

**TOWN OF SALEM PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED 2012 BUDGET
NOVEMBER 03, 2011**

Present: Supervisor Seth Pitts; Town Council Members: Joe Wever, Dottie Schneider, Harold Gilchrest; Town Clerk-Patricia Gilchrist

Absent: Town Councilman Bruce Ferguson

Others/Public Present: None

7:00 PM-Supervisor Pitts opened the public hearing for the 2012 budget, followed by Pledge of Allegiance.

Since no one was present, public hearing was closed @ 7:10 pm.

Regular meeting opened @ 7:11 pm. Motion made by Councilman Joe Wever, seconded by Councilman Harold Gilchrest, to approve **Resolution #48** to adopt the preliminary budget as the final budget for 2012, with noted changes. Roll call vote taken:

Councilman Harold Gilchrest-Yes

Councilman Joe Wever-Yes

Councilwoman Dottie Schneider-Yes

Supervisor Seth Pitts-Yes

Passed 4-0.

Motion made by Councilman Joe Wever, seconded by Councilwoman Dottie Schneider, to accept CDPHP as the new health insurance plan, replacing the current Blue Shield plan currently held. CDPHP will be a 2% raise vs. 21% for Blue Shield. Passed 4-0.

Motion to adjourn made by Councilman Joe Wever, seconded by Councilwoman Dottie Schneider. Passed 4-0. Meeting adjourned @ 7:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia A. Gilchrist-Town Clerk