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To the budget accessors of our community

Being a resident of Clarence Rockland since 1990 we started paying taxes at about 1200 dollars a year .In 34 years budget amounts have increased, and we fill the pinch in our wallets . My complaint is if we feel we get something well spent for our money it's a good investment. Over the years it doesn't feel like that last year no snow so the budget for snow removal could have not been max out .A couple of years ago I was approached from somebody from Clarence Rockland town to get my Instagram handle on zero waste in Rockland I agreed to give it up for the person said they wanted the Clarence Rockland name and the zero waste option .I never found it and felt that i agreed for nothing it was a disappointment . I live on Agathe near Wolfe Crescent and twice now there are residences that have chicken coops in their yard one resident has since removed some of the chickens were loose and found as roadkill on Wolfe now across the street there is another resident with a chicken coop and some people driving away with eggs .We are not zoned for chicken coops in the area. How can this happen if we have bylaw officers.

Is the budget for picking leaves very big .this was a big addition to our town is this what brought up the budget... recycling leaves .

All this is a very sad venue of changes for Clarence Rockland trying to find a way to realize what funds increase will give to this quiet community .

Best regards Elizabeth Westerman