MINUTES OF MEETING OF WAREHAM FINANCE COMMITTEE

Date of Meeting: February 24, 2021

(Remote meeting via Zoom)

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 P.M.

II. ROLL CALL

Members Present: Bernie Pigeon, Chair

David Heard, Vice Chair Gerald Stefanski, Clerk

Joseph Smith Glenn Lawrence Stuart Novick

Tom Worthen (Arrived at 6:02 P.M.)

Members Absent:

Dominic Cammarano

Also Present:

Derek Sullivan, Town Administrator

III. FINANCE COMMITTEE MATTERS

A. Articles 2 & 3 of the Special Town Meeting Warrant - Wareham Tigers

Present before the FinCom: Jared Chadwick, President of Wareham Tigers

NOTE: Mr. Worthen arrived at this time.

Mr. Chadwick explained the Wareham Tigers program. Over the years, the program has used the school fields which has its limitations. The program is now looking to use 19 acres at the Westfield property. The 19 acres would encompass three football fields & a 28,000 sq. ft. facility w/ a cheer complex gym & courts inside the facility. A large parking lot is also proposed for football, soccer & girls softball. He discussed potential fundraising efforts.

Mr. Chadwick noted previous clearing of land for soccer. Brief discussion ensued re: proposed improvements for parking for all youth programs & alleviating traffic. Brief discussion ensued re: bringing utilities out to the property, including sewer.

Present before the FinCom: Damon Solomon

Mr. Chadwick discussed the cost of renting the school fields at the present time. Mr. Solomon discussed the overall operating budget currently & what it pays for.

Date signed: 1/17/2/
Attest:
Bernie Pigeon, Chair
WAREHAM FINANCE COMMITTEE
Date copy sent to Wareham Town Clerk:

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