

**TOWN OF SOMERS  
BOARD OF FINANCE  
PUBLIC HEARING MINUTES  
Tuesday, April 21, 2020  
7:00 PM  
Online Virtual Meeting**

**1. Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order by Jim Persano at 7:00 pm.

**2. Members Present**

In attendance were Jim Persano, Kathy Devlin, Joe Tolisano, Michael Parker, Bill Meier, and Bill Salka.

Also in attendance were Bud Knorr, Michael Marinaccio, Brian Czapl, Bill Boutwell, Town Department Heads, and members of the Board of Education.

**3. FY2021 Budget Presentation**

Superintendent Brian Czapl presented the Board of Education budget. The FY20-21 proposed Board of Education budget is \$24,689,970, an increase of \$805,833 over FY19-20.

First Selectman Bud Knorr presented the Town budget. The FY20-21 proposed Town budget is \$8,315,689, an increase of \$347,238 over FY19-20.

Assistant Finance Director Brian Wissinger presented the total budget, including debt service and capital improvements totaling \$34,954,488 and the matching revenues.

**4. Public Comments & Questions**

Ralph Williams of 42 Springfield Road spoke.

Mark Traceski of 63 Michele Drive submitted comments read via e-mail.

**5. Adjournment**

*Joe Tolisano made a motion to adjourn at 7:41pm, seconded by Michael Parkr. There was no further discussion and a unanimous decision followed.*

Respectfully Submitted,

Brian Wissinger

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*Video of this meeting can be found at*

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCitLJypaGg5rGsVVbsUYK8A>