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NEWTON BOARD OF SELECTMEN

DATE: Monday, January 16, 2023

TIME: 6:00PM

**LOCATION: NEWTON TOWN HALL, 2 TOWN HALL ROAD and
ZOOM CONFERENCE CALL**

PUBLIC HEARING MEETING MINUTES

Zoom Conference phone number 929-205-6099

Meeting ID 818 7979 5674

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81879795674>

I. Call to Order

Chairman Burrill called the public hearing to order at 6:00pm. In attendance were Selectmen Matthew A. Burrill, Chairman, Robert Marchand Jr, Vice-Chairman, Charles R. Melvin Sr., and Selectmen's Secretary Diane M. Morin. The public meeting was videotaped. The public hearing meeting minutes were transcribed and typed by Secretary Morin.

Selectmen Lawrence Foote and Michael Connolly were not present.

II. Scheduled Business

Chairman Burrill read the following:

To take public input to accept and expend a one-time reimbursement payment in the amount of \$11,707.40 by the State of NH according to HB 1221. This amount equals 7.5% of the NH Retirement System employer contribution costs for Group 1 teachers and Group II police and firefighters in state FY2023. These funds have been reported as revenue on the Town's MS 434 as part of the tax rate certification process. Funds will remain in the General Fund.

Chairman Burrill explained that this is a reimbursement from the State retirement system. The Town needs to hold a public hearing to accept and expend.

Chairman Burrill opened the floor for public comment. No member of the public provided comments.

Selectman Melvin moved to accept and expend the one-time reimbursement payment in the amount of \$11,707.40 by the State of NH in accordance with House Bill 1221. Seconded by Selectman Marchand with a unanimous vote.

III. Adjourn

Chairman Burrill closed the public hearing at 6:04pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane M. Morin
Board of Selectmen Secretary