Crown Castle Fiber LLC ("Crown Castle") submits the enclosed permit applications as Eligible Facilities Requests ("EFR") to modify the six (6) existing wireless facilities as minor modifications under Section 6409¹ and the rules of the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC").²

Section 6409 mandates that state and local governments must approve any EFR for the modification of an existing wireless tower or base station that does not substantially change the physical dimensions of such tower or base station. If a state or local government fails to issue any approvals required for this request within 60 days, these approvals are deemed granted. The FCC has clarified that the 60-day deadline begins when an applicant: (1) takes the first procedural step required for the EFR under state or local law; and (2) submits information sufficient to inform the city that this modification qualifies as an EFR under the federal law.

Please note that with the submission of this letter and enclosed items, the 60-day review period has started. Based on this filing, the deadline for issuance of approval is January 18th, 2024.

At the end of this letter is a checklist of the applicable substantial change criteria under Section 6409, which

¹ Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012, Pub. L. No. 112-96, § 6409 (2012) (codified at 47 U.S.C. § 1455).

² Acceleration of Broadband Deployment by Improving Wireless Facility Siting Policies, 29 FCC Rcd. 12865 (2014) (codified at 47 CFR § 1.6100); Implementation of State & Local Governments' Obligation to Approve Certain Wireless Facility Modification Requests Under Section 6409(a) of the Spectrum Act of 2012, WT Docket No. 19-250 (June 10, 2020); and Accelerating Wireless and Wireline Deployment by Streamlining Local Approval of Wireless Infrastructure Modifications, WT Docket No. 19-250, RM-11849; FCC 20-153 (Nov. 3, 2020).

demonstrates how each of the applications qualify as EFRs.. Additionally, please find enclosed the following information in support of this request:

- (1) Eligible Facilities Request Application
- (2) Construction Drawings;
- (3) Structural Analysis;
- (4) Section 6409 Substantial Change Checklist
- (5) Photosims
- (6) RF Emission Report
- (7) 750 Foot Radius Maps
- (8) FCC License
- (9) Table detailing site location and proposed changes

As these documents indicate: (i) the modification involves the replacement of transmission equipment; and (ii) such modification will not substantially change the physical dimensions of the base station. As such, it is an EFR as defined in the FCC's rules to which the 60-day deadline for approval applies. Accordingly, Crown Castle requests all authorization necessary for these proposed minor modifications under Section 6409.

Our goal is to work with you to obtain approvals earlier than the deadline. We will respond promptly to any request for related information you may have in connection with this request. Please let us know how we can work with you to expedite the approval process. We look forward to working with you on this important project, which will improve wireless telecommunication services in your community using collocation on existing infrastructure. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 917-563-3690 or paul.costa@crowncastle.com

Thank you,

Paul Costa Network Permitting Manager

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Crown Castle 1359 Broadway Suite 1600 New York, NY 10018

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Crown ID	Pole Type	Latitude	Longitude	Address	District	Shroud	Antenna	Shroud	Proposed Antenna
NYD6387	Wood	40.974950	-73.700310	441 Theodore Fermd Avenue	B-4	32" x			
						16" x		40" x 24"	
						10"	26" x 2"	18	24" x 14.6"
NYD6386	Wood	40.973074	-73.695710	120 Post Road	R-2	32" x			
						16" x		40" x 24"	
						10"	48"x 8"	18	24" x 14.6"
NYD6382	Wood	40.961369	-73.682507	Across from Rye Town Park	R-5	32" x			
						16" x		40" x 24"	
						10"	48"x 8"	18	24" x 14.6"
NYD6385	Wood	40.966648	-73.697485	15 Sonn Dr	R-4	32" x			
						16" x		40" x 24"	
						10"	48"x 8"	18	24" x 14.6"
NYD6383	Wood	40.965694	-73.686414	421 Milton Road	R-5	32" x			
						16" x		40" x 24"	
						10"	48"x 8"	18	24" x 14.6"
NYD6384	Wood	40.963170	-73.693739	138 Oakland Beach Avenue	R-4	32" x			
						16" x		40" x 24"	
						10"	48"x 8"	18	24" x 14.6"

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE REFERRAL OF CROWN CASTLE'S APPLICATION FOR A MODIFICATION TO EXISTING WIRELESS FACILITIES IN THE CITY RIGHT OF WAY TO THE BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW

WHEREAS, Crown Castle has submitted a request for a "Minor Modification to Existing Wireless Facilities in the City Right of Way" to allow for upgrades and modifications to six (6) existing nodes in the City (the "Crown Castle Application"); and

WHEREAS, the City Council is in the process of retaining professionals to review the Crown Castle Application in the context of the requirements of City Code Chapter 196 "Wireless Telecommunications Facilities" to determine compliance with the City's regulations, including, but not limited to, locations in appropriate zoning districts; and

WHEREAS, in order to continue to process Crown Castle's Application pending a review of its compliance with Chapter 196, the City Council would like to consider any comments from the City's Board of Architectural Review.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council refers the Crown Castle Application to the Board of Architectural Review for its advisory opinion while it continues to analyze whether the Application meets the requirements of Chapter 196.



DEPT.: City Manager

CONTACT: Greg Usry, City Manager

AGENDA ITEM: Discussion of the proposed City of Rye 2025 Budget.

FOR THE MEETING OF:

December 4, 2024

RECOMMENDATION: That the Council discuss the proposed 2025 Budget.

IMPACT:	🗌 Environmental 🛛 Fiscal 🗌 Neighborhood 🗌 Other:

BACKGROUND: See the attached memo detailing potential modifications to the proposed budget at the request of the Council.

Greg Usry City Manager 1051 Boston Post Road Rye, New York 10580



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CITY OF RYE Office of the City Manager

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Greg Usry, City Manager Joe Fazzino, Comptroller

Date: November 27, 2024

Re: 2025 Proposed Budget – Requested Analysis

Background

At the November 20 City Council meeting it was requested that we further review the budget and provide options to reduce the tax rate increase. As a reminder, the proposed budget reflects a tax rate increase of 6.12% (4.22% increase excluding the adjustment for the Playland parcel). It is important to note that the tax rate is calculated based upon the tax levy (revenues attributed to property taxes) divided by the total assessed value of all taxable properties in the City. The tax levy is derived based upon the operating budget, taking into account non-property tax revenues (sales tax, building permit revenue, mortgage tax, fees/fines etc.). In any given year each of these aspects change. It is important to focus not just on the tax rate change, but rather on the change in the operating budget. In order to reduce the tax rate increase by 1% the Council would have to reduce the tax levy by \$296,000. This can be done by reducing expenses or increasing non-property tax revenues.

For the proposed 2025 budget, operating expenses are up \$1.74 million (3.66%) versus the 2024 adopted budget. Salaries & Wages, health insurance (current employees and retirees) and pension contributions alone are up \$1.66 million. Considering further inflationary increases in materials and supplies this proposed budget is well under the actual cost increases and reflects significant fiscal discipline and work by the City's senior staff. By optimizing the use of State grant monies, using fund balance for one-time expenditures and challenging Department Heads to justify each cost center we have successfully limited our tax increase for 2025.

Budget Reduction Options

With personnel expenses (including retirees) composing over 70% of our operating budget we have limited discretion in our budget. Our staffing reflects the services demanded by the community. The same applies to most expenditures for materials and supplies. With that said, over the last week Joe and I have further reviewed the budget and offer the following options.

Police - \$30,000 related to training and the officer wellness program. Should the Council wish to eliminate this annual expense we would attempt to utilize fund balance for this year. Once this is removed from the tax rate it would only be included in future budgets if non-operating monies were available.

DPW - \$20,000 related to streets. This amount would reduce the annual budget allocated for painting crosswalks, pedestrian signage etc. Like PD, we would attempt to backfill this amount out of fund balance, but it would no longer be included in the operating budget.

DPW - \$40,000 related to tree planting, maintenance and irrigation. In recent years we have doubled our annual expenditure for trees and related plantings (pollinator garden, shrubbery, flowers etc). We can reduce this activity in line with our 2021 budget but will have a corresponding reduction in new plantings.

Fire - \$25,000 related to several areas including fire prevention education (schools), consultants and FD education and training.

Other areas reviewed and considered included the Library request for additional funding (\$42,000); increasing fees for our Recreation programs for seniors (\$20,000); reduced funding for flood mitigation (\$50,000); reducing the annual contribution to the vehicle fund (\$50,000). However, we are not recommending these changes at this time. You will also note that there is no recommended reduction in staffing in any Department. Our departments are staffed based upon necessary office functions and community expectations for services. On the contrary, in many cases I would advocate for greater staffing based upon community demands

Additional Revenue Opportunities

Beginning in 2019 we annually review the various permits, fees and charges that supplement the operating budget, and thereby help reduce/minimize the property tax levy. Similar to the increase in commuter permit fees this year, and the street opening surcharge for utilities in this budget, these changes help recover costs and reduce the burden on the property taxpayers. There are two potential areas for the Council to consider that would result in increased revenues and a corresponding reduction in the property tax levy (and Tax Rate).

Central Business District Parking (\$100,000) is currently \$1/hour. This hourly cost to park downtown has not increased in 13 years. By increasing the hourly fee to \$1.25 we assume an additional \$100,000 in revenues. Attached here is a comparison of surrounding communities and their hourly parking.

Building Permit Fees (\$100,000) are based upon the cost of construction. In some cases, these fees have not been increased in 10 years. To the extent the Council wishes to adjust residential fees for 2025 the assumed revenue would increase by 5%. This increase would relate to residential projects and increase the fee by \$1 per \$1,000 of the estimated value of construction.

Metered Parking Fee Comparison				
Municipality	Metered Parking Fee			
City of Rye	\$1.00/hr			
Village of Scarsdale	\$1.00/hr			
Village of Port Chester	\$1.25/hr			
Village of Tarrytown	\$1.00/hr			
City of Peekskill	\$1.25/hr			
Village of Croton-on-Hudson	\$1.00/hr			
Village of Bronxville	\$1.00/hr			
Village of Tuckahoe	\$1.25/hr			
Village of Larchmont	\$1.00/hr			
Village of Mamaroneck	\$1.00/hr			
City of White Plains	\$1.25/\$1.50*			
Village of Dobbs Ferry	\$1.00/hr			
Town of Greenwich	\$1.25/\$1.50*			
City of New Rochelle	\$1.00/hr			
*Regular metered parking/dowr	ntown metered parking			



DEPT.: City Manager

CONTACT: Greg Usry, City Manager

AGENDA ITEM: Mayor and Council amendments to the proposed 2025 City of Rye Budget.

FOR THE MEETING OF:

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RECOMMENDATION: That the Council propose 2025 Budget amendments before the opening of the public hearing.

IMPACT: Environmental 🛛 Fiscal 🗌 Neighborhood 🗌 Other:	IMPACT:	Environmental	🛛 Fiscal 🗌	Neighborhood] Other:
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BACKGROUND: The Rye City Charter stipulates that a public hearing must be held on the proposed budget.

The City Manager presented the 2025 Budget on November 6, 2024. The Council Budget Workshops were held on November 13th and 18th.

Before opening the public hearing, the Mayor and council may make amendments to the proposed budget.



DEPT.: City Manager

CONTACT: Greg Usry, City Manager

AGENDA ITEM: Open public hearing on the 2025 Budget.

FOR THE MEETING OF:

December 4, 2024

RECOMMENDATION: That the Council open the public hearing.

IMPACT:	🗌 Environmental 🛛 Fiscal 🗌 Neighborhood 🗌 Other:

BACKGROUND: This is an annual hearing.						