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NORTON FINANCE COMMITTEE

Minutes August 9, 1993

Present: T.Deluca, M.Fiore, W.Gouveia, M.Hackett,
P.Helmreich, D.Summerfield, P.Zawasky

Chair Gouveia called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm.

Town Manager, Walter Lindberg gave the Committee a budget update highlighting departments whose daily operations were suffering as a result of the FY 94 budget. The Conservation, Planning and Health departments can not perform all duties required as a shortage of people in these departments requires personnel to do both field work and paper work in the office.

The cuts in public safety were too deep resulting in inadequate police and fire coverage for the town.

Tax collection is flat. Foreclosure revenues are up and a building boom is underway which leads the Town Manager to believe that no borrowing will be needed in FY 94 to meet the financial needs of the town.

Chair Gouveia opened the floor for nominations to the positions of Chair and Vice Chair of the Norton Finance Committee.

A motion was made by P.Helmreich and seconded by D.Summerfield to nominate Phil Zawasky to the position of Chairman. A vote was taken and with a unanimous vote of the Committee P.Zawasky became the new Chairman.

A motion was made by W.Gouveia and seconded by M.Hackett to nominate Tom DeLuca to the position of Vice Chairman. A vote was taken and with a unanimous vote of the Committee T.DeLuca became the new Vice Chairman.

Chair Zawasky adjourned the meeting at 8:33 pm.

Michael A. Fiore
Acting Recording Secretary

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