



TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER CONNECTICUT

P.O. Box 216, 44 Main Street South, Bridgewater CT 06752

Board of Finance Town of Bridgewater, CT Special Meeting July 26,2023

Board Members Present: Tom Presby, Dennis MacDonald, Chuck Harris and Jean Robinson

Guests: First Selectman, Curtis Reed, Treasurer, Susan Wilcox. Bridgewater Historical Society President, Alan Michener, VP, Michelle Brown and Curator, Marla Blumenstock. BHS Board of Trustees, Lil Murphy and Collin Brown.
Jennifer Krause Clerk

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman, Tom Presby, called the Meeting to order at 4:30 PM.

REPORT FROM THE FIRST SELECTMAN

Dealing with the flooding with Homeowners claims, DOT planning and bypass for emergency work, Police coverage and our local road drainage. Discussed Library Roof going out to bid soon and major repairs on police barn and salt shed with the aid of the STEAP Grant. Captain's House and ongoing progress with committee to plan the Grange Park design. Working with the Veterans Memorial Committee on final design and cost estimates.

REVIEW MINUTES

Review May 4, May 17 and May 18, 2023, meeting minutes.

MOTION

Chuck Harris made a motion to approve Minutes for May 4, May 17 and May 18, 2023, Meeting. Seconded by Jean Robinson, all in favor, so moved.

REPORT FROM TAX COLLECTOR

Reviewed and Discussed



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DISCUSSION WITH THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY ON FACILITY CHARGES

Discussed the Budget and growth/improvements of the Historical Society. Fund raising by the organization supported by the town. Discussion to be continued.

REPORT FROM TREASURER

Discussed and reviewed recent events and decisions that impacted the current year's budget. To be continued in September Meeting.

FORMALITIES FOR BOF MEMBERS PLANNING TO RUN FOR REELECTION

None required

MOTION

A Motion to adjourn at 5:34 PM was offered by Chuck Harris and Seconded by Jean Robinson. Unanimously approved.

Next BOF Regular Meeting September 20, 2023, at 4:30PM

Respectfully Submitted, Jennifer Krause