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TOWN COUNCIL
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1/14/2026 - Minutes

I. Pledge Of Allegiance

Members: John Simmons (Chair), Mark Gould, Jr., Laura Wagner, John Costello

Craig Cameron, John Donohue, Patricia St. Pierre

Finance Sub-Committee Members Present:

John Simmons (Chair)

Mark Gould

John Costello

Patricia St. Pierre

Members Absent:

John Donohue

Craig Cameron

Laura Wagner

Staff Present:

Town Manager Michael Borg

Assistant Town Manager Antonio Morabito

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Residents Present:

None at this time.

Invited Guests:

None at this time.

Documents Reviewed: (list measures here)

1. Measure 2025-045- Authorization to Transfer FY26 Free Cash in the amount of \$5,317,073.00 into the Capital Stabilization Account

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II. Approval Of Minutes

- a. Approval of the December 3, 2026 Finance Sub-Committee Meeting Minutes

Approval of the December 3, 2025 Finance Sub-Committee

Pat St. Pierre made a Motion to approve.

Councilor Costello seconded the motion.

Motion passed 3-0-1

III. Sub-Committee Reports

None at this time

IV. Resident And Community Comment

None at this time

V. Old Business

- a. None at this time

VI. New Business

- a. Measure 2026 - 045- Authorization to transfer funds in the amount of \$50,000 from the Town's Reserve Fund to the K.P. Law Services Account

Measure 2026 - 045- Authorization to transfer funds in the amount of \$50,000 from the Town's Reserve Fund to the K.P. Law Services Account

The purpose of this Measure is to authorize the transfer of \$50,000.00 from the Town's Reserve Fund Line Item to support increased Legal Service Expenses that the Town has incurred over the past few months.

Town vs. Brady	\$45,570.00
NAPD Litigation	\$4,082.00
Building Inspector-Chestnut St.	\$2,340.00
Achin Acres vs. Conservation	\$1,354.00
Food Security RFP	\$1,118.00
Marijuana	\$345.00
Contracts- Vendor Amendments	\$208.00

Therefore, the Town Manager is requesting Authorization to Transfer Funds in the amount of \$50,000.00 to the K.P. Law Legal Services Account 011519-530003 from Town's Reserve Fund 011329-578000

Town Manager Borg reviewed this measure with the Committee. He went over each of the line items and the costs associated with them. The Brady vs. Town litigation in the amount of \$46,000.00 was the major portion of the expenses. As of now, Brady owes the Town \$65,000.00, and we are hoping for one more judgement for damages.

Councilor Gould was in support of transferring these funds.

Councilor Gould asked if the Town Council could get a brief update on all Legal Cases that are pending.

Councilor Simmons stated that the Town Council may already do this annually, and he will check with the Council President to see when this is scheduled for. This discussion may need to be in Executive Session.

St. Pierre made a motion to refer measure 2026-044 back to the Full Town Council and recommend positive action.

Councilor Costello seconded the motion.

Motion carried 4-0.

VII. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn was made Pat St. Pierre.

Councilor Costello seconded the motion.

Motion carried 4-0.

Meeting adjourned at 6:44PM