

TOWN OF EAST WINDSOR BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Budget Public Hearing Town of East Windsor - Broad Brook Fire Department 2021-2022 Budget

Tuesday, February 16, 2021
7:00 p.m.
East Windsor, Connecticut

Meeting held via ZOOM Teleconference
Meeting ID: 332 683 3563
Town Hall closed to the Public by
Executive Order of First Selectman Jason E. Bowsza
Due to Coronavirus pandemic

Meeting Minutes

*** *These Minutes are not official until approved at a subsequent meeting* ***

Board of Selectmen:

Jason E. Bowsza, First Selectman
Marie DeSousa, Deputy First Selectman
Alan Baker, Selectman
Sarah Muska, Selectman
Charlie Nordell, Selectman

ATTENDANCE: **Board of Selectmen:** Jason E. Bowsza, First Selectman; Marie DeSousa, Deputy First Selectman; Sarah Muska, Selectman; Charlie Nordell, Selectman

ABSENT: Selectman Baker was not present at the Call to Order.

GUESTS signing in to teleconference: **Department of Public Works:** Joseph Sauerhoefer, Operations Manager; **Treasurer's Office:** Amy O'Toole, Town Treasurer; **Broad Brook Fire Department:** Gerald Bancroft, Assistant Chief; **Board of Finance:** Noreen Farmer; **East Windsor Cemetery Association:** Robert Rybick; **Broad Brook Library:** Paul Anderson; **Warehouse Point Fire District:** James Barton Chief;

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Public (as identified in the Meeting participation list): A. C. Bancroft, Jennifer.

Press: No one from the Press was present.

TIME AND PLACE OF PUBLIC HEARING:

First Selectman Bowsza convened the February 16, 2021 Public Hearing on the Town of East Windsor - Broad Brook Fire Department Budget to order at 7:00 p.m. The Meeting is being held via teleconference due to closure of the Town Hall to the Public as the result of the coronavirus epidemic.

ATTENDANCE:

First Selectman Bowsza noted the Board has established a quorum with four members present via video conference.

First Selectman Bowsza indicated this is the first year the Board of Selectmen is trying to follow Ordinance 20-01, Section 7, which establishes the Broad Brook Fire Department; the ordinance totally changes how they handle their budget. First Selectman Bowsza reported he and Chief Arcari had discussed the ordinance, which requires a Public Hearing before March 15, 2021. They determined the first step in the process was for the Board of Selectmen to review the Broad Brook Fire Department budget – which will happen later this evening under the Budget Workshop. The ordinance requires the Public Hearing prior to the Board of Selectmen submitting the budget to the Board of Finance.

To comply with the language of the Ordinance 20-01 First Selectman Bowsza requested a motion to adjourn the Public Hearing scheduled for this evening.

MOTION: To ADJOURN the Public Hearing on the Town of East Windsor – Broad Brook Fire Department 2021 – 2022 Budget at 7:04 p.m.

Muska moved/DeSousa seconded/DISCUSSION: None.

**VOTE (by rollcall) In Favor: Nordell/Musk/DeSousa
(No one opposed/No abstentions)
Selectman Baker no present at the vote.**

First Selectman Bowsza indicated he would reconvene the Budget Workshop at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted. _____
Peg Hoffman, Recording Secretary, East Windsor Board of Selectmen