

Roxanne Maher

From: Naomi Rodriguez
Sent: Wednesday, April 24, 2024 10:03 AM
To: Whit Irwin; Town Council Group
Cc: Roxanne Maher
Subject: Re: 240423 Ltr to the TC

Good Morning Mr. Irwin,

I have received and read your letter in its entirety. Thank you for your letter, the Town Council appreciates input from Ledyard residents. I am grateful and most appreciative of you taking the time to attend the budget public hearing and appreciate your input and perspective. Thank you again.

Respectfully,

Naomi Rodriguez, Chairman
Ledyard Town Council

From: Whit Irwin <whitirwin6@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 23, 2024 10:26 AM
To: Town Council Group <TownCouncil@ledyardct.org>
Subject: 240423 Ltr to the TC

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Councilors -

I was disappointed and shocked at the Town Hall Budget Meeting last week: disappointed that your additions to the Mayor's budget proposal were not more clearly explained to the townspeople, and shocked at the Chair's public dismissive treatment of a fellow Councilor during the Hearing.

The question lingers still, what was so compelling as to raise taxes further than the Mayor's proposal? The town deserves to know if they are going to approve a \$67M budget in which the Council continues to hike overall budget expenditures by another 0.5% on what is already a 4% increase.

Whit Irwin
Sent from my iPhone