

Minutes

Board of Assessors

Room 105

Tuesday, March 8, 2022

5:00 PM

The meeting convened at 5:02 PM in Room 105. Present were: Board members: Peter Barbieri, chair, Mary Greendale, and Jeffrey Marshall. Staff: Kathryn Peirce and Kevin Rudden.

1. Mary Greendale made a motion, seconded by Jeffrey Marshall, to approve the March 1, 2022 regular session and executive session meeting minutes as written, with authorization to make the executive session minutes public. The motion carried 3-0-0.
2. Mary Greendale made a motion at 5:05 PM, seconded by Jeffrey Marshall, to go into Executive Session to discuss abatements, and subsequently to return to public session. The roll call vote on the motion was 3-0-0.
3. The board resumed its public session at 5:07 PM. Mary Greendale made a motion, seconded by Jeffrey Marshall, to ratify the board's votes taken during the Executive Session. The motion carried 3-0-0.
4. Kevin Rudden told board members that Samuel Tyler and other members of the Governance Committee would like to meet with them at their March 15, 2022 meeting. Board members agreed to this.
5. Kevin Rudden requested the board vote to allow Kathryn Peirce to sign the "Proposed Agreement for FY2023 to FY2027 between Verizon New England, Inc., the Commissioner of Revenue and Boards of Assessors" on behalf of the board. Mary Greendale made this motion, seconded by Jeffrey Marshall. The motion carried 3-0-0.

6. Mary Greendale made a motion. Seconded by Jeffrey Marshall, to approve the wording of the draft Annual Town Meeting warrant article to petition the state legislature to pass a home rule law allowing Holliston to implement a Means-Tested Real Estate Tax Exemption, and to submit the article to the Town Administrator. The motion carried 3-0-0.
  
7. Board members briefly discussed the scheduled meeting with the Finance Committee at 7 PM on March 8, 2022 to discuss the board's proposed Fiscal Year 2023 budget. Peter Barbieri will not be able to attend the meeting, and Mary Greendale will speak on behalf of the board.

A motion was made by Jeffrey Marshall, seconded by Mary Greendale, to adjourn the meeting at 5:40 PM. The motion carried: 3-0-0.

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Executive Session Minutes

Board of Assessors

Room 105

Tuesday, March 8, 2022

5:05 PM

1. The board convened in executive session at 5:05 PM.
2. Mary Greendale made a motion, seconded by Jeffrey Marshall, to approve Personal Property Abatement application #2 in the full amount of \$41,400. The motion carried 3-0-0.
3. Mary Greendale made a motion at 5:07 PM, seconded by Jeffrey Marshall, to end the Executive Session. The roll call vote on the motion was 3-0-0.