

Town of Ayer
Finance Committee
Ayer Massachusetts, 01432



Location: Ayer Town Hall, 1st floor meeting room.
Finance Committee Minutes

Wednesday, January 27, 2010

Present: Brian Muldoon; Chairman, Jesse Reich; Vice-Chairman, Glen LaPierre; Clerk, member Scott Houde and Andrew Crowley

Called to order at 7:01 pm by Brian Muldoon

1. Mail: Handed out mail.
2. Minutes:
 - a. Motion by Scott Houde to approve the minutes dated 1/21/10 as written, second by Jess Reich. All in favor, unanimous.
3. New Business: Brian Muldoon:
 - a. Lisa Gabree discussed Parks department budget for FY 11, also went over school budget projections, Assessors my need a RFT, Pass encumbered Articles discussed and suggested that the Fincom advise the BOS to close some and the ATM.
 - b. Dan Nason came before Fincom to discuss the DPW Budget, salaries increased 3.5 % but could be more or less depended on contract talks, another variable is electric costs for street light he is looking into options that are available to reduce street light expenses, New regulations in storm water disposal that need to be addressed he would like to establish an utility fund to take care of the increasing costs associated with storm water disposal and if it is put into place there could be some savings in this budget, talked about some highway projects that would like to do but be funded by ch 90, need to upgrade the UV system, water main work on 2A from Groton School rd to Shirley town line, may need a RFT for street light expenses
 - c. Jesse Reich suggested that it be put into policy that no borrowing beyond useful life be allowed.
 - d. Brian Muldoon suggested that the remainder of the items on the agenda be discussed at the next Fincom meeting on 2/03/10

9:40pm: Motion to adjourn FinCom by Jesse Reich, second by Scott Houde. All in favor, unanimous

Brian Muldoon, Chairman _____ Date _____

Jesse Reich, Vice Chairman _____ Date _____

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Glen Lapierre, Clerk _____ Date _____

Scott Houde, Member _____ Date _____

Andrew Crowley, Member _____ Date _____