

TOWN OF HUDSON Budget Committee

Shawn Murray, Chairman

Hasan Goode, Vice-Chairman



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Budget Committee Meeting Minutes November 19, 2020 FINAL

Call to Order

• Chairman Murray called the meeting to order at 7:00pm in the Hudson Community Center (HCC).

Pledge of Allegiance

· Led by Mr. Guessferd

Attendance

Present:

 Chairman Murray, Vice-Chairman Goode, Rich Weissgarber, Bob Guessferd, Ted Trost, Alejandro Urrutia, Nichole DeJesus, Michael Fedele, School Board Liaison Diana LaMothe.

Members Not Present:

Selectman Liaison Norm Martin (excused)

Staff/Others:

Hudson Town Administrator Steve Malizia

Public Input

- None
- Acceptance of Minutes
 - N/A
- Reports from Liaisons

a. Select Board

None

b. School Board

 Ms. LaMothe presented the SAU81 report and mentioned that the SAU 81 FY22 budget will be available on 20 Nov 2020

• Town Budget Presentation

a. Default budget

Mr. Malizia presented and explained the FY22 general, sewer and water budgets for FY22. The new BOS proposed FY22 general budget was increased by \$20,100 adding funds to support new shields for the police (\$13,100) and laptops for the budget committee (\$7,000). These increases voted on and approved by the budget committee raises the FY22 proposed budget to \$31,252,764. If warrant article A is defeated, the default general fund budget is \$30,479,143 for FY22.

Budget Wrap-up

- The budget committee voted on three FY22 warrant articles:
 - a. **Warrant article A:** General Fund Operating Budget. Motion made by Mr. Fidele second by Mr. Guessferd motion passed (8-0-1). Mr. Trost abstained.
 - b. **Warrant article B:** Sewer Fund Operating Budget. Motion made by Mr. Urrutia second by Ms. DeJesus motion passed (8-0-1). Mr. Trost abstained.
 - c. **Warrant article C:** Water Fund Operating Budget. Motion made by Ms. DeJesus second by Mr. Guessferd motion passed (8-0-1). Mr. Trost abstained.

• Other Business/Comments

 Next meeting is 2 Dec 2020/7pm at the HCC. Meeting will cover the FY22 SAU81 Budget areas: Intro, revenue, SAU Facilities and IT.

Adjournment

 Motion made by Mr. Weissgarber second by Ms. DeJesus motion passed (9-0-0). Meeting adjourned at 7:24pm.

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