Town of Easton Board of Finance - Minutes

Location:

Easton Senior Center Meeting Type: Regular Date/Time: Oct 2, 2018 – 7:00 PM

Attendees:

Matt Gachi-Chair, Paul Lindoerfer, Andy Kachele, Timothy Brady

Absentee(s):

Art Laske, Gregg Saunders, Michael Kot, Richard Cremin

Guest(s):

Wendy Bowditch-Treasurer, Christine Calvert-Finance Director, Adam Dunsby-First

Selectman, Jeff Parker-BOE Chairman, Randy Hicks & Katherine Reed-BOE Members

Call to Order:

Meeting called to order at:

7:05 PM

by: Matt Gachi

Appointment of Alternates

Action/Motions:

A motion was made to have Timothy Brady fill in for Rich Cremin who is absent.

Motion (Second):

Andy Kachele (Paul Lindoerfer)

Result: All in favor

Agenda Item 1

Discuss and approve the meeting minutes of Sep 4, 2018

Notes:

None

Action/Motions: Motion (Second): A motion was made to approve the Sep 4, 2018 meeting minutes as submitted.

Andy Kachele (Timothy Brady)

Result: All in favor.

Agenda Item 2

Budget discussion with the Board of Education

Notes:

Discussion with Jeff Parker and Randy Hicks from the Board of Education. Topics

included:

Health Insurance

Bus Contract

School Security Plan

2019 and beyond

Action/Motions:

None

Agenda Item 3

Discuss and possible action on Munis Financial Reports as presented by the Finance

Notes:

The YTD budget expense and revenue reports were reviewed with no significant

comments.

Action/Motions:

None

Agenda Item 4

Treasurer's Report

Notes:

None

Action/Motions:

None

None

Agenda Item 5

Discuss and act upon various line item transfers.

Notes:

The need for a Special Appropriation to the Regional BOE was discussed.

Action/Motions: A motion was made to approve a Special Appropriation from FY17/18 of \$1,481.03 to

the Regional BOE.

Motion (Second): Follow Up:

Andy Kachele (Paul Lindoerfer)

Result: All in favor.

Agenda Item 6

Discuss and approve the budget calendar for 2019-2020.

Notes:

A draft budget calendar for 2019-2020 was presented by Christine Calvert.

Action/Motions:

A motion was made to approve the Budget Calendar as amended.

Motion (Second):

Andy Kachele (Paul Lindoerfer)

Result: All in favor.

Follow Up:

The approved Budget Calendar for 2019-2020 is attached to these minutes.

Agenda Item 7	Discuss and approve the meeting calendar for 2019.
Notes:	A draft meeting calendar for 2019 was presented by Christine Calvert.
Action/Motions:	A motion was made to approve the Meeting Calendar as amended.
Motion (Second):	Paul Lindoerfer (Andy Kachele) Result: All in favor.
Follow Up:	The approved Meeting Calendar for 2019 is attached to these minutes.

Agenda Item 8 Adjournment

Action/Motions: A mot

A motion was made to adjourn at 9:35 PM.

Motion (Second): Andy Kachele (Paul Lindoerfer)

Result: All in favor

Submitted by,

Paul Lindoerfer- Acting Clerk

Town of Easton

Board of Finance

Budget Calendar 2019/2020

To: Town Departments

Subject: Budget Guide - Calendar 2019/2020

January 7 Issue budget forms and instructions to Departments

January 7- February 1 Departments:

1) prepare budget requests

2) review requests with the First Selectman

February 1 Departments: return signed forms to

Director of Finance for summarization

March 1 Director of Finance returns all Departments'

budget requests to the Board of Finance

March 5,6,7 Board of Finance will analyze and

March 12,13,14 investigate estimates and hold budget (March 5 Also Reg.Mtg.)

discussions with Department Heads, Boards and Commissions. Meetings to be

held at 7:00 P.M.

March 25 (Monday) Hold public hearing on budget

SSES Cafetorium 7:00 p.m.

March 26,27 Revise budget requests and prepare April 2,3 final recommendations for preparation

April 2 also reg.mtg. acceptance of budget document.

Meetings at 7 p.m.

April 19 Submit budget for the April 25, 2018 newspaper publication.

April 29 Annual Town Meeting - budget adoption

SSES Cafetorium 7:00 p.m.

May 7 Referendum next day after Regional 9 Budget meeting of May 6

All meetings will be at the Senior Center - unless so noted above.

Town of Easton Board of Finance

Schedule of Regular Meeting Dates - 2019

7:00 p.m.

Regular Meeting Location - Easton Senior Center

All meetings are the first Tuesday of each month

except for January and November the second Tuesday of the month

January 8, 2019

February 5, 2019

March 5, 2019

April 9, 2019

May 7, 2019

June 4, 2019

July 2, 2019

August 6, 2019

September 3, 2019

October 1, 2019

November 12, 2019

December 3, 2019