

City of Bristol
Regular Board of Finance Meeting – Budget Hearing #4
March 18, 2024

A Budget Hearing was held by the Board of Finance on March 18, 2024 at 5:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 111 North Main Street, Bristol, Connecticut. The following were in attendance: Chairperson David Maikowski, Mayor Jeffrey Caggiano, Commissioners Mike Massarelli, Jon Mace, Ron Burns, Marie O'Brien, and Glenn Heiser. Mark Whitford was on Zoom. Mark Peterson was absent. Also present from the Comptroller's Office: Diane Waldron, Robin Manuele and Jessica Pilgrim.

Also present for Department presentations: Chief Gould, Deputy Chief Morello, Deputy Chief Moskowitz, Josh Medeiros, and Sarah Larson.

1. Call to order

Chairman Maikowski called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

2. Public Participation

The following residents spoke in support of making the Arts & Culture position full time. Andrea Adams, 67 Bayberry Drive, Bristol, Cheryl Thibeault, 73 Yarde Drive, Bristol, Emily Michaud, 31 Cawley Street, Bristol, April Dews, 38 Sandy Drive, Bristol, Nigel Winter, 36 Bernie Ave, Bristol, Andrew Howe, 70 John Ave, Bristol, Bob Lawson – 84 Lawrence Lane, Bristol,

Bob Fiorito, 163 Hepworth Street, Bristol, spoke regarding the need for two additional park maintainers and support for the full time Arts & Culture position.

Leonard LaMothe, 90 Tulip Street, Bristol, spoke in support for the additional maintainers for the fields.

3. Budget Reviews of the following Departments: *No votes were taken.*

Police Department, Communications and Animal Control

Parks, Recreation, Youth and Community Services, Pine Lake Adventure Park and Arts and Culture Fund

4. Adjournment

Commissioner Mace made a motion seconded by Mayor Caggiano

"To adjourn at 7:20 p.m."

Following a voice vote in which there was no opposition, the Chairperson declared the motion carried.

Attest:



Diane M. Waldron
Board of Finance Clerk