



Sponsor:
Mayor S. Lobdell

RESOLUTION
2026-007

A Resolution to Adopt Fiscal Year 2027 Municipal Budget

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Townsend is authorized and responsible for the adoption of an annual operating budget for the Town in accordance with the Charter of the Town of Townsend and applicable laws of the State of Delaware; and

WHEREAS, the Town Manager and Town Staff prepared a proposed Fiscal Year 2027 Budget outlining anticipated revenues, expenditures, capital improvements, and operational priorities for the Town of Townsend for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026, and ending June 30, 2027; and

WHEREAS, the proposed Fiscal Year 2027 Budget was presented, reviewed, and discussed by the Town Council during public meetings and budget discussions held in accordance with applicable requirements; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has carefully reviewed the proposed Fiscal Year 2027 Budget and determined that the budget reflects the needs, priorities, and financial obligations of the Town while maintaining responsible fiscal stewardship; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Townsend voted to approve the Fiscal Year 2027 Budget during its regularly scheduled Council Meeting held in July 2026.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Town Council of the Town of Townsend as follows:

Section 1. Adoption of Fiscal Year 2027 Budget.

The Town Council hereby formally adopts the Fiscal Year 2027 Municipal Budget for the Town of Townsend, Delaware, including all anticipated revenues, expenditures, appropriations, and capital projects contained herein.

Section 2. Authorization of Expenditures.

The Town Manager and authorized Town officials are hereby authorized to administer the adopted Fiscal Year 2027 Budget and expend funds in accordance with the appropriations approved herein and applicable Town policies, ordinances, and State law.

Section 3. Amendments.

Any amendments, transfers, or modifications to the adopted Fiscal Year 2027 Budget shall be made in accordance with the authority granted by the Town Charter and applicable municipal procedures.

Section 4. Effective Date.

This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Town Council of the Town of Townsend.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Town of Townsend to be affixed this 5th day of August 2026.

Passed and Approved this 5th day of August 2026.

TOWN OF TOWNSEND

Scott Lobdell, Mayor

ATTEST:

J. Goodyear

Julie Goodyear, Town Manager

Vote of Council	Yea	Na	Abs
Mayor Lobdell	✓		
CM J. Bangura	✓		
CM M. Chapman	✓		
CM D. Wiggins	✓		
CM S. Sharif	✓		