

## TOWN OF COLCHESTER ANNUAL BUDGET MEETING – JUNE 3, 2021 MINUTES

Present: First Selectman: Mary Bylone, Selectmen: Rosemary Coyle, Denise Turner, Taras Rudko, Denise Mizla, Board of Education: Mary Tomasi, Jessica Morozowich, Joanne Rose, Amy Domeika, Board of Finance: Andreas Bisbikos, Michael Egan, Michael Hayes, Bernie Dennler, Other attendees: John Malsbenden Jeffrey Burt, Karen Romero, Jamie Legrega, Heide Perham, Stacey Schweighoffer, Maggie Cosgrove, Michael Wyatt, Valerie Geato, Tiffany Quinn, Mike Previti, Leslie Curtis, Gayle Furman and other citizens.

Meeting was called to order by Mary Bylone, First Selectman at 6:32 p.m.

Motion that John Malsbenden be Moderator was made by Rosemary Coyle, seconded by Don Kennedy. MOTION CARRIED

Motion to close nominations made by Don Kennedy, seconded by Rosemary Coyle. MOTION CARRIED.

Voice vote for John Malsbenden for moderator. SO VOTED AND CARRIED

Town Clerk, Gayle Furman, read the warning of the meeting.

Motion to move Item #1, to consider and act upon the 2021-2022 fiscal year budget of the Board of Selectman in the amount of \$15,874,522 as recommended by the Board of Finance, made by Rosemary Coyle, seconded by Don Kennedy.

Prior to the discussion, a citizen asked if the Pledge of Allegiance could be said. The moderator asked if there were any objections. As there were none, everyone stood and recited the pledge.

Discussion: None

Moderator called for a voice vote on Item #1, SO VOTED AND CARRIED.

Motion to move Item #2, to consider and act upon the 2021-2022 fiscal year budget of the Board of Education in the amount of \$41,827,055 as recommended by the Board of Finance, made by Don Kennedy, seconded by Michael Hayes.

Discussion: None

Moderator called for a voice vote on Item #2, SO VOTED AND CARRIED.

Motion to move Item #3, to adjourn said Annual Budget Meeting, pursuant to Section 7-344 of the Connecticut State Statutes and the Colchester Town Charter Section C-1105a.E, for a Referendum vote on Tuesday June 15, 2021 between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. to be

held at the Colchester Town Hall, 127 Norwich Ave., Colchester, CT by Mary Tomassi, seconded by Rosemary Coyle.

Moderator called for a voice vote on Item #3, SO VOTED AND CARRIED.

John Malsbenden resigned as Moderator at 6:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Gayle Furman, Town Clerk