Town of Danbury Municipal Budget Committee - Meeting Minutes December 16, 2021

Call to Order 6:32 PM

Members present: Lenny Ryan, Lynn Walker, Anna Hullinger, Doug Boisvert. Jessica Hatch, (Selectman's rep) and Tracy Shepard (Selectman)

Lenny motioned to accept last week's minutes as amended, Doug 2nd, all in favor

Toni Maviki, ZBA Chair was present and spoke on their proposed budget number.

- 1. The board shares a laptop w the PD, and they would like to purchase one of their own, but that is not in the SUPPLIES line, as they thought that if the money for the increase in clerks wage isn't used, perhaps that \$ could be used for the purchase.
- 2. There are new members that will need to attend some training classes.
- 3. Wages line is an unknown, as there is no predicting the number of hearings, and/or appeals. If the wage goes up, that line will be more, obviously.

Jessica spoke on the BOS research of the last 5 years of the ZBA, and regardless of the hearings and appeals, the expenses have been much less than this year's proposal.

It was agreed by the Budget Committee that they would take the proposal into consideration, and give Lorrie and Mike a chance to chime in at the next meeting.

Next meeting is Thursday, December 30th at 6:30.



Respectfully submitted, Lynn Walker