Bd of Finance Minutes Regular Meeting April 7, 2021 Hybrid Meeting

Board of Finance members present: Susan Haxo, James Richardson, Eric Schoenfeld, Robyn Kasler, David Robinson

Regrets: Luke Tanner

Selectmen present: Tim Angevine, Craig Nelson (arrived 7:26), Alexandrea Papp

Also present: Colleen Frisbie, Town Treasurer, members of the public

The meeting was opened at 7:00 pm by chair Susan Haxo and a roll call attendance was taken.

- 1. E. Schoenfeld moved to accept the minutes of March 3 and March 17 with the following correction to March 17-E. Schoenfeld did not vote yes on the motion in item 2. He did abstain on voting on the motion. Second by J. Richardson. A roll call vote was taken. All in favor, the motion carried.
- 2. Additions to the agenda: None
- 3. Budget Workshop FY 2021/2022: T. Angevine reported that he had not yet met with union rep for negotiations, has been trying to contact him and will keep doing so. He realizes that he needs to begin the budget process sooner in order to be better prepared. E. Schoenfeld presented some figures that he felt could aid in reducing the mill rate. R. Kasler asked if there were any large increases like last year that could raise alarms. No large salary increases, only increase in hours which is easily justified. D. Robinson questioned whether it is wise for the selectmen's salary increase to be determined by the selectman as he is the one negotiating with the union, and staff increases typically follow what is agreed upon with the union. The board was in agreement, no action taken at this time. The budget was gone through, still waiting for fuel prices. Park and Recreation operations was discussed.
- 4. Capital Plan-T. Angevine noted that we may need to plan for future ambulance. Most offices at town hall do not have significant long term needs. Public works plan was presented at prior meeting.
- 5. Public comment-none
- 6. Motion to adjourn-R. Kasler/J. Richardson at 8:01 pm. Roll call vote was taken. All in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Joanne C. Tiedmann

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