



## **TOWN OF HOPEDALE**

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**Finance Committee**

**August 27th, 2020 Meeting Agenda  
6 pm, Via Zoom**

**REVISED**

10:53 am, Aug 24, 2020

Join Zoom Meeting

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**Call to order 6:00PM via Zoom Meeting**

### **Approval of Minutes**

- Regular Meeting: August 19th

### **Discussion Items**

- Introductions
  - Opportunity for new and existing members to introduce themselves to the committee
- Old Business
  - Discuss letter to residents regarding override ballot vote - Vote on letter content/delivery strategy will be taken
  - Discuss financial impact of purchasing 364 West Street, Hopedale - No Vote will be taken
    - Cost of land(initial cost/ongoing costs)
    - Available Grants to offset purchase price
    - Potential lost revenue if land is not developed
  - Discuss Finance Committee response to Board of Selectmen's request for Committee recommendation regarding right of first refusal to purchase 364 West Street, Hopedale - Vote may be taken
- New Business
  - FY22 Budget preparation
    - discuss ways the Finance Committee can work with individual departments early in the budgeting process
- Other:
  - This time is being reserved for topics that the chair did not reasonably anticipate would be discussed

## **Report of the Chair**

## **Report of Committee Members**

## **Action Items**

## **Schedule Next Meeting**

## **Adjournment**

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