

TOWN OF BROOKLYN

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Board of Finance Regular Meeting Agenda Wednesday, November 17, 2021 7:00pm Clifford B. Green Memorial Center and via Cisco Webex

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- 1. Determination of a quorum and call to order
- 2. Public Comment
- 3. Action on Minutes of 10/20/21 Meeting
- 4. Introduction of new members: R. David Lee, Aaron Soucy and (ex-officio) Austin Tanner
- 5. Letters of thanks to former members: Kim Conroy and Ken Dykstra
- 6. Discussion/Action on Hooker & Holcombe 3rd Quarter Retirement Plan Review
- 6. Action on 2022 Meeting schedule proposal (attached)
- 7. Election of 2022 Officers & Liaisons
 - a. Chairman; Vice Chairman
 - b. Board/Commission Liaisons
- 8. Status of Negotiations with Brooklyn Education Association
- 9. Old Business

- a. (Rushie Bean) Status of Chart of Accounts Discussion with Fire Departments
- b. (Rushie Bean) Status of determining whether there are completed or abandoned capital projects with unspent funds as discussed at item 3 of the 4/21/21 BoF Minutes, item 4.a.IV of the 5/19/21 BoF Minutes, item 4.d of the 9/15/21 BoF Minutes and item 5.b of the 10/20/21 BoF Minutes.
- c. (Rushie Bean) Discussion, if warranted, of steps that need to be taken if any projects discussed in 9.b., above, have been bonded
- d. (Austin Tanner) Discussion of status of establishing an ARP Funds Committee and of ARP candidate projects.
- e. Clarification of discussion held at item 5.f. of the 10/20/21 BoF meeting: Unexpended Reserve funds were confirmed at \$1.370M and the BoF "Policy Target" was confirmed at \$2.548M. Meeting the target would require an additional appropriation of 0.2945 mills in 2022-23 if the maximum four-year time interval allowed in the policy were adhered to in increasing the Reserve. Mill rate increases in subsequent years would would depend on Grand List growth.
- f. (Austin Tanner) Status of replacing roof of old highway garage and of the Town Meeting required to appropriate required funds.
 - g. (Austin Tanner) Rescheduling MS4 Presentation which was to have been given by Rick Ives.
 - h. Any other Old Business (e.g., Fire Dep't. Insurance Bill, Compactor Repairs at Landfill)
- 10. Selectman's Report (Austin Tanner)
- 11. New Business
 - a. Fire Department Quarterly Financial Reports
 - b. Liaison Reports
 - c. Any other New Business
- 12. Public Comment
- 13. Adjournment

Jeffrey Otto LIB

Chairman