### TOWN OF NORTON

## FINANCE COMMITTEE

Minutes of the Meeting March 27, 2002

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CALL TO ORDER: 7:30pm by Chair, Paul Helmreich

Present:

Paul Helmreich, Donald Brown, Donna Summerfield, Mike Fiore, Jackie Desrochers, Bill Gouveia,

John Luti, Mike Thomas

Absent:

Philip Zawasky

# **BUDGET ITEMS**

#### SCHOOL DEPT.

- School Dept. will not be prepared on April 8, 2002 to present a budget hearing
- Net school spending will not be available until the Chapter 70 figure is firmed up
- Finance Committee must have a firm figure from the School Dept. in order to vote on their budget.

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School Dept. needs to present a breakdown of their budget to the Finance Committee

### TAX TITLE FORECLOSURE

Brown made a motion seconded by Thomas to recommend \$30,000.

Vote: 7 in favor; 1 abstention (Fiore)

### COUNCIL ON AGING

Expense: Summerfield made a motion seconded by Desrochers to recommend \$12,267.

Vote: Unanimous

#### WATER

Town Reimbursement Services: Fiore made a motion seconded by Summerfield to

recommend \$167,998.

Vote: 8 in favor; 1 abstention (Thomas)

## WARRANT ARTICLES

### Article 14 - School Dept.

When the Community School Program was initially set up, it was determined that it would be self sufficient within three (3) years....that's not happening. School Dept. must come to the Town for funds.

No action was taken

### **ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 10:15pm.

### NEXT MEETING

Wednesday, April I, 2002 @ 7:30pm

Respectfully Submitted by:

Christine McSweeney

Secretary Norton Finance Committee