BOS Regular Meeting A G E N D A 7:30 PM Monday, January 04, 2016 Brookfield Town Hall - Room 133

1) Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance

Monthly Agenda Items

- A) Public Comment
 - 2 minutes / 20 minutes (priority to agenda items). Sign-up sheet at meeting.
- B) Announcements
 - 1) Present Certificate of Recognition to the BHS Bobcats Football Team Class M State Champions!
- C) Correspondence addressed to BOS
 - 1) Howard Lasser [attachment]; 2) Richard Sturdevant [attachment].
- D) Monthly Financial Results

Update provided by Controller Bill Leverence.

2) New Items

A. <u>Historical Society Payment Request</u>: The Historical Society had the museum exterior painted in October 2015; however, the funds were only allocated from July 2014 to June 2015 and FY 2014-15 has been closed out [attachment]. <u>Recommended Motion</u> - that the Board of Selectmen recommend that the Board of Finance approve the appropriation amount of \$13,510 from Fund Balance for the completed museum painting work.

- B. <u>Operations and Management Agreement</u>: Aquarion Water Company of CT (AWC) and Town of Brookfield Agreement to retain AWC to operate and maintain all water facilities in town. <u>Recommended Motion</u>: that the Selectmen approve the Operations and Management Agreement between the Town and AWC, as reviewed by the Town Attorney [attachment].
- C. <u>Updated Town of Brookfield Municipal Administration Fraud Policies and Procedures</u>: <u>Recommended Motion</u>: that the Selectmen approved the updated Municipal Administration Fraud Policies and Procedures Policy, as reviewed by the Town Attorney [attachment].
- D. <u>2014-2015 Short Term Finance Request</u>: Request for short term financing of completed town projects [attachment]. <u>Recommended Motion</u> that the Selectmen approve the Town Controller's request to enter into a short term financing agreement with Union Savings Bank completed 2014-15 Projects in the amount of \$365,290, and forward the recommendation to the Board of Finance for approval.

3) Updates

- A. <u>Streetscape Improvement Project Presentation</u>: Streetscape Improvement Project Joint Presentation to Boards of Selectmen and Finance and discussion.
- B. Still River Greenway: Update by First Selectman
- C. Town Beach/Cadigan: Update by First Selectman
- D. Meadowbrook Manor: Update by First Selectman
- E. <u>Homeland Towers</u>: Homeland Towers, LLV has filed a zoning application for the construction of a tower behind the firehouse that is capable of supporting antennas of multiple wireless telecommunication providers including the Town emergency service providers [attachment]. Homeland Towers have scheduled a Public Information Meeting on Wednesday, January 27 at 7pm in Meeting Room 133. A Public Hearing was held on 1/6/14 for public comments on the proposed cell tower lease; and residents voted to approve the Option and Ground Lease Agreement at a Special Town Meeting on 2/3/14.

4) Consent Agenda

Recommended Motion: that the Selectmen approve all Items on the Consent Agenda:

- A. Board of Selectmen Meeting Minutes: December 7, 2015; December 9, 2015 [attachments].
- B. Staffing Changes for the month of December: No changes.
- C. Amended Board of Selectmen 2016 Meeting Schedule [attachment].
- D. Selectmen Approvals for Routine Matters

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- 1) 2015 Tree City USA Application for Re-Certification [attachment].
- 2) Resolution to approve Union Savings Bank as Bank for municipal accounts and approving First Selectman and Treasurer as signatories.
- E. <u>Driveway Bond Releases in the amount of \$750.00</u> [attachments]:
 - 1.80 Riverford Road #2121
- F. Excavation Bond Release(s) [attachment]:
 - 1. 52 Indian Trail #10-13-15, A.T.P. Landscaping, final bond release.
- G. Inland-Wetlands Commission Bond Release(s) [attachments]:
 - 1. 871 Federal Road #2201200837 for planting bond for "Riverview of Brookfield" of \$4,048.35.
- H. Zoning Commission Bond Release(s) [attachments]:
- 1. 901 Federal Road (Newbury Village) #200200697 Bond release of \$17,000 leaving \$3,000 remaining for pending landscape.
 - 2. 227-235 Federal Road #201300259 final bond release of \$9,000.00.

5) Additional Monthly Agenda Items

- A. Appointments: Board and/or Commission appointments.
 - 1) Ernest Henninger (R) Appointment to Arts Commission [attachment].
 - 2) John R. Miller (D) Appointment to Arts Commission [attachment].
- B. Executive Session: Recommended Motion that the Board of Selectmen enter into Executive Session to discuss a State Partnership Plan.
- C. <u>Executive Session</u>: <u>Recommended Motion</u> that the Board of Selectmen enter into Executive Session to review an Ethics Complaint BOS 2015-4 per General Statutes Sections 7-148h and 1-82a, Charter Article X and Ordinances Chapter 21.
- D. <u>Executive Session</u>: <u>Recommended Motion</u> that the Board of Selectmen enter into Executive Session to discuss the appointment of Town Attorney.

6) Adjourn