

ROCKLAND FINANCE COMMITTEE
ROCKLAND TOWN HALL
ROCKLAND, MA 02370
April 1, 2015

In attendance at April 1, 2015 Finance Committee meeting were Jesse McSweeney, Chairman Mike O'Loughlin, Bill Principe, Jamie Parada, Bob MacDonald, Ken Tocchi, John Pumphrey, Joe Gambon, Rich Penny, Julie Shaffer, and Rick Dunham. Bill Allen was absent.

Also in attendance were Town Accountant Eric Hart, Bob Manzella of the Zoning Board, and Police Chief John Llewelyn.

The meeting was brought to order at 7:02pm by Chairman Mike O'Loughlin. He read aloud that the meeting was being recorded.

Meeting:

- Peter Ewell reviewed the 2015 budget for the Parks Department.
 - **Transfer Request:** \$5000 for overtime (field maintenance). Approved 10-1
- John Laughlin reviewed the 2015 budget for the Sewer Department as well as two articles submitted for town meeting.
- Bob Corvi reviewed the 2015 budget for the Highway Department
- John Retchless, School Superintendent, and Richard Phelps from the School Committee came down to discuss the Finance Committee's rationale for tabling Article 27 (\$100K for replacement/upgrading of computers/technology). The committee explained that tabling was not an opposition to the article, but it was to set the issue aside for future discussion.

Committee Reports:

There was no committee report discussed.

Meeting Minutes:

No minutes were approved/discussed.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:38.

Respectfully,

Richard Dunham

Finance Committee Secretary