

**ATTLEBORO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
DOCKET
JUNE 15, 2021**

PUBLIC SAFETY

Peter Blais, Chairperson

The Mayor respectfully submits a communication from Chief of Police Kyle P. Heagney regarding the need for funds to pave a small area in the rear police station parking lot. Therefore, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body transfer \$7,560.00 from Account 12101000-511000 (Police – Salary and Wages) to Account 12101000-589066 (Police – Paving). (Copies in your packets)

In order to be able to process this request for the end of FY2021 deadline, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body to consider this prior to June 30, 2021.

The Mayor respectfully submits a communication from Chief of Police Kyle P. Heagney regarding the anticipated receipt of Public Safety Answering Point Support and Incentive Grant of approximately \$165,733.00 for FY22 from the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security (EOPSS) - State 911 Department. No match is required by the City. In accordance with Chapter 1, Section 12 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Attleboro, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body to approve the expenditure of such funds by the Attleboro Police Department as specified within the parameters of the grant and also approve any further grant amendments.

The Mayor respectfully submits a communication from Chief of Police Kyle P. Heagney regarding the need for funds to purchase work stations, carpet, paint, paint brushes, chairs, filing cabinets, humidifier, shelving, space partitions and associated office materials for the POP Unit, Training Unit, Court Prosecutors, CCBC clinician, Administrative Lieutenant, Firearms Licensing Officer, and the Detail Assignment Officer. Therefore, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body transfer \$44,818.98 from account 12101000-515020 (Police - Court Time) to Account 11241000-599000 (City Wide – Other Financing Uses); and to further transfer \$44,818.98 from Account 11241000-599000 (City Wide – Other Financing Uses) to Account 1100210-499000 (General Fund Continuing Appropriation Police Department – Other Financing Sources) which will be used in Account 1100210-582540 Continuing Appropriation Police Department – Renovation. (Copies in your packets)

In order to be able to process this request for the end of FY2021 deadline, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body to consider this prior to June 30, 2021.

TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORTATION

Cathleen DeSimone, Chairperson

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AND CITY DEVELOPMENT

Richard

Conti,

Chairperson

The Mayor respectfully submits a communication from Library Director Amy Rhilinger regarding the donation of \$19,500.00 from The Friends of the Attleboro Public Library to the Attleboro Public Library through funds originating with the Attleboro Foundation to pay for internet upgrades to the Attleboro Public Library. This \$19,500.00 donation combined with eligible discounts the library has been given through the USAC/FCC E-Rate program will provide the funding needed for this important upgrade that will bring improved internet connectivity and functionality to library patrons and staff. Therefore, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body approve the expenditure of this grant and to recognize the donation of contributions from the Library Trust Fund and the USAC E-Rate program for this project.

The Mayor respectfully submits a communication from Superintendent of Park & Forestry Derek Corsi regarding the need for funds to purchase a 2022 Morbark Model 1922 chipper complete with a 165-HP gasoline engine, hydraulic front stabilizer, variable speed flow control, winch package, and hydraulic swivel discharge chute. This item is number one on the 2022 Capital Improvements Plan for the Parks & Forestry Department. Therefore, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body appropriate \$71,550.00 from Account 1000-359000 (Undesignated Fund Balance/Free Cash-General Government) to Account 16501000- 585040 (Park - Equipment). (Copies in your packets).

In order for this funding source to be available for this request, a vote needs to be taken prior to June 30, 2021.

PERSONNEL, VETERANS AND HUMAN SERVICES

Ty Waterman, Chairperson

The Mayor respectfully submits a communication from Health Agent Jessica Horsman regarding the need for funds to purchase a Ford Transit Cargo Van. The Public Health Nurse Vehicle has been out of service for the last few years and was never replaced. This vehicle will allow the health department to expand both vaccine service to the community along with other much needed services. The Health Department has received approval to spend the remainder of their MAHB grants on this purchase, however the grant will not cover the purchase in its entirety. Therefore, the Mayor hereby requests Your honorable Body transfer \$20,000.00 from Account 15101000-530101 (Health - Professional

Services) to Account 15101000-587046 (Health – Van Purchase). (Copies in your packets)

In order to be able to process this request for the end of FY2021 deadline, I hereby request Your Honorable Body to consider this prior to June 30, 2021.

The Mayor respectfully submits a communication from Personnel Director Owen Bebeau the executed memorandum of agreement with the Attleboro Public Library Employees Association to adjust the second year COLA of the current Collective Bargaining Agreement to be in line with other bargaining units. This change is reflected in the FY22 budget. Therefore, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body to approve the requested change to the Attleboro Public Library Employees Association agreement. (Copies in your packets)

PUBLIC WORKS

Kate Jackson, Chairperson

The Mayor respectfully submits a communication from Superintendent of Park & Forestry Derek Corsi regarding the generous donation from the Walsh Family in memory of John G and Nora Walsh. The donation will include a series of paving projects throughout Capron Park. The first paving project consists of the resurfacing and widening of the existing stone dust path in the “Flats” area of Capron Park with a new 6’ wide asphalt path. The estimated cost of this work is \$30,000.00. The second paving project consists of the removal, widening, and repaving of an existing walkway which leads from the Capron Park “Flats” area to the playground. The estimated cost of this portion is \$15,000.00. In addition to the two proposed paving projects, the Walsh Family would like to donate \$15,000.00 to be used to purchase 18 new pin oak trees to replace the existing trees at the World War I Veterans’ Memorial Avenue in Capron Park. The total value of these donations is \$60,000.00. In accordance with Section 1-12 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Attleboro, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body to accept this generous donation to the City of Attleboro.

The Mayor respectfully submits a communication from Superintendent of Park & Forestry Derek Corsi regarding the generous donation of 37 plants, with a total value of approximately \$552.55 from the Attleboro Garden Club. The members of the Attleboro Garden Club have also been gracious enough to volunteer their time planting the archway with their wonderful design. In accordance with Section 1-12 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Attleboro, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body to accept this generous donation to the City of Attleboro. (Copies in your packets)

The Mayor respectfully submits a communication from Superintendent of Wastewater Thomas Hayes regarding the need for funds to pressure wash, prime and paint the Lime Silo at the Wastewater Treatment Plant. Therefore, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body appropriate \$35,600.00 from Account 6000-359000 (Wastewater Enterprise Retained Earnings) to Fund 3229 Silo. This request includes a 15% contingency. (Copies in your packets)

BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS

Jay DiLisio, Chairperson

The Mayor respectfully submits a communication from Personnel Director Owen Bebeau regarding the executed memorandum of agreement with the Attleboro Municipal Clerks Association, which covers fiscal years 2021, 2022 and 2023. The City was able to obtain its goal of a 0% Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) in year one with a 3% and 2% COLA increases in years 2 and 3 of the agreement, respectively. The agreement also includes a one-time payment to unit members. Additional funding is needed in order to complete this agreement. Therefore, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body transfer \$12,500.00 from Account 11241000-578350 (City Wide – Reserve for Compensation 53rd Week) to:

Account 11351000-513001 (Accounting-Lump Sum Retro)	\$1,500.00
Account 11411000-513001 (Assessor-Lump Sum Retro)	\$1,000.00
Account 11451000-513001 (Treasurer-Lump Sum Retro)	\$1,000.00
Account 11461000-513001 (Collector-Lump Sum Retro)	\$1,500.00
Account 11521000-513001 (Personnel-Lump Sum Retro)	\$500.00
Account 11611000-513001 (Clerk-Lump Sum Retro)	\$1,000.00
Account 11621000-513001 (Election-Lump Sum Retro)	\$500.00
Account 12101000-513001 (Police-Lump Sum Retro)	\$1,500.00
Account 12201000-513001 (Fire-Lump Sum Retro)	\$1,000.00
Account 12401000-513001 (Inspection-Lump Sum Retro)	\$1,000.00
Account 14201000-513001 (Public Works-Lump Sum Retro)	\$500.00
Account 15101000-513001 (Health-Lump Sum Retro)	\$500.00
Account 15431000-513001 (Veterans-Lump Sum Retro)	\$500.00
Account 16501000-513001 (Parks & Forestry-Lump Sum Retro)	\$500.00

Additionally, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body transfer \$1,250.00 from Account 6000-578300 (Wastewater Enterprise Fund – Reserve Fund for Transfer) to:

Account 6000-513001 (Wastewater– Lump Sum Retro)	\$1,250.00
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Moreover, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body transfer \$750.00 from Account 6100-578300 (Water Enterprise Fund – Reserve Fund for Transfer) to:

Account 6100-513001 (Water– Lump Sum Retro)	\$750.00
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(Copies in your packets)

ZONING AND LAND USE

Todd Kobus, Chairperson

The Mayor respectfully submits a communication from Director of Planning and Development Gary Ayrassian recommending that the City accept a land donation located off County Street (Plat 134; Lot #8, #19, #20 and #21) from Dorrance Bristol Norfolk Realty Trust, LLC. The subject property contains a land area of 1.88± acres and is zoned “Single Resident-B” and “Industrial”. It should be noted that real estate taxes are current through the end of fiscal year 2021. (Copies in your packets)

In order to be able to record the deed for the end of FY2021 deadline, the Mayor hereby requests Your Honorable Body to consider this prior to June 30, 2021.

CERTIFICATE OF VOTE
OF
ATTLEBORO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

I, Mark Cooper, hereby certify that I am the duly elected Chair of the Attleboro Municipal Council and that at a regular meeting of the Attleboro Municipal Council held on _____, 2021 _____ sitting members of the Attleboro Municipal Council being present and upon a motion duly made and seconded it was unanimously,

VOTED:

That the Attleboro Municipal Council hereby approve, pursuant to M.G.L. ch. 40, §8C, the acceptance by the Conservation Commission of the donation of property owned by Dorrance Bristol Norfolk Realty Trust, LLC shown on Attleboro Assessor’s Map 134, Lots 8, 19, 20 and 21. And further that the Attleboro Municipal Council authorize the recording of a Deed together with a Certification of this Vote to be recorded with the Bristol Northern District Registry of Deeds.

A true copy,

Attest:

Mark Cooper, Chair of the
Attleboro Municipal Council _____, 2021

LICENSES

Laura Dolan, Chairperson

CITY PROPERTY AND CLAIMS

Sara-Lynn Reynolds, Chairperson

The Mayor respectfully submits a letter from Ms. Hope Bryant requesting to donate a painting of Attleboro Center to the City. The painting was done years ago and has been hanging in the A&J Tool & Findings Co in Plainville, MA. In accordance with Section 1-12 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Attleboro, the Mayor hereby requests Your

Honorable Body to accept this generous donation to the City of Attleboro. (Copies in your packets)

ORDINANCES, ELECTIONS & LEGISLATIVE MATTERS

Diana Holmes, Chairperson

Two Letters in favor of the proposed Wetlands Protection amendments.

One Letter against the proposed Wetlands Protection amendments.

A Petition was submitted signed by 179 residents in favor of the proposed Wetlands Protection amendments.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON SENIOR TAX

Todd Kobus, Chairperson