EAST GRANBY BOARD OF FINANCE REGULAR MEETING MINUTES October 18, 2022

1) Call to Order

A regular meeting of the Board of Finance was called to order by Chairman Mark Porter at 7:02 p.m. Members present were Oliver Davis, Jim Francoline, Mike Malloy and Natalie Welsh.

Motion: A motion was made by Mike Malloy and seconded by Jim Francoline to amend agenda item 6A to "Discuss 2023 Activity Calendar" and amend agenda item 6B to "Review and Discuss *Updated* 5 Year Capital Plans from Boards of Selectmen and Education". **All votes were in favor and the motion carried.**

2) Public Comment

A comment was made regarding the cameras not working during the meetings, question regarding status of fire department requests, and a comment regarding BOE meeting access.

3) Acceptance of Minutes –September 20, 2022 Meeting

Motion: A motion was made by Jim Francoline and seconded by Oliver Davis to accept the minutes of the September 20, 2022 meeting. **All votes were in favor and the motion carried.**

4) <u>Communication & Correspondence</u>

- ARPA Summary from BOS
- Bid/Purchase Draft Policy from BOS
- BOE Memo Regarding Use of Non-Lapsing Funds
- BOE Memo Regarding 5 Year Capital Plan Update
- BOE Request for Representative from BOF for Upcoming Contract Negotiations

5) Old Business

A) Review Board of Selectmen Pre-audit June FY 2022 Financial Report The BOS pre-audit June financial report was reviewed and discussed.

Motion: A motion was made by Mike Malloy and seconded by Jim Francoline to add "Consider FY 2022 General Government Line-Item Transfer" under old business item 5B. Four votes were in favor (Davis, Francoline, Malloy, Porter) and one opposed (Welsh). Motion carried.

B) Consider FY 2022 General Government Line-Item Transfer

Motion: A motion was made by Mike Malloy and seconded by Jim Francoline to approve a FY 2022 budget transfer of \$13,933.06 from Contingency to Fire Department. Four votes were in favor (Davis, Francoline, Malloy, Porter) and one opposed (Welsh). Motion carried.

6) <u>New Business</u>

A) Discuss 2023 Activity Calendar

The 2023 activity calendar was discussed.

B) Review and Discuss updated 5 Year Capital Plans from Boards of Selectmen and Education

The updated capital plan was reviewed and discussed.

C) Discuss American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Board of Selectmen Protocols Eden Wimpfheimer discussed the updated BOS policy relating to ARPA requests and approvals.

7) Monthly Reports

A) Financial

Motion: A motion was made by Jim Francoline and seconded by Mike Malloy to accept the September BOS, BOE and Treasurer's financial reports. **All votes were in favor and the motion carried.**

B) Capital Policy Committee No update.

C) Auditor Selection Committee

Mark Porter gave an update. He indicated the RFP has been issued and responses are due back mid November.

D) Town Fire Study Committee

Oliver Davis gave an update. He indicated the committee was discussing adding an administrative position for the Fire Department.

In response to the BOE request for a representative from the BOF, Jim Francoline was designated as the BOF liaison for the upcoming teacher contract negotiations.

8) <u>Public Comment</u>

Comments were made regarding ESSER funds, year-end transfers, and support for the fire department as well as support for the First Selectwoman.

9) Adjournment

Motion: A motion was made by Jim Francoline and seconded by Oliver Davis to adjourn the meeting at 8:54 P.M. **All votes were in favor and the motion carried**.

Respectfully Submitted, Kelly M. Jacobs, Board Clerk