


TOWN OF CROMWELL, CT
BOARD OF FINANCE
PUBLIC HEARING
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 2021 7:00 pm
CROMWELL TOWN HALL, ROOM 224-225
MINUTES

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Present: Chairman Julius Neto, John Ireland

Also Present: Town Manager Anthony Salvatore, Finance Director Marianne Sylvester, Superintendent Dr. Enza Macri, Director of Financial Services Ann Burke and Board of Education Chairman Jeffrey Matrullo.

Attendees via Zoom: Ed Maley, Steve Wygonowski, Dan Kelly, Allan Spotts, Ann Hulick, John Flanders, Kathryn Russ, and Lou Menendez.

Chairman Julius Neto Called the Public Hearing to order at 7:11 p.m.

Chairman Julius Neto read the Legal Notice dated March 22, 2021. (copy attached) A motion was made by Allan Spotts and seconded by Steve Wygonowski to waive the reading of the legal notice. **All in favor – Motion Passed**

Chairman Neto then introduced Town Manager Anthony Salvatore to give his presentation of the 2021-2022 General Government Budget. The Town Manager also discussed the American Rescue Plan Act and the Town's allocation of \$1,366,364.

Chairman Neto introduced Board of Education Chairman Jeffrey Matrullo who then thanked everyone for their efforts with the budget.

Chairman Matrullo then introduced Superintendent Dr. Enza Macri to present the Board of Education 2021-2022 Budget.

Dr. Macri addressed the highlights contained within the Board of Education's Budget. Also discussed was the American Rescue Plan Act and the Board of Education's allocation of \$1,260,000.

A motion was made by Steve Wygonowski and seconded by Ed Maley to withhold the voting on individual budget line items and vote on all of them at the end.

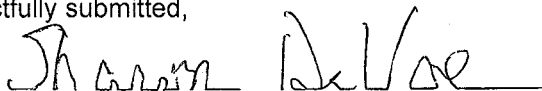
Discussion took place. Chairman Neto would like to stay the course and vote line item by line item.

Motion was withdrawn by Steve Wygonowski and seconded by Ed Maley.

Chairman Neto Concluded the Public Hearing at 8:30 p.m.

Chairman Neto closed the Public Hearing at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Sharon DeVoe
Recording Clerk

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF CROMWELL
BOARD OF FINANCE

PUBLIC HEARING
2021-2022 GENERAL FUND BUDGET

In compliance with Article VIII, Section 8.04 of the Cromwell Town Charter, notice is hereby given that the Board of Finance of Cromwell, Connecticut, will conduct a Public Hearing on Wednesday, March 31, 2021 at 7:00 pm in the Council Chambers at the Cromwell Town Hall regarding the 2021-2022 proposed budgets of the Town Council, including the Debt Service budget, and the Board of Education.

Copies of the proposed budgets are available in the Office of the Town Clerk, 41 West Street, Cromwell, Connecticut and the Town of Cromwell's website, www.cromwellct.com.

All electors and those qualified to vote in Town Meetings may attend and offer comments* regarding any budget item.

A second Public Hearing, for additional comments, will be held on Tuesday, April 6, 2021 at 7:00 pm at the Town Hall Council Chambers. The Board of Finance will begin budget workshops immediately after the Public Hearings on March 31, 2021 and April 6, 2021. A subsequent budget workshop is scheduled for Wednesday, April 7, 2021, at 7:00 pm in the Town Hall Council Chambers for any unfinished 2021-22 budget matters.

For the Cromwell Board of Finance,

Julius Neto, Chairman

Dated at Cromwell, Connecticut, this 22nd day of March, 2021

*Citizen comments may also be sent to msylvester@cromwellct.com before noon on March 31st and will be distributed to all Board of Finance members.

This meeting is live-streamed at www.cromwellct.com Quick links – live Town Meetings.