

MILFORD FINANCE COMMITTEE

APRIL 27, 2016

PRESENT: Marc Schaen (Chair), Aldo Cecchi, Phil Ciaramicoli, Al Correia, Bob DeVita, Chuck Miklosovich, Chris Morin, Michael Nicholson, Jeff Niro, Michael Schiavi, Mike Soares, John Tennaro.

Members not present: Jerry Hiatt, Joyce Lavigne and Vinny Valastra

Also present: Richard Villani, Town Administrator; Zachary Taylor, Town Accountant/Financial Director; Chris Pilla, Town Treasurer; Bill Buckley, Selectman and Paul Abbondanza, Financial Analyst.

Media: Bill Shaver, Milford Daily News

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m.

John Tennaro moved to approve the 4-13-16 Minutes, seconded by Chris Morin, all in favor.

Mike Nicholson moved to approve the 4-4-16 Minutes, seconded by Mike Soares, all in favor.

Article 27 – School Committee - \$300,000 to be spent for the purpose of building the network infrastructure at Brookside School, Memorial School, Stacy School and Milford High School:

Chris Morin reported that he met with the School Committee and Superintendent on Monday to discuss the infrastructure and the lack of information going forward and all agreed to meet more often so this problem doesn't continue to happen. Bob DeVita moved to reconsider Article 27, seconded by John Tennaro, all in favor. After discussion, Aldo Cecchi moved for a favorable recommendation, seconded by Bob DeVita, all in favor.

Articles 2 and 3 – Personnel Board –Classification and Compensation Study Report: A presentation was viewed and many questions were asked regarding the wages and salary schedule and it was agreed that the Personnel Board should return for the 5-11-16 meeting to discuss these Articles in more detail. Mike Soares moved to table Articles 2 and 3, seconded by Mike Nicholson, all in favor.

Article 23 – Board of Selectmen - \$250,000 to be utilized for purposes for contracting with the MWRTA: Discussion as to whether a fixed route of transportation would be right for the Town was discussed. Mike Nicholson moved for a favorable recommendation, seconded by Mike Soares, 6 in favor, 5 opposed.

Chuck Miklosovich moved to adjourn, seconded by John Tennaro, all in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 9:35 p.m.

Minutes recorded by Diana Hearn

Documents reviewed: Town Warrant; Classification and Compensation Study Report;