

**TOWN OF SOMERS
BOARD OF FINANCE
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
June 25, 2026**

1. Call to Order

Michael Parker called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

2. Members Present

In attendance were Michael Parker, Joe Tolisano, Bruce Devlin, and Paul Hart.

3. Recommend Budget Reductions for Fiscal Year 2027

The Board discussed possible outcomes for the budget.

Bruce Devlin made a motion to propose a budget to residents that would reinstate cuts made by the Town for the Transfer Station and the Senior Center, seconded by Paul Hart. A lengthy discussion followed.

Residents spoke about the budget and their frustrations with the process and revaluation.
No action was taken on the motion.

4. Approval of Minutes

a. May 26, 2026

b. June 5, 2026

c. June 16, 2026

Paul Hart made a motion to accept the minutes as presented, seconded by Bruce Devlin. There was no further discussion and a unanimous decision followed.

5. Executive Session – Interviews and Discussion Regarding Candidates to Fill Vacancy on the Board of Finance Pursuant to CGS Section 1-200(6)

Paul Hart made a motion to enter into executive session at 8:04 pm and invited in Michael Parker, Paul Hart, Joe Tolisano, Bruce Devlin, and the interview candidates, seconded by Bruce Devlin. There was no further discussion and a unanimous decision followed.

The Board came out of executive session at 9:25 pm. No votes were taken.

Bruce Devlin made a motion to appoint Michael Marinaccio to the vacancy, seconded by Paul Hart. There was no further discussion and a unanimous decision followed.

6. Adjournment

Joe Tolisano made a motion to adjourn at 9:26pm, seconded by Bruce Devlin. There was no further discussion, and a unanimous decision followed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Brian Wissinger

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