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Marlene Packard Galla

Sorry I couldn't be there tonight, to talk to you all in person. (work issues) I think of you all in the highest regard. I feel that I am in a unique situation. My hubby works for a town that is also going through an override vote as well. We are in override fatigue over here lol! Joking aside. It's been the topic of dinner conversations at my house for months. I am seeing both sides of this. I am still a hard no on this. I don't think asking for money for a firehouse or an arts center is the right thing right now. (Where would the firehouse go? That would be Engine 2 btw) I also think a hiring freeze, and cuts are in order. We have to do it in our own households, correct? I feel in my humble opinion, Those that own houses are going to get screwed. Especially if there are going to be multiple overrides in the coming years. If the city offered 1 big financial number with no additional overrides in the future it may be easier to swallow. (again, my opinion here) Not sure if that is something that you can do.
Thank you for listening
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