Town of West Newbury Finance Committee FY24 Budget Meeting Schedule DRAFT 2/10/23

All meetings except for March 8th $^{\text {th }}$ will be in the 1910 Building 381 Main Street, West Newbury, MA

Hearing Room 1

Date/Time
Wednesday, Feb. $15^{\text {th }}$ 6pm

Wednesday, Feb. $22^{\text {nd }}$ 6 pm

## Departments/Topics To Be Reviewed

Moderator
Select Board
Finance Department
Board of Assessors
Legal Counsel

Conservation Commission
Planning Board
Open Space Committee
Bandstand
Historical Commission

Council on Aging
Debt Service
Essex County Retirement
Unemployment Compensation
OPEB

Cultural Council
Board of Health
Town Clerk
Board of Registrars/Elections
Veterans' Services


| TOWN OF WEST NEWBURY |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Fctis FY24 Operating Budget |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | FY 2022 Expended | $\begin{aligned} & \text { FY } 2023 \\ & \text { Approved } \end{aligned}$ | YTD thru 2/1/2023 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { FY } 2024 \\ & \text { DH/BCC } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{c\|} \text { FY } 2024 \\ \text { TM proposed } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | Proposed Change |  | TM proposed / SB referred | FY 2024 FinCom recc. |
|  |  |  | \$ | \% |  |  | \$ | \% |  |  |
|  | 6/30/2022 | 5/14/2022 | Percent of yr: | 58.9\% |  | 2/6/2023 |  |  | 2/6/2023 |  |
| Select Board Appointed Salary \& Wages | 29,821 | 30,116 | 9,669 | 32.1\% |  |  | $(30,116)$ | -100.0\% |  |  |
| Professional and Technical Services | 4,000 | 10,000 | 1,246 | 12.5\% | 10,000 | 10,000 |  | 0.0\% | 10,000 |  |
| Operating Expenses | 6,788 | 14,000 | 1,709 | 12.2\% | 3,940 | 3,940 | $(10,060)$ | -71.9\% | 3,940 |  |
| 122 Total Select Board | 40,609 | 54,116 | 12,624 | 23.3\% | 13,940 | 13,940 | $(40,176)$ | -74.2\% | 13,940 |  |

## TOWN OF WEST NEWBURY

|  | FY 2022 <br> Expended | FY 2023 <br> Approved | YTD thru 2/1/2023 |  | FY 2024 DH/BCC | FY 2024 TM proposed | Proposed Change |  | TM proposed / SB referred | FY 2024 <br> FinCom recc. |
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|  |  |  | \$ | \% |  |  | \$ | \% |  |  |
|  | 6/30/2022 | 5/14/2022 | Percent of yr: | 58.9\% |  | 2/6/2023 |  |  | 2/6/2023 |  |
| Finance Dept Salaries \& Wages | 193,218 | 270,594 | 131,998 | 48.8\% | 258,428 | 258,580 | $(12,014)$ | -4.4\% | 258,580 |  |
| Annual Audit | 20,500 | 20,500 | 20,500 | 100.0\% | 22,000 | 22,000 | 1,500 | 7.3\% | 22,000 |  |
| Tax Title and Foreclosure |  | 800 | 3,590 | 448.7\% | 2,050 | 2,050 | 1,250 | 156.3\% | 2,050 |  |
| Postage Expense | 14,437 | 16,430 | 13,039 | 79.4\% | 16,200 | 16,200 | (230) | -1.4\% | 16,200 |  |
| Finance Dept Expenses | 24,748 | 27,280 | 12,557 | 46.0\% | 24,945 | 24,945 | $(2,335)$ | -8.6\% | 24,945 |  |
| Travel | 1,613 | 2,000 | 622 | 31.1\% | 2,000 | 2,000 |  | 0.0\% | 2,000 |  |
| 135 Total Finance | 254,515 | 337,604 | 182,306 | 54.0\% | 325,623 | 325,775 | $(11,829)$ | -3.5\% | 325,775 |  |

# Town of West Newbury <br> 381 Main Street <br> West Newbury, Massachusetts 01985 

Jennifer Walsh, Town Accountant

TO: Angus Jennings, Town Manager
FROM: Jennifer Walsh, Town Accountant
DATE: January 26, 2023
RE: FY2024 Finance Budget \& Priorities

Attached please find the FY2024 budget request for the Finance Department.
The FY2024 finance department salaries are decreasing, despite the assumed $2 \%$ COLA. This is attributed to the resignation of the former Town Accountant/Business Manager and hiring of myself as Town Accountant. In addition, funding has been included in the current and previous fiscal years for the services of a consultant. I do not anticipate the need for these services in the new fiscal year.

The operating budget is decreasing, attributed mainly to the reduction in education/training costs previously carried for the Town Accountant/Business Manager and Finance Assistant. There is still sufficient budget for the anticipated training in FY2024.

The total overall budget decreased approximately $3.5 \%$ as a result of the above.

## Impact of known/proposed policy changes/mandates:

1. There are no known impacts from policy changes/mandates.

## Authorized signer(s) for Finance:

1. Angus Jennings, Town Manager/Finance Director
2. Kaitlin Gilbert, Treasurer/Tax Collector - for benefit payments and collection professional services.

Respectfully,


Town Accountant

Town of West Newbury
Departmental Expense Budgeting Form

FINANCE DEPARTMENT Personnel
Salary \& Wages
Treasuer/Tax Collector
Stipend

| FY2021 |
| :---: |
| Actual <br> Expended |


| FY2022 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Budget <br> Requested | Budget <br> Approved | Actual <br> Expended | Turn back / <br> Transfers |


| FY2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Budget <br> Requested | Budget <br> Approved | Year to Date <br> Expended |


| FY2024 |
| :---: |
| Budget |
| Requested |

Expenses
Annual Audit
Tax Title and Forclosure
Postage Expenses
Finance Dept Expenses
Mileage / Travel

| 20,500 |
| ---: |
| 478 |
| 14,847 |
| 23,157 |
| 518 |
| $\quad 59,501$ |


| 20,500 | 20,500 | 20,500 | 0 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 1,000 | 1,000 | 0 | 1,000 |
| 15,400 | 15,400 | 14,437 | 963 |
| 27,955 | 27,955 | 23,819 | 4,136 |
| 2,000 | 2,000 | 1,486 | 514 |
| 66,855 | 66,855 | 60,241 | 6,614 |
|  |  |  |  |
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| 20,500 | 20,500 | 20,500 |  | 22,000 |
| 800 | 800 | 2,178 |  | 2,050 |
| 16,430 | 16,430 | 9,528 |  | 16,200 |
| 27,280 | 27,280 | 9,932 |  | 24,945 |
| 2,000 | 2,000 | 450 |  | 2,000 |
|  | 67,010 | 67,010 | 42,588 |  |
|  |  |  | 67,195 |  |
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Please complete the above current fiscal year budget request.
For each line item that varies from prior year actual, provide a detailed explanation below.
Salary and wage detail to be provided on the Salary and Wage Worksheet, attached.
Annual audit - contracted fee. Treasurer does not see a need to carry additional funds for tax title case review; however, does anticipate that there will be an increase in advertising and registry fees for filings.

Budget request submitted by: $\square$ jennifer Walsh
Contact (phone/email): $\qquad$ townaccountant@wnewbury.org

## FINANCE DEPT OPERATING BUDGET

| 5201 Annual Audit |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Roselli \& Clark |  | 22,000.00 |
|  | \$ | 22,000.00 |


| $\mathbf{5 3 0 0}$ Tax Title and Foreclosure |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| KP Law |  |  |
| North of Boston Media Group | $\$$ | $1,000.00$ |
| Registry of Deeds | $\$$ | $1,050.00$ |
|  | $\mathbf{\$}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 0 5 0 . 0 0}$ |


| 5341 Postage Expense |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Kelley \& Ryan Associates | \$ 9,000.00 |  |
| Pitney Bowes Inc | \$ 2,200.00 | (Lease/Supplies) |
| U.S. Postal Service | \$ 5,000.00 | (Postage/Supplies - net of Water Dept. reimbursement) |
|  | \$ 16,200.00 |  |


| $\mathbf{5 4 0 0}$ Finance Dept Expenses |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | :--- |
| Amazon Business | $\$$ | $1,000.00$ |  |
| EMMAAA | $\$$ | 750.00 | (Dues for TA and FA, Meetings for TA and FA, Annual Meeting for TA) |
| EMTCA | $\$$ | 100.00 |  |
| Harpers Payroll Services | $\$$ | $6,000.00$ |  |
| Institution for Savings | $\$$ | $3,000.00$ |  |
| Kaitlin Gilbert | $\$$ | $1,000.00$ | Treasurer's MCTA annual school w/4 nights of lodging |
| KMS Actuaries | $\$$ | $5,500.00$ | (Contract - Full Eval) |
| Mark Abrahams Bootcamp | $\$$ | 250.00 |  |
| MCTA | $\$$ | 95.00 |  |
| Melanson Heath UMAS Training | $\$$ | 250.00 |  |
| Minuteman Press of NBPT | $\$$ | 275.00 | (Envelopes) |
| MMAAA | $\$$ | 250.00 | (Dues for TA and FA, Meetings for TA and FA) |
| Moody's Investors Service | $\$$ | $3,000.00$ | (annual fee) |
| Umass Conference Services | $\$$ | 355.00 | (Annual Education Program Registration Fee) |
| Veribanc Inc. | $\$$ | 100.00 |  |
| Verizon Wireless | $\$$ | $1,020.00$ | (Cell Phone for TA and T/C) |
| WB Mason | $\$$ | $2,000.00$ |  |
|  | $\$$ | $\mathbf{2 4 , 9 4 5 . 0 0}$ |  |


| $\mathbf{5 7 1 0}$ Travel |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Jennifer Walsh | $\$$ | $1,000.00$ |
| Kaitlin Gilbert | (Hotel/Travel for Umass and EMMAAA Annual Meeting) |  |
|  | $\$ 1,000.00$ |  |


| TOWN OF WEST NEWBURY |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| (c) ${ }^{\text {cti }}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { FY } 2022 \\ & \text { Expended } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { FY } 2023 \\ & \text { Approved } \end{aligned}$ | YTD thru 2/1/2023 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { FY } 2024 \\ & \text { DH/BCC } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{c\|} \text { FY } 2024 \\ \text { TM proposed } \end{array}$ | Proposed Change |  | TM proposed / SB referred | FY 2024 FinCom recc. |
|  |  |  | \$ | \% |  |  | \$ | \% |  |  |
|  | 6/30/2022 | 5/14/2022 | Percent of yr : | 58.9\% |  | 2/6/2023 |  |  | 2/6/2023 |  |
| Assessors Appt'd Pers Salaries | 127,109 | 132,081 | 74,608 | 56.5\% | 137,545 | 137,545 | 5,464 | 4.1\% | 137,545 |  |
| Assessors Expenses | 46,779 | 51,699 | 21,412 | 41.4\% | 26,580 | 26,580 | $(25,119)$ | -48.6\% | 26,580 |  |
| 141 Total Assessors | 173,887 | 183,780 | 96,020 | 52.2\% | 164,125 | 164,125 | $(19,655)$ | -10.7\% | 164,125 |  |

## FY 2024 Budget Documentation ~ Assessors

## Equipment \& Software- $\mathbf{\$ 2 5 0 0}$ (\$0 from FY23)

This line item is used to cover the cost and repair of office and assessing equipment. Will be used to purchase statistical valuation software package. In the past it has been used to purchase ESRI license, file cabinets, desk chairs, computer peripherals, laser measuring tool, batteries, tools of the trade.

## Materials \& Supplies - \$1500 (\$0 from FY23)

This line is to cover office supplies. The largest expense here is the replacement of printer ink cartridges. We also order preprinted envelopes for the many mailings throughout the year. The office uses mailing labels for abutters list for numerous departments.

## Membership \& Dues - \$1000 (\$0 from FY23)

The assessors are affiliated with the MA Association of Assessing Officers, Essex County Assessors Association, and the International Association of Assessing Officers for which we pay dues to.

## Mileage Reimbursement - \$0 (\$-500 from FY23)

Reduced to zero with purchase of e-bike in previous year.

## Cellphone Allowance- \$500 (\$-40 from FY23)

This line will pay for assessor's cellphone used for assessing duties.

## Mapping and GIS- \$6,383.84 (\$0 from FY23)

Contracted price with the Merrimac Valley Planning Council to provide map update and GIS software. High Resolution Aerial Imagry has moved to a different contract structure that allows us to take updated picture flights every other year for a lower cost. Single flight cost has been divided between FY24 and FY25.

## Vision Software Subscription - \$10,196 (+\$421 from FY23)

This item is a fixed cost based upon an executed license agreement with Vision Government Solutions for our Assessing Software and online database. This is the first year with the new vendor and includes software, cloud hosting solution, online database, and online property record cards

## Training \& Education \$3500 (\$-500 from FY23)

This covers any assessing courses or meetings that the Assessor, Clerk, or Board attends. This includes the annual Assessors School at UMass Amherst. The staff have various continuing education requirements in addition to new educational opportunities.

## Patriot Properties Appraisal - \$0 (\$-24,500 from FY23)

The assessing department previously contracted with Patriot Properties to provide assessing services which include:

- Building permit inspections
- Analysis and review of income and expense forms, including data entry
- Listing of all new taxable personal property accounts
- Assisting with "Growth Report" in guidance of Prop $21 / 2$
- Providing analysis, table adjustments, and supporting documentation required by the DOR
- Data collection to stay current with cyclical inspection program
- Review and data entry of all changes found in returned Forms of list

These services have been moved in house at great savings to the Town.

## Professional Services - \$1000 (\$0 from FY23)

Used to provide additional support in Appellate Tax Board cases.

## Assessors Expenses Total: \$26,579.84 (-\$25,119.00 from FY23)

## TOWN OF WEST NEWBURY

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|  |  |  | \$ | \% |  |  | \$ | \% |  |  |
|  | 6/30/2022 | 5/14/2022 | Percent of yr: | 58.9\% |  | 2/6/2023 |  |  | 2/6/2023 |  |
| General/Labor/Land Use Counsel Special Counsel | 53,677 | 65,124 | 33,073 | 50.8\% | $\begin{aligned} & 58,599 \\ & 23,750 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 58,599 \\ & 23,750 \end{aligned}$ | $(6,525)$ | -10.0\% | $\begin{aligned} & 58,599 \\ & 23,750 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| 151 Total Legal Counsel | 53,677 | 65,124 | 33,073 | 50.8\% | 82,349 | 82,349 | 17,225 | 26.4\% | 82,349 |  |



[^0]| Month | General Legal* | Labor | Land Use | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| July, 2021 | 202.50 | 1,012.50 | 180.00 | 1,395.00 |
| Aug, 2021 | 630.00 | 1,170.00 | 4,500.00 | 6,277.50 |
| Sept, 2021 | 1,566.88 | 3,397.50 | 3,150.00 | 8,114.38 |
| Oct, 2021 | 4,185.00 | 2,205.00 | 967.50 | 7,357.50 |
| Nov, 2021 | 772.77 | 2,925.00 | 1,035.00 | 4,732.77 |
| Dec, 2021 | 1,838.82 | 765.00 | 4,252.50 | 6,856.32 |
| Jan, 2022 | 1,425.59 | 1,125.00 | 292.50 | 2,843.09 |
| Feb, 2022 | 971.40 | 720.00 | 1,170.00 | 2,861.40 |
| March, 2022 | 945.00 | 405.00 | 2,632.50 | 3,982.50 |
| April, 2022 | 2,084.28 | 1,215.00 | 1,665.00 | 4,964.28 |
| May, 2022 | 2,630.95 | 495.00 | 810.00 | 3,935.95 |
| June, 2022 | 355.93 | 157.50 | 1,642.50 | 2,155.93 |
|  | 17,609.12 | 15,592.50 | 22,297.50 | 55,476.62 |
|  | 1,467.43 | 1,299.38 | 1,858.13 | 4,623.05 |
| \% of total | 32\% | 28\% | 40\% |  |
| Per-month avg. since being General Counsel: |  |  |  | 4,916.51 |
| 12 months at 90\% (for FY23 budgeting): |  |  |  | 4,424.86 |
|  |  |  |  | 53,098.32 |

## FY23 Legal Costs Summary

| Month | General Legal ${ }^{1}$ | Labor | Land Use | Dole Place | S\&S Bldg | Tax Title ${ }^{2}$ | Total |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| July, 2022 | 1,031.33 | 1,410.00 | 6,251.00 | - | - | - | 8,692.33 |  |
| Aug, 2022 | 806.86 | 1,762.50 | 540.50 | - | - | - | 3,109.86 |  |
| Sept, 2022 | 2,310.14 | 822.50 | 1,043.19 | - | - | 848.00 | 5,023.83 |  |
| Oct, 2022 | 2,162.00 | 2,679.00 | 70.50 | - | 1,563.60 | 1,268.00 | 7,743.10 |  |
| Nov, 2022 | 5.46 | 752.00 | 1,339.50 | 399.50 | - | 32.00 | 2,528.46 |  |
| Dec, 2022 | 297.07 | 1,950.50 | 775.50 |  |  | 112.00 | 3,135.07 |  |
| Jan, 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Feb, 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March, 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| April, 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May, 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| June, 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 6,612.86 | 9,376.50 | 10,020.19 | 399.50 | 1,563.60 | 2,260.00 | 30,232.65 | YTD totals |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1,102.14 | 1,562.75 | 1,670.03 | 79.90 | 312.72 | 376.67 | 5,038.78 | Average |
| \% of total | 22\% | 31\% | 33\% | 2\% | 6\% | 7\% |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ NOTE: General Legal includes costs related to Town Meetings (which are invoiced separately).
${ }^{2}$ NOTE: Tax Title fees paid out of Tax Title expense line in Finance Dept. operating budget.

Source: Angus Jennings, Town Manager

| TOWN OF WEST NEWBURY |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| FY24 Operating Budget |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  | \$ | \% |  |  | \$ | \% |  |  |
|  | 6/30/2022 | 5/14/2022 | Percent of yr: | 58.9\% |  | 2/6/2023 |  |  | 2/6/2023 |  |
| Council on Aging Salary \& Wages | 71,524 | 100,308 | 53,597 | 53.4\% | 100,341 | 109,908 | 9,600 | 9.6\% | 109,908 |  |
| Council on Aging Expenses | 21,808 | 19,500 | 10,323 | 52.9\% | 19,500 | 19,500 | - | 0.0\% | 19,500 |  |
| 541 Total Council on Aging | 93,331 | 119,808 | 63,920 | 53.4\% | 119,841 | 129,408 | 9,600 | 8.0\% | 129,408 |  |

#  <br> <br> SAGE CENTER 

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social | activities | growth | education

## To: Angus Jennings, Town Manager

From: Christine Marshall, COA Director CM
Date: January 10, 2023
Re: Proposed FY24 Budget

Council on Aging goals and objectives for FY24:

- Expense budget of $\$ 19,500$ remains the same as FY23
- Continue utilizing Formula Grant funds to partially support salary expense of Nutrition Coordinator ( $\$ 7,000$ ), and support other programs, such as the annual Spring Fling and annual volunteer appreciation event
- Continue to grow participation
- Continue communicating with the community to learn of their interests, and build programs based on this feedback
- Continue to collaborate with community businesses and Town departments to offer new programs and events
- Continue to grow volunteer program and Senior Tax Work-Off program
- Continue to increase efficiency by utilizing software and computer programs
- Authorized signer for departmental expenses is Christine Marshall

Town of West Newbury
Departmental Expense Budgeting Form

## COA

| FY2021 |
| :---: |
| Actual |
| Expended |


| FY2022 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Budget <br> Requested | Budget <br> Approved | Actual <br> Expended | Turn back $I$ <br> Transfers |


| FY2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Budget <br> Requested | Budget <br> Approved | Year to Date <br> Expended |


| FY2024 |
| :---: |
| Budget <br> Requested |

Personnel

| 55,905 |  | 81,682 | 71,524 | 10,158 | 100,308 | 100,308 | 44,985 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 |  | 0 |  |  | 0 |  |  |
| 0 |  | 0 |  |  | 0 |  |  |
| 55,905 | 0 | 81,682 | 71,524 | 10,158 | 100,308 | 100,308 | 44,985 |

100,340
100,340

Other (incentives, longevity,
stipends)
Sub-Total: $\qquad$

| 0 | 81,682 | 71,524 | 10,158 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| 19,500 | 22,500 | 21,808 | 692 |
| 19,500 | 104,182 | 93,332 | 10,850 |


| 100,308 | 100,308 | 44,985 |  | 100,340 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 5,420 | 2,112 |  | 5,420 |
|  | 540 | 249 |  | 540 |
|  | 1,000 | 478 |  | 1,000 |
|  | 1,500 | 724 |  | 1,500 |
|  | 1,000 | 441 |  | 1,000 |
|  | 1,140 | 790 |  | 1,140 |
|  | 900 | 265 |  | 900 |
|  | 4,000 | 1,860 |  | 4,000 |
|  | 3,000 | 1,674 |  | 3,000 |
|  | 0 | 0 |  | 0 |
|  | 1,000 | 541 |  | 1,000 |
|  | 19,500 | 9,133 |  | 19,500 |
| 19,500 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 119,808 | 54,118 |  | 119,840 |

Please complete the above current fiscal year budget request.
For each line item that varies from prior year actual, provide a detailed explanation below.
Salary and wage detail to be provided on the Salary and Wage Worksheet, attached.

| Newsletters: | USPS $\$ 300 \times 6$; Printer $\$ 570 \times 6$; mailing cost may increase slightly based on new mailing list every few months |
| :--- | :--- |
| Cell Phone: | approx. $\$ 45 \times 12$ |
| Kitchen Supplies: | paper plates, plastic utensils, tablecloths, placemats, pots \& pans |
| Office Supplies: | folders, clipboards, envelopes, pens, pencils, dry erase markers, binders, colored paper, large gloss paper for posters |
| Mileage: | both director and nutrition coordinator - combined average per month $\$ 80 \times 12$ |
| Professional Services: | My Senior Center software annual maintenance agreement $\$ 790$; Canva annual $\$ 200$; NEET transportation annual $\$ 150$ |
| Training / Dues: | MCOA dues $\$ 265$; annual conference approx. $\$ 635$ (if board or Jen participate in conf, Formula Grant funds can be used) |
| Fitness Programs: | Yoga $\$ 60 \times 52 ;$ Reiki session $\$ 600 ; 3 B C l a s s$ no charge |
| Program Food: | $2-3$ monthly dinners \& luncheons - approx. \$100 per meal; other food items include coffee, cookies, breakfast items |
| Vehicle Maintenance: | possibly disposing of van as surplus property |
| Other Programs: | include: sand pails for seniors, floral arrangement class, games, craft/painting classes |

Budget request submitted by: 1 MNaH2N WN 1110123
Contact (phone/email): (0a 9 wnewbuny.org 978-363-1104

## TOWN OF WEST NEWBURY






## Town of West Newbury, Massachusetts

## Projected As of June 30, 2022

## Actual Debt Service

| Date of Issue | Purpose | Type of Payment | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | 2027 | 2028 | 2029 | 2030 | 2031 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 11/16/2005 | MWPAT Title V 00-1001-1 (OE) | Principal | 10,364 | 10,364 | 10,364 | - | - |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Interest |  | - | - | - | - |  |  | - |  |
| 2/23/2012 | Adv Ref 9102 - Public Safety Complex (I) | Principal | 145,000 | - | - | - | - |  | - | - |  |
|  |  | Interest | 1,450 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 2/23/2012 | Adv Ref 9102 - Land Acquistion II (IE) | Principal | 150,000 | - | - | - | - |  |  | - |  |
|  |  | Interest | 1,500 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 9/28/2017 | Water Tank (0) | Principal | 35,000 | 40,000 | 40,000 | 45,000 | 45,000 | 45,000 | 50,000 | 50,000 | 50,000 |
|  |  | Interest | 52,688 | 50,813 | 48,813 | 46,688 | 44,438 | 42,188 | 40,313 | 38,813 | 37,313 |
|  | Outstanding Principal |  | 340,364 | 50,364 | 50,364 | 45,000 | 45,000 | 45,000 | 50,000 | 50,000 | 50,000 |
|  | Outstanding Interest |  | 55,638 | 50,813 | 48,813 | 46,688 | 44,438 | 42,188 | 40,313 | 38,813 | 37,313 |
|  | Total Outstanding Long-Term Debt Service |  | 396,002 | 101,177 | 99,177 | 91,688 | 89,438 | 87,188 | 90,313 | 88,813 | 87,313 |
|  | Existing Net Exempt Long-Term Debt Service |  | 161,864 | 10,364 | 10,364 | - | - | - | - | - |  |
|  | Existing Enterprise Supported Net Long-Term Debt Service |  | 87,688 | 90,813 | 88,813 | 91,688 | 89,438 | 87,188 | 90,313 | 88,813 | 87,313 |
|  | Existing Tax Supported Net Long-Term Debt Service |  | 146,450 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |  |


| osed Debt |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3.00\% | B.A.N. Interest Rate |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5.00\% | G.O.B. Interest Rate |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Date of Issue | Purpose | Type of Payment | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | 2027 | 2028 | 2029 | 2030 | 2031 |
| 5/15/2023 | Water Tank - Wellfield No. 1 | Principal |  | 30,000 | 30,000 | 35,000 | 35,000 | 35,000 | 40,000 | 40,000 | 45,000 |
|  | Auth. 4/29/19-Ch. 44, s.8(8)-30yrs | Interest | - | 51,000 | 49,500 | 48,000 | 46,250 | 44,500 | 42,750 | 40,750 | 38,750 |
|  |  | Paydown | 40,000 | 40,000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1,100,000 | BAN Interest | 16,500 | 31,800 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
|  |  | Projected Principal | - | 30,000 | 30,000 | 35,000 | 35,000 | 35,000 | 40,000 | 40,000 | 45,000 |
|  |  | Projected Interest | - | 51,000 | 49,500 | 48,000 | 46,250 | 44,500 | 42,750 | 40,750 | 38,750 |
|  |  | Projected Paydown | 40,000 | 40,000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Projected BAN Interest | 16,500 | 31,800 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
|  |  | Projected Debt Service | 16,500 | 112,800 | 79,500 | 83,000 | 81,250 | 79,500 | 82,750 | 80,750 | 83,750 |
| Projected Exempt Projected Bond Debt Service |  |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Projected Enteprise Supported Projected Debt Service |  |  | 56,500 | 112,800 | 79,500 | 83,000 | 81,250 | 79,500 | 82,750 | 80,750 | 83,750 |
| Projected Tax Supported Projected Bond Debt Service |  |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Projected CPA Supported Projected Bond Debt Service |  |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Exempt Existing Long-Term Debt Service |  |  | 161,864 | 10,364 | 10,364 | - | - | - | 82,750 | 80,750 | 83,750 |
| Projected Exempt Projected Bond Debt Service |  |  |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| AGGREGATE EXISTING AND PROPOSED EXEMPT DEBT SERVICE |  |  | 161,864 | 10,364 | 10,364 | . | . | - | 82,750 | 80,750 | 83,750 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Existing Enterprise Supported Net Long-Term Debt Service |  |  | 87,688 | 90,813 | 88,813 | 91,688 | 89,438 | 87,188 | 90,313 | 88,813 | 87,313 |
| Projected Enteprise Supported Projected Debt Service |  |  | 56,500 | 112,800 | 79,500 | 83,000 | 81,250 | 79,500 | 82,750 | 80,750 | 83,750 |
| AGGREGATE EXISTING AND PROPOSED ENTERPRISE SUPPORTED DEBT SERVICE |  |  | 144,188 | 203,613 | 168,313 | 174,688 | 170,688 | 166,688 | 173,063 | 169,563 | 171,063 |
| Existing Tax Supported Net Long-Term Debt Service |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 146,450 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |  |
| Projected Tax Supported Projected Bond Debt Service |  |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |  |
| AGGREGATE EXISTING AND PROPOSED TAX SUPPORTED DEBT SERVICE |  |  | 146,450 | . | - | . | . | . | . | . | - |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Existing CPA Supported Net Long-Term Debt Service |  |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |  |
| Projected CPA Supported Projected Bond Debt Service |  |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| AGGREGATE EXISTING AND PROPOSED CPA SUPPORTED DEBT SERVICE |  |  | - | - | - | - | - | . | . | . | - |

## Town of West Newbury, Massachusetts

## Projected As of June 30, 2022

Actual Debt Service


## Town of West Newbury, Massachusetts

## Projected As of June 30, 2022

## Actual Debt Service

| Date of Issue | Purpose | Type of Payment | 2042 | 2043 | 2044 | 2045 | 2046 | 2047 | 2048 | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 11/16/2005 | MWPAT Title V 00-1001-1 (OE) | Principal | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 31,092.00 |
|  |  | Interest | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 2/23/2012 | Adv Ref 9102 - Public Safety Complex (I) | Principal | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 145,000.00 |
|  |  | Interest | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,450.00 |
| 2/23/2012 | Adv Ref 9102 - Land Acquistion II (IE) | Principal | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 150,000.00 |
|  |  | Interest | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,500.00 |
| 9/28/2017 | Water Tank (0) | Principal | 70,000 | 75,000 | 75,000 | 80,000 | 80,000 | 85,000 | 90,000 | 1,570,000.00 |
|  |  | Interest | 16,763 | 14,497 | 12,106 | 9,588 | 6,988 | 4,306 | 1,463 | 745,343.79 |
|  | Outstanding Principal |  | 70,000 | 75,000 | 75,000 | 80,000 | 80,000 | 85,000 | 90,000 | 1,896,092.00 |
|  | Outstanding Interest |  | 16,763 | 14,497 | 12,106 | 9,588 | 6,988 | 4,306 | 1,463 | 748,293.79 |
|  | Total Outstanding Long-Term Debt Service |  | 86,763 | 89,497 | 87,106 | 89,588 | 86,988 | 89,306 | 91,463 | 2,644,385.79 |
|  | Existing Net Exempt Long-Term Debt Service |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 182,592.00 |
|  | Existing Enterprise Supported Net Long-Term Debt Service |  | 86,763 | 89,497 | 87,106 | 89,588 | 86,988 | 89,306 | 91,463 | 2,315,343.79 |
|  | Existing Tax Supported Net Long-Term Debt Service |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 146,450.00 |


| oposed Debt Service |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3.00\% | B.A.N. Interest Rate |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5.00\% | G.O.B. Interest Rate |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Date of Issue | Purpose Type of Payment | 2042 | 2043 | 2044 | 2045 | 2046 | 2047 | 2048 | Total |
|  | Water Tank - Wellfield No. 1 Principal | 75,000 | 80,000 | - | - | - | - | - | 1,020,000 |
| 5/15/2023 | Auth. 4/29/19-Ch. 44, s.8(8)-30yrs Interest | 7,750 | 4,000 | - | - | - | - | - | 619,500 |
|  | Paydown |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 80,000 |
|  | \$ 1,100,000 BAN Interest | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 48,300 |
|  | Projected Principal | 75,000 | 80,000 | - | - | - | - | - | 1,020,000 |
|  | Projected Interest | 7,750 | 4,000 | - | - | - | - | - | 619,500 |
|  | Projected Paydown |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 80,000 |
|  | Projected BAN Interest | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 48,300 |
|  | Projected Debt Service | 75,000 | 80,000 | - | - | - | - | - | 1,767,800 |
| Projected Exempt Projected Bond Debt Service |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |  |
| Projected Enteprise Supported Projected Debt Service |  | 82,750 | 84,000 | - | - | - | - | - | 1,727,800 |
| Projected Tax Supported Projected Bond Debt Service |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Projected CPA Supported Projected Bond Debt Service |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Exempt Existing Long-Term Debt Service |  | 82,750 | 84,000 | - | - | - | - | - | 1,334,092 |
| Projected Exempt Projected Bond Debt Service |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| AGGREGATE EXISTING AND PROPOSED EXEMPT DEBT SERVICE |  | 82,750 | 84,000 | . | - | - | - | - | 1,334,092 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Existing Enterprise Supported Net Long-Term Debt Service |  | 86,763 | 89,497 | 87,106 | 89,588 | 86,988 | 89,306 | 91,463 | 2,315,344 |
| Projected Enteprise Supported Projected Debt Service |  | 82,750 | 84,000 | - | - | - | - | - | 1,727,800 |
| AGGREGATE EXISTING AND PROPOSED ENTERPRISE SUPPORTED DEBT SERVICE |  | 169,513 | 173,497 | 87,106 | 89,588 | 86,988 | 89,306 | 91,463 | 4,043,144 |
| Existing Tax Supported Net Long-Term Debt Service |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 146,450 |
| Projected Tax Supported Projected Bond Debt Service |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| AGGREGATE EXISTING AND PROPOSED TAX SUPPORTED DEBT SERVICE |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 146,450 |
| Existing CPA Supported Net Long-Term Debt Service |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Projected CPA Supported Projected Bond Debt Service |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| AGGREGATE EXISTING AND PROPOSED CPA SUPPORTED DEBT SERVICE |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## TOWN OF WEST NEWBURY



| FY 2022 <br> Expended | FY 2023 <br> Approved | YTD thru 2/1/2023 |  | FY 2024 DH/BCC | FY 2024 <br> TM proposed | Proposed Change |  | TM proposed / SB referred | FY 2024 <br> FinCom recc. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | \$ | \% |  |  | \$ | \% |  |  |
| 6/30/2022 | 5/14/2022 | Percent of yr: | 58.9\% |  | 2/6/2023 |  |  | 2/6/2023 |  |


| BENEFITS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Essex Regional Retirement Assessment | 731,432 | 805,420 | 805,419 | 100.0\% | 675,135 | 675,135 | $(130,285)$ | -16.2\% | 675,135 |  |
| 911 Total Essex Regional Retirement | 731,432 | 805,420 | 805,419 | 100.0\% | 675,135 | 675,135 | $(130,285)$ | -16.2\% | 675,135 |  |
| Unemployment Insurance \& Benefits | 439 | 1,500 | - | 0.0\% | 1,200 | 1,200 | (300) | -20.0\% | 1,200 |  |
| 913 Total Unemployment Insurance | 439 | 1,500 | - | 0.0\% | 1,200 | 1,200 | (300) | -20.0\% | 1,200 |  |
| Group Insurance | 406,997 | 481,857 | 270,952 | 56.2\% | 554,551 | 554,551 | 72,694 | 15.1\% | 554,551 |  |
| 914 Total Group Insurance | 406,997 | 481,857 | 270,952 | 56.2\% | 554,551 | 554,551 | 72,694 | 15.1\% | 554,551 |  |
| FICA Insurance | 52,412 | 51,485 | 28,587 | 55.5\% | 56,406 | 56,406 | 4,921 | 9.6\% | 56,406 |  |
| 916 Total FICA Insurance | 52,412 | 51,485 | 28,587 | 55.5\% | 56,406 | 56,406 | 4,921 | 9.6\% | 56,406 |  |
| Insurance and Bonds | 187,002 | 199,865 | 186,972 | 93.5\% | 217,349 | 217,349 | 17,484 | 8.7\% | 217,349 |  |
| 945 Total Insurance and Bonds | 187,002 | 199,865 | 186,972 | 93.5\% | 217,349 | 217,349 | 17,484 | 8.7\% | 217,349 | - |
| TOTAL BENEFITS: | 1,378,282 | 1,540,127 | 1,291,930 | 83.9\% | 1,504,641 | 1,504,641 | $(35,486)$ | -2.3\% | 1,504,641 | - |

MEMORANDUM
TO: Essex Regional Retirement Board
FROM: John W. Parsons, Esq., Executive Director
RE: Appropriation for Fiscal Year 2024
DATE: December 6, 2022

Required Fiscal Year 2024 Appropriation:
\$47,406,073
This Commission is hereby furnishing you with the amount to be appropriated for your retirement system for Fiscal Year 2024 which commences July 1, 2023.

As we indicated in PERAC Memo \#26/2022, we are no longer including the Projected Appropriations page as an attachment. Attached please find the portion of the Fiscal Year 2024 appropriation to be paid by each of the governmental units within your system.

The amount above assumes appropriations will be made July 1 . Some units make the appropriation in equal installments on July 1 and January 1. The allocation shows the figures for each unit on both bases. The amount above includes the additional special appropriation for the Manchester-Essex Regional School District and the Rowley Housing Authority. We have included these additional amounts in the Additional Appropriation for CRAB column on Pages 2 and 3.

The current schedule is due to be updated by Fiscal Year 2025.
If you have any questions, please contact PERAC's Actuary, John Boorack, at (617) 666-4446 Extension 935.

JWP/jfb
Attachment

## Essex Regional Retirement System FY24 Appropriation by Governmental Unit

Aggregate amount for appropriation for the Pension Fund: Aggregate amount for appropriation for the Pension Reserve Fund: Aggregate additional appropriation for the E.R.I.:
\$47,351,362
\$0
\$54,711

| UNIT | PEN.FND. APP \% | PENSION FUND APPROP. | PENSION RES. FUND APPROP. | ADD'L. APP. FOR E.R.I. | ADD'L. APP. FOR CRAB | $\begin{gathered} \text { TOTAL } \\ \text { PAID JULY } 1 \end{gathered}$ | APPROP SEMI-ANNUAL |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Agricultural School | 0.00\% | 0 | 0 |  |  | 0 | 0 |
| Retirement Board | 0.00\% | 0 | 0 |  |  | 0 | 0 |
| Town of Boxford | 3.68\% | 1,742,530 | 0 |  |  | 1,742,530 | 1,772,255 |
| Town of Essex | 1.67\% | 790,768 | 0 |  |  | 790,768 | 804,257 |
| Town of Georgetown | 5.16\% | 2,443,330 | 0 |  |  | 2,443,330 | 2,485,010 |
| Town of Groveland | 2.14\% | 1,013,319 | 0 | 9,753 |  | 1,023,072 | 1,040,524 |
| Town of Hamilton | 2.56\% | 1,212,195 | 0 |  |  | 1,212,195 | 1,232,873 |
| Town of Ipswich | 10.57\% | 5,005,039 | 0 |  |  | 5,005,039 | 5,090,418 |
| Town of Lynnfield | 7.76\% | 3,674,466 | 0 |  |  | 3,674,466 | 3,737,147 |
| Town of Manchester | 3.44\% | 1,628,887 | 0 |  |  | 1,628,887 | 1,656,673 |
| Town of Merrimac | 2.53\% | 1,197,989 | 0 |  |  | 1,197,989 | 1,218,425 |
| Town of Middleton | 5.60\% | 2,651,676 | 0 |  |  | 2,651,676 | 2,696,910 |
| Town of Nahant | 2.03\% | 961,233 | 0 |  |  | 961,233 | 977,630 |
| Town of Newbury | 2.35\% | 1,112,757 | 0 |  |  | 1,112,757 | 1,131,739 |
| Town of North Andover | 15.72\% | 7,443,634 | 0 |  |  | 7,443,634 | 7,570,611 |
| Town of Rockport | 5.38\% | 2,547,503 | 0 |  |  | 2,547,503 | 2,590,960 |
| Town of Rowley | 3.23\% | 1,529,449 | 0 |  |  | 1,529,449 | 1,555,539 |
| Town of Salisbury | 4.51\% | 2,135,546 | 0 |  |  | 2,135,546 | 2,171,975 |
| Town of Topsfield | 3.64\% | 1,723,590 | 0 |  |  | 1,723,590 | 1,752,992 |
| Town of Wenham | 2.06\% | 975,438 | 0 |  |  | 975,438 | 992,078 |
| Town of West Newbury | 1.52\% | 719,741 | 0 |  |  | 719,741 | 732,019 |
| East.Essex Vet.Dist. | 0.05\% | 23,676 | 0 |  |  | 23,676 | 24,080 |
| No.And.-Box.Vet.Dist. | 0.00\% | 0 | 0 |  |  | 0 | 0 |
| North Essex Vet.Dist. | 0.00\% | 0 | 0 |  |  | 0 | 0 |
| Byfield Water Dist. | 0.08\% | 37,881 | 0 |  |  | 37,881 | 38,527 |
| Lynnfld.Ctr.Wat.Dist. | 0.50\% | 236,757 | 0 |  |  | 236,757 | 240,796 |
| Lynnfield Water Dist. | 0.26\% | 123,114 | 0 |  |  | 123,114 | 125,214 |
| NE Mass Mosq.Cont. | 0.46\% | 217,816 | 0 |  |  | 217,816 | 221,532 |
| Ham.-Wen.Reg.School | 2.22\% | 1,051,200 | 0 |  |  | 1,051,200 | 1,069,132 |
| Man-Essex Reg. School | 1.50\% | 710,270 | 0 |  | 18,613 | 728,883 | 741,317 |
| Masconomet Reg.School | 1.91\% | 904,411 | 0 |  |  | 904,411 | 919,839 |
| Pentucket Reg.School | 2.54\% | 1,202,724 | 0 |  |  | 1,202,724 | 1,223,241 |
| Triton Reg.School | 3.55\% | 1,680,973 | 0 |  |  | 1,680,973 | 1,709,648 |
| Essex Housing Authority | 0.04\% | 18,941 | 0 |  |  | 18,941 | 19,264 |
| Georgetown Hous.Auth. | 0.16\% | 75,762 | 0 |  |  | 75,762 | 77,054 |
| Groveland Hous. Auth. | 0.05\% | 23,676 | 0 |  |  | 23,676 | 24,080 |
| Hamilton Hous.Auth. | 0.04\% | 18,941 | 0 |  |  | 18,941 | 19,264 |
| Ipswich Housing Auth. | 0.14\% | 66,292 | 0 |  |  | 66,292 | 67,423 |
| Lynnfield Hous.Auth. | 0.03\% | 14,205 | 0 |  |  | 14,205 | 14,447 |
| Manchester Hous. Auth. | 0.07\% | 33,146 | 0 |  |  | 33,146 | 33,711 |
| Merrimac Hous.Auth. | 0.04\% | 18,941 | 0 |  |  | 18,941 | 19,264 |
| Middleton Hous.Auth. | 0.05\% | 23,676 | 0 |  |  | 23,676 | 24,080 |
| Nahant Housing Auth. | 0.03\% | 14,205 | 0 | 10,501 |  | 24,706 | 25,127 |
| No.Andover Hous.Auth. | 0.43\% | 203,611 | 0 |  |  | 203,611 | 207,084 |

In accordance with your funding schedule, appropriations are due July 1 and January 1 . Whenever payments are made at a date one month or more before the scheduled date or whenever payments are made one month or more after the scheduled date, PERAC's actuary should be contacted so that a revised amount can be calculated. Payments will be adjusted with interest at the rate assumed in the actuarial valuation used as the basis for your schedule. In no case may payments be made at a date beyond this fiscal year.

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Aggregate amount for appropriation for the Pension Fund:
Aggregate amount for appropriation for the Pension Reserve Fund:
Aggregate additional appropriation for the E.R.I.:
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\$54,711

| UNIT | PEN.FND. APP \% | PENSION FUND APPROP. | PENSION RES. FUND APPROP. | ADD'L. APP. FOR E.R.I. | ADD'L. APP. FOR CRAB | $\begin{gathered} \text { TOTAL } \\ \text { PAID JULY } 1 \end{gathered}$ | APPROP SEMI-ANNUAL |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Rockport Hous.Auth. | 0.11\% | 52,086 | 0 |  |  | 52,086 | 52,975 |
| Rowley Hous. Auth. | 0.04\% | 18,941 | 0 |  | 15,844 | 34,785 | 35,378 |
| Salisbury Hous. Auth. | 0.03\% | 14,205 | 0 |  |  | 14,205 | 14,447 |
| Topsfield Hous.Auth. | 0.04\% | 18,941 | 0 |  |  | 18,941 | 19,264 |
| Wenham Housing Auth. | 0.08\% | 37,881 | 0 |  |  | 37,881 | 38,527 |
| W. Newbury Hous. Auth. | 0.00\% | 0 | 0 |  |  | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 100.00\% | \$47,351,362 | \$0 | \$20,254 | \$34,457 | \$47,406,073 | \$48,214,750 |

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| From: | Charles Kostro [CKostro@essexrrs.org](mailto:CKostro@essexrrs.org) |
| :--- | :--- |
| Sent: | Tuesday, January 31, 2023 12:35 PM |
| To: | Town Manager |
| Cc: | Scott Provensal; Finance Admin |
| Subject: | RE: Essex Regional Retirement Board Meeting Posting and Agenda for Monday, |
|  | November 21, 2022 |

Angus - The total appropriation amount for West Newbury in the FY2024 appropriation letter is $\$ 719,741$ if paid on July $1^{\text {st }}$. This amount was calculated by PERAC, not by ERRS, but that is the amount in the appropriation letter and is the amount due if paid by July 1, 2023.

By way of background regarding the FY2024 appropriation, in past years PERAC has used the salary survey totals as calculated by ERRS through 12/31 for the prior calendar year (i.e. the FY2024 appropriation is based on the salaries calculated for calendar year 2022.) ERRS learned recently that, this year, PERAC used only the actual totals that were available through $9 / 30$ to allocate the appropriation amounts. It is my understanding that PERAC believes that the share of the total appropriation for each unit for FY2024 is consistent with the share each unit is normally allocated, despite this change in the calculation. PERAC has indicated that they are not inclined to make any changes in the FY2024 appropriation letter.

It is difficult, however, for me to make a good year-over-year comparison for each unit as there were different formulas and different time periods used for the salary surveys and the appropriation calculation in 2021 and 2022. Going forward, I have requested that PERAC always use the 12 month salary survey totals in future years, and PERAC has indicated that they will do so.

I hope this information is helpful and answers your question.
Thanks -

Chuck

From: Town Manager [townmanager@wnewbury.org](mailto:townmanager@wnewbury.org)
Sent: Tuesday, January 31, 2023 10:48 AM
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Cc: Scott Provensal [sprovensal@essexrrs.org](mailto:sprovensal@essexrrs.org); Finance Admin [finance.admin@wnewbury.org](mailto:finance.admin@wnewbury.org)
Subject: RE: Essex Regional Retirement Board Meeting Posting and Agenda for Monday, November 21, 2022
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Hi ,
I'd like to just triple-confirm that West Newbury's FY24 assessment is correct. It is a $\$ 150 \mathrm{k}$ drop from FY23, and while this seems like great news for us it rely defies our understanding. I present my town-wide budget next week and just want to be sure we're working with the right number.

Thanks!
Angus

From: Charles Kostro [CKostro@essexrrs.org](mailto:CKostro@essexrrs.org)
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Angus - I was finally able to analyze all of the salary survey data for all of our units in PERAC's appropriation letter. West Newbury had a small increase in your salary survey total from 2021 to 2022 of $2.73 \%$. The total increase in salaries from all units was $5.98 \%$. Even though West Newbury's total salaries went up in 2022, compared to the total of all other units, your salary increase was substantially less. This was likely the most significant factor in PERAC dropping your share of total salaries to $1.52 \%$ for FY2024.

I would also note that the total appropriation increase also dropped in FY2024. The appropriation increase for FY2024 was $6.50 \%$ versus the $7.41 \%$ total increase in FY2023.

If you have any other questions regarding the FY2024 appropriation, please feel free to contact me or our Deputy Executive Director, Scott Provensal. Scott can be reached at (978) 739-9151, extension 123, or via email at sprovensal@essexrrs.org, if you are unable to reach me.

Chuck

From: Town Manager [townmanager@wnewbury.org](mailto:townmanager@wnewbury.org)
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## Hi Chuck,

Our FY24 appropriation is showing a pretty significant drop from FY23, which appears to result from a reduction in our percentage from $1.95 \%$ (FY23) to $1.52 \%$ (FY24). Prior to sharing what looks to be good news (for West Newbury anyway), I want to be sure this is correct. And if so, any insights as to why?

Thanks,
Angus

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From: Charles Kostro [CKostro@essexrrs.org](mailto:CKostro@essexrrs.org)
Sent: Thursday, December 8, 2022 4:17 PM
Subject: RE: Essex Regional Retirement Board Meeting Posting and Agenda for Monday, November 21, 2022

Dear ERRS Chief Executives \& Advisory Council Members - The retirement system received today the Fiscal Year 2024 appropriation letter from our state oversight agency, the Public Employee Retirement Administration Commission (PERAC). This appropriation letter has been posted to our website, www.essexregional.com. You can access the appropriation letter directly by clicking here.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions about the appropriation letter.

Thank you -

Chuck Kostro

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