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MINUTES OF THE BOF PUBLIC MEETING

The Board of Finance held its Public Meeting on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>September 2</u>, <u>2020</u> at <u>7:30 p.m. with remote participation</u> for the below purposes:

Board Attendees: Brian Stern, Andrea Moore, Nancie Dupier, Sheri Gordon, Jay DesMarteau, and Lee Caney. Jim Foster was absent.

AGENDA

- **1.** Approved the Board of Finance Minutes of the August 12, 2020 and the August 19, 2020 Special Meetings. *Motion to Approve Jay DesMarteau, Second Nancie Dupier. Vote* **6-0-0**.
- 2. Financial Report from the Finance Director. (Discussion Only) *Gary Conrad presented*.
- 3. Coleytown Middle School Status Update from Sheri Gordon. (Discussion Only) *Sheri Gordon presented.*
- 4. Status Update from the Audit Manager. (Discussion Only) Lynn Scully presented.
- 5. Upon the request of the Finance Director, to close the Fiscal Year 2019-20 by processing the list of transfers (attached) and incorporating these in the appropriation subsidiary ledger. *Motion to Approve Brian Stern, Second Sheri Gordon, Vote 6-0-0.*

- 6. Upon the request of the Superintendent of Schools, to approve an expenditure in the amount of \$150,000.00 from BOE Carryover Account for Protective Plexiglass Panels.
 - Motion to Approve Sheri Gordon, Second Jay DesMarteau. Vote 6-0-0.
- 7. Upon the request of the Superintendent of Schools, to approve an expenditure in the amount of \$1,182,500.00 from the BOE Carryover Account for FY2020-2021 COVID-19 related year-to-date actual and anticipated near-term expenses.
 - Motion to Approve Jay DesMarteau, Second Brian Stern. Vote 6-0-0.
- 8. Upon the request of the Director of Parks and Recreation, to approve an appropriation of \$310,000.00 along with bond and note authorization to the Municipal Improvement Fund Account 30508810-500316 to replace the field lights at the Greens Farms field.
 - Motion to Approve Andrea Moore, Second Nancie Dupier. Vote 6-0-0.
- 9. Upon the request of the Director of Public Works, to approve an appropriation of \$150,000.00 along with bond and note authorization to the Municipal Improvement Fund Account 30503310-500317 for Power Redundancy and IT Security Upgrades at Town Hall and Parks and Recreation.
 - Motion to Approve Andrea Moore, Second Sheri Gordon. Vote For 5 (Dupier, Caney, Gordon, Moore, DesMarteau)-Against 1 (Stern). Motion passes 5-1-0.
- 10. Upon the request of the Director of Public Works, to approve an appropriation of \$71,500.00 along with bond and note authorization to the Municipal Improvement Fund Account 30503310-500318 to design the replacement of underground fuel tanks, fuel system, and heating oil tanks at Parsell Public Works Center at 300 Sherwood Island Connector.
 - Motion to Approve Lee Caney, Second Sheri Gordon. Vote 6-0-0.
- 11. Upon the request of the Director of Public Works, to approve an appropriation of \$278,000.00 along with bond and note authorization to the Municipal Improvement Fund Account 30503310-500319 for the Replacement of Heavy Equipment and Specialized Vehicles:
 - a. Requesting \$178,000.00 for the replacement of Truck #38 F550 Plow Truck and Vehicle #44 Kubota Mini-Excavator that are used together for culvert cleaning and excavation.
 - b. Requesting \$60,000.00 for the replacement of half of the Parsell Public Works Center, truck bay doors and waste oil storage shed.
 - c. Requesting \$40,000.00 for the replacement of the 40-year-old, non-functional Transfer Station Doors. *Motion to Approve Sheri Gordon, Second Nancie Dupier. Vote* 6-0-0.

Motion to Adjourn - Sheri Gordon, Second Lee Caney. Vote 6-0-0. Meeting Adjourned at 9:45pm.

Meeting notes respectfully submitted by Andrea Moore

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