

FINANCE COMMITTEE MINUTES

Friday, August 28, 2020

10:45 a.m.

Town Hall

1. Call to order – Mayor Auxer called the meeting to order at 10:55.

Committee members: J. Auxer, J. Ford, C. Roberts

Visitors: None

Staff Members: D. Nickerson

2. Reading/approval of minutes – Deferred until the September meeting.

3. Visitors - None

4. Unfinished Business - None

5. New Business

- a. Police Officer Salaries

The Police Committee forwarded several recommendations with respect to police salaries:

- The starting annual salary for new hires should be \$47,500 effective July 1, 2021.

D. Nickerson was instructed to utilize this information when constructing the budget for 2021/2022.

- The annual salary of the current officers should be increased by \$1,000 effective September 1, 2020.

- A nightshift differential of \$1.50 per hour should be made effective September 1, 2020.

Motion by J. Ford to recommend to Town Council to increase the annual salary of all current officers by \$1,000 and to increase the nightshift differential by

\$1.50 per hour, both effective September 1, 2020 with D. Nickerson directed to determine an appropriate budget update to accommodate the increase in the Police salary budget. Motion was unanimously approved with no objections.

6. Financial Reporting – No issues.

7. Mayor’s Report – None

Mayor Auxer adjourned the meeting at 11:22 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Ford