



# Town of Colchester, Connecticut

127 Norwich Avenue, Colchester, Connecticut 06415

## Board of Finance

### Minutes: Budget Public Hearing

May 14, 2019 – Town Hall – 7:00

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1. Board of Finance Chairman, Robert Tarlov, opened the Public Hearing at 7:00 with an introduction of the members of the Board of Finance and stated that copies of the presentations would be on the websites the next day.
2. The OpenGov video was not shown as the equipment did not produce the sound.
3. First Selectman, Art Shilosky, introduced the members of the Board of Selectmen and then presented the Town Budget.
4. Citizen Discussion – Town Budget – there were no questions or comments
5. Presentation of the Schools Budget – Brad Bernier, Chairman Board of Education, introduced the members of the Board of Education. Jeffrey Burt, Superintendent of Schools presented the School's budget. Brad Bernier finished the presentation with a slide comparing our cost per student and our test results with the other towns in our reference group.
6. Citizen Discussion – Schools Budget – one citizen had questions regarding ECS and teacher pension assumptions.
7. Upcoming Meetings Schedule – Robert Tarlov thanked people for attending and reviewed the dates for upcoming scheduled budget meetings and stated that the proposed budgets would be on the web sites tomorrow.

Submitted by Robert Tarlov