

The minutes of March 27, 2019 were deferred.

YARMOUTH FINANCE COMMITTEE MINUTES

Yarmouth Town Hall Room A

April 24, 2019

Present: Ken Mudie, Chairman, Joseph Goldstein, Jessica Norwood, Jack Moylan, Robert Ciavarra, Nathan Ladley, Brian Gardiner

1. Minutes: The minutes of March 27, 2019 were reviewed and were deferred until clarification as whether the committee will voted to recommend the D/Y school budget at a 2.53% increase.

2. Discussion and/or Possible Vote:

- Discussion revolved around what the total school assessment was to Yarmouth, not simply the gross budget. In addition it was questioned what formula was used to assess Yarmouth and what were the potential override scenarios. A motion was made by J. Goldstein and seconded by J. Moylan to reconsider the prior school budget vote. The motion was passed 7-0.
- A motion was made by J. Goldstein and seconded by J. Moylan to defer the final vote on the school budget and override until May 4th, once the final numbers have been presented by town administration. The motion was passed 7-0.
- A brief discussion was held concerning the upcoming mock town meeting held on 4/25. J. Norwood agreed to respond if necessary to Article 36 item on Flax Pond.

3. Fin/Com Administrative Items: J. Norwood requested that the Chairman formally request further information on solar panel instillation at the West Yarmouth Fire Station including sources of funding and long term cost/benefits. This motion was made by J. Norwood and seconded by J. Goldstein.

Also concern was raised about the golf tournament fund raiser honoring officer Gannon but held in Brewster and Chatham. While a response had been received from Pat Armstrong, it was noted with concern that the event was being run out of YPD Dispatch using a Yarmouth Town email. The committee requested that the town not support this out of town tournament on an official basis from a town web address.

The next meeting will be held May 4th at 8am at Mattacheese School.

4. Adjourn: The motion to adjourn made by Jack Moylan and seconded by N. Ladley.

Respectfully submitted,

Ken Mudie, Finance Committee Chairman.