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To the Town Council

The people have spoken, and for the second time have rejected the proposed budget for Fiscal Year 2026.

The message is clear, we cannot and will not accept such a drastic increase in our taxes. With the town budget cut to the bone, this council and the Board of Education must reduce the education budget. A serious look will show that there are areas where cuts can be made, duplicate services that can be eliminated and proposed projects put off. Remember, we are also losing tax revenue with veterans tax deferment, and removal of any income coming from non tribal businesses on the reservation.

We must work to keep Ledyard an affordable place to live. If we don't not only won't new people be able to live in Ledyard neither will the those living here Today.

Respectfully,
Jay D. Pealer