

TOWN OF UXBRIDGE BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING MINUTES JOINT MEETING WITH THE FINANCE COMMITTEE BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING ROOM 21 S. MAIN STREET, UXBRIDGE, MA THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2022 6:00 PM

This meeting was held in-person & via Zoom.

Present: Vice Chairman Shaw and Clerk Stephen Mandile

Present via Zoom: Chairman Brian Butler Not Present: Members Peter DeMers and John Wise

Also Present: Town Manager Steve Sette

Vice Chairman Shaw called the meeting to order by roll call at 6:00 PM (*Roll Call: Butler-HERE, Mandile-HERE, Shaw-HERE*). The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Finance Committee Chairman Hogan opened and closed the Public Hearing accordingly.

1. Public Hearing – Fall Annual Town Meeting Tuesday October 25th 2022 -Warrant Articles

Finance Committee Member Franz recused herself as she is the Citizens' Petition Sponsor for the Articles discussed: Articles 19-22. Pat Stephen presented those Articles regarding Citizen Petitions to Amend the Home Rule Charter, supplemented by PowerPoint presentation. Discussion ensued among all present, to include the Town Manager, Board of Selectmen, and Finance Committee.

- a. Article 19: Citizen Petition Amend the Home Rule Charter to adopt procedures to review and/or retire multi-member bodies and advisory committees
- b. Article 20: Citizen Petition Amend the Home Rule Charter to clarify procedures for multi-member bodies regarding email notifications, minutes, and compliance with General Laws, the Charter, and Bylaws
- c. Article 21: Citizen Petition Amend the Home Rule Charter to extend the time to obtain and reduce the number of signatures needed for a petition to recall an elected official
- d. Article 22: Citizen Petition Amend the Home Rule Charter regarding budgets, public budget hearings, and related deadlines to make key documents available to the public

2. Adjournment

MOTION: Mandile

SECOND: Butler

VOTE: to adjourn this September 29, 2022 meeting at 7:41 PM. All in favor. The motion

carried 3-0-0. Butler-YES, Mandile-YES, Shaw-YES

Signatures, List of Documents, & Other Exhibits Used on Back

Joint BOS & Finance Committee Minutes respectfully submitted by Alexandra Clauss September 29, 2022 minutes approved by the Board of Selectmen:

Brian Butler, Chair

Stephen Mandile, Clerk

Jeffrey Shaw, Vice Chair

Date

List of Documents and Other Exhibits Used:

Warrant Report 102522 REV 09.27.22 MEETING