

Finance Committee Workshop Monday, March 15, 2021 at 6:00 pm

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COVID-19 Update

In response to the recent outbreak of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) the Governor signed LD 2167, An Act To Implement Provisions Necessary to the Health, Welfare and Safety of the Citizens of Maine in Response to the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency, which is now PL 2019, c. 617.

Part G enacts Title 1, section 403-A, Public proceedings through remote access during declaration of state of emergency due to COVID-19. It authorizes conducting public proceedings through telephonic, video, electronic or other similar means of remote participation with specific conditions. The section is repealed 30 days after the termination of the state of emergency.

Finance Committee Members

James M. "Jamie" Garvin, Chairman Nicole Boucher Valerie J. Deveraux Jeremy A. Gabrielson, Finance Committee Chairman Caitlin R. Jordan Penelope A. Jordan Gretchen R. Noonan

- 1. Welcome and Introductory Comments: Jeremy A. Gabrielson, Finance Committee Chairman
- **2. Review of Finance Committee Workshops and Budget Meetings** Note - Town Council meetings begin at 7:00 p.m. Finance Committee budget workshops begin at 6:00 p.m.

Monday, March 15 (6:00 p.m.) Finance Committee Review of Departments 100, 200, 400, 500, 709-710

Thursday, March 18 (6:00 p.m.) Finance Committee Review of Departments (Municipal) 300 and Special Funds

Monday, April 12 Regular Town Council Meeting Including Opportunity for Budget Public Comments

Monday, April 26 (6:00 p.m.) Finance Committee - School Budget Presentation from the School Board

Tuesday, April 27 (6:00 p.m.) Finance Committee Wrap-Up (if needed)

Monday, May 3 Special Town Council Meeting - Budget Public Hearing

Monday, May 10 Regular Town Council Meeting and Vote on the FY 2022 Budget

Tuesday, June 8 Citizen Vote on the Town Council Adopted School Budget

3. Town Manager's Budget Overview - Matthew Sturgis

Finance Committee Review of the FY 2022 Municipal Budget
Opportunity for Public Comment (Limited to 15 minutes; 3 minutes per person. Time

may be extended by a majority of the town council.) Persons wishing to address the council shall indicate their desire using the Raise Hand function of the Zoom meeting. When recognized by the chairman, the speaker shall give his or her name and address or local affiliation, if the affiliation is pertinent.

General Government Budgets

Department 110 Review of Administration Budget - Sturgis Department 120 Review of Assessing, Codes and Planning - O'Meara

Library

Department 510 Library - Davis Special Revenue Funds Fund 46 Library/Zimpritch - Davis

Department 130 Town Council, Legal and Audit - Sturgis Department 140 Elections - Lane Department 150 Boards and Committees - Sturgis Department 160 Insurance - Sturgis Department 170 Employee Benefits - Sturgis Department 180 Debt Service - Sturgis

Public Safety

Department 210 Police Department - Fenton Department 215 Animal Control - Fenton Department 220 Public Safety Communications - Fenton Department 225 WETeam - Gleeson Department 230 Fire Department - Gleeson Department 231 Rescue Budget - Gleeson Department 235 Fire/Police Unit - Gleeson Department 240 Miscellaneous Public Protection - Fenton Department 250 Emergency Preparedness - Gleeson

Human Services

Department 410 Human Services -Sturgis

Other

Department 520 Contributions - Sturgis Department 530 Public Information - Sturgis

Interfund Transfers

Department 709 Sturgis

Intergovernmental Assessments

Department 710 Sturgis

Adjournment

Participation at Meetings and Conduct of Meetings

Workshop Meetings

The purpose of a workshop meeting is primarily for council dialogue involving reports and proposals from council members, committees and staff that may be considered at later Town Council meetings. The Town Council may give guidance to the chairman and to staff at workshop meetings but no decisions may be made that require formal votes. Notwithstanding the prior sentence, the Town Council may vote on procedural motions at a workshop meeting to determine a conflict of interest, to enter into executive session and to adjourn. Prior to Town Council discussion on any item, members of the public may speak on each agenda item for not more than three minutes each and up to a total of 15 minutes. If there are more speakers than the time available, the chairman may allocate the speaking time in order to balance the debate. The public participation portion shall conclude when the Town Council begins its discussions.

Decorum

Persons present at Council meetings shall not applaud or otherwise express approval or disapproval of any statements made or actions taken at such meeting. Persons at Council meetings may only address the Town Council after being recognized by the chairman.

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