

# SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATURE



WILLIAM J. LINDSAY, PRESIDING OFFICER

## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** All Suffolk County Legislators  
Steve Bellone, Suffolk County Executive  
Timothy Laube, Clerk of the Legislature  
George Nolan, Counsel to the Legislature  
Gail Vizzini, Director of Budget Review  
All Department Heads

**Please read carefully:**

This memo contains important dates for committee meetings and Special Meetings related to the 2013 Operating Budget

**FROM:** William J. Lindsay, Presiding Officer

**DATE:** September 19, 2012

**SUBJECT:** 2013 OPERATING BUDGET SCHEDULE

The County Executive submitted his proposed 2013 Operating Budget to the Legislature on September 21, 2012. The Legislature has scheduled Public Hearings on **Tuesday, October 2, 2012 at 9:00 AM at the William H. Rogers Legislature Building in Hauppauge before the Budget & Finance Committee Meeting and on Tuesday, October 9, 2012 at 2:30 PM at the Evans K. Griffing County Center in Riverhead.** The Operating Budget Committee meetings will be held on **Tuesday, October 23 and Wednesday, October 24, 2012.**

Friday, September 21, 2012 - County Executive submitted 2013 Recommended Operating Budget to the Legislature.

Tuesday, October 2, 2012 at 9:00 AM Public Hearing – 2013 Operating Budget – Hauppauge

Tuesday, October 9, 2012 at 2:30 PM Public Hearing – 2013 Operating Budget - Riverhead

Friday, October 19, 2012 - Budget Review Office Report to the Legislature

October 23 & 24, 2012 - Operating Budget Committee Meetings

**Friday, October 26, 2012 - 5:00 PM - Deadline for filing budget amendments**

***NO AMENDMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS TIME***

***PLEASE NOTE: OMNIBUS TYPE AMENDMENTS MUST HAVE AT LEAST FIVE SPONSORS OR THEY WILL NOT BE DRAFTED OR DISTRIBUTED***

**Friday, November 2, 2012** - Distribution of Budget Amendments

**Wednesday, November 7, 2012 at 10:00AM** - Operating Budget Meeting for consideration of Amendments/Adoption of Budget, to be set by Presiding Officer, subject to availability of Budget Amendment Resolutions – Hauppauge. **THIS IS A SPECIAL MEETING**

**GENERAL MEETING - TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2012 – HAUPPAUGE –VETOES, IF NECESSARY/SET LEVY**, if possible – otherwise will require a special meeting to be set by Presiding Officer.

**GENERAL MEETING – TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2012 – RIVERHEAD - WARRANT**, if possible – otherwise it will require a special meeting to be set by the Presiding Officer.

If you have any questions, please call Terrence Pearsall at 853-4088.

**2013 OPERATING BUDGET COMMITTEE SCHEDULE  
AND BUDGET MEETINGS**

TUESDAY OCTOBER 2 <sup>ND</sup>	9:00 AM	PUBLIC HEARING - HAUPPAUGE BEFORE BUDGET & FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING
TUESDAY OCTOBER 9 <sup>TH</sup>	2:30 PM	PUBLIC HEARING AT GENERAL MEETING RIVERHEAD
TUESDAY OCTOBER 23 <sup>RD</sup>	9:30 AM	<i>JOINT</i> WAYS & MEANS, AND BUDGET & FINANCE AND EDUCATION & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
	1:30 PM	<i>JOINT</i> HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AND VETERANS & SENIORS
	2:30 PM	PUBLIC SAFETY
WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 24 <sup>TH</sup>	9:30 AM	PUBLIC WORKS & TRANSPORTATION
	1:30 PM	<i>JOINT</i> ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & ENERGY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS, PERSONNEL, HOUSING & CONSUMER PROTECTION
	2:30 PM	<i>JOINT</i> ENVIRONMENT, PLANNING & AGRICULTURE AND PARKS & RECREATION
WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 7 <sup>TH</sup>	10:00 AM OPERATING BUDGET ONLY TO BE SET BY SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE	OPERATING BUDGET MEETING FOR CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS/ADOPT BUDGET
NOVEMBER 13 <sup>TH</sup> , 14 <sup>TH</sup> , 15 <sup>TH</sup> & 16 <sup>TH</sup>	REGULAR COMMITTEE SCHEDULE	FOR GENERAL MEETING ON NOVEMBER 20 <sup>TH</sup>
TUESDAY NOVEMBER 20 <sup>TH</sup>	9:30 AM HAUPPAUGE	GENERAL MEETING IN HAUPPAUGE (SET LEVY – IF POSSIBLE)
TUESDAY DECEMBER 4 <sup>TH</sup>	9:30 AM RIVERHEAD	GENERAL MEETING IN RIVERHEAD WARRANT

*Important changes*

**PLEASE NOTE:** There is a Public Hearing for the 2013 Operating Budget scheduled for October 2<sup>nd</sup> at 9:00 AM at the William H. Rogers Legislature Building in Hauppauge.