



CITIZENS FINANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Citizens Committee

Robert Wynne, Chairperson
Karin Chavis
Michael Herbert
John Macero
Marc Wallerice
Jan Twombly
Barbara Flavin, Secretary

MINUTES OF AUGUST 30, 2010

ATTENDANCE: Robert Wynne, Karin Chavis, Jan Twombly, and Barbara Flavin.

ABSENT: Michael Herbert, John Macero and Marc Wallerice

The Meeting opened promptly at 6:30 PM.

A Motion was made by Karin Chavis to approve the Minutes of August 16, 2010, seconded by Jan Twombly. Motion passed unanimously as corrected.

General Discussion pertaining to the Town Council Meeting of August 17, 2010 and the School Committee/Education Meeting of August 20 and August 26, 2010 ensued.

We discussed the need to better understand the school revenues and expenditures, especially those that do not run through the Town's general fund; specifically grants and direct state & federal aid.

Bob Wynne asked Jan Twombly to submit a request to Mike Bertino, the Town Finance Officer, for an overall accounting of the Town and School Gift & Grants information. Jan will also ask that the information be available to us on or before September 20, 2010, in time for our next meeting on September 23, 2010. She will ask Mike and the Town Manager, Jim McKenna, to join us.

Next meeting September 23, 2010 @ 6:30 PM.

Motion to adjourn @ 8:30 PM by Jan Twombly and seconded by Karin Chavis.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara Flavin, Secretary