

Town of Bath Finance Committee Agenda
August 16, 2021 at 4pm
Town of Bath Municipal Center

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call of Members – Chairman Susan Webster (x) Beth Skinner (x) Greg Forney ()
Sharron & Rose were also in attendance.
3. Review of the Minutes of the Joint Finance/Grant Committees of August 11, 2021
No Changes made
4. Update on Town Building Permit process and effect on Ad Valorem Tax Revenue
Susan brought up the concern she has on the Assessors office not been aware of the housing improvements that might increase the home values that in turn trickle down to the Towns revenue. This is not including the couple of hundred dollars that the Town will loose for the permits.
5. Olde English Cemetery & tree damage update
Sharron explained that the Tree Board is still moving forward with trying to get access to the Cemetery from Mr. Roe's property. They have been able to speak with Dean his tenant who is agreeable to moving the cars, they don't run and he does not have the means to move them, may be a cost to the Town. Beth remarked that she did have \$680.00 donation to that cemetery that she may be able to use.
6. Greenway Cemetery headstone damage, associated costs, responsibility and resolution
Sharron reached out to the insurance company; they will need more information to decided whether there is a claim there. Beth said she would provide that. It was also mentioned that the employee has since quit. Sharron also mentioned that depending on the dollar value we may just want to take care of this in house as we have already filed too many claims.
7. Cub Scout request for use of Liberty Street for Apple Butter Festival parking
The approval was given for the Cub Scouts to park cars on Liberty Street during the Apple Butter Festival.
8. ARPA funds and expenditures
Susan explained that she had not heard anything from the committee on how the funds would be allocated.
9. Historic Landmark Commission Historic District Resurvey Grant responsibility resolution
A joint meeting between the Grant and the Finance Committee was held to discuss this issue, Susan, Beth, Greg and Ryan Rebant were in attendance. It was agreed that the Town would cover the short fall of \$11k providing the HLC signed a MOU.
10. Review of Bills
Susan reviewed all the invoices for payment and signed off on them.
11. Adjourn