



# Ware

MASSACHUSETTS

Finance Committee  
126 Main Street  
Ware, MA 01082

## Finance Committee Meeting Minutes

Meeting Location: Held via Zoom  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7846041861?pwd=bldFROtscStPMWhScHFWRIFWbHRRdz09>  
**Phone Number: 1-929-205-6099**  
**Meeting ID: 784 604 1861 Passcode: 01082**

Meeting Date: Wednesday, November 8, 2023

Meeting Time: 4:30 PM

Attendees: Ken Willette, Kelsey Sidur, Mitch Kupperman, Terry Smith, Stuart Beckley (Town Manager), Tracy Meehan (Town Accountant), Fire Chief Martinez

Meeting Agenda items to be discussed:

1. Meeting called to order at 4:34pm
2. Review Special Town Meeting Warrant and vote Fin Com recommendations.
  - Article 2 – Fire Dept request is \$15k rather than \$45k – Chief will come back with additional request at a later date. Additional \$11k for Assistant Assessor promotion to Interim Assessor. Kelsey Sidur makes motion to recommend, Mitch Kupperman seconds. Passes unanimously. Fin Com recommends.
  - Article 11 – \$15k requested – Fin Com recommends and will suggest to BOS that funding source is ARPA. Kelsey Sidur makes motion to recommend, Mitch Kupperman seconds. Passes unanimously.
  - Article 14 – Fin Com in agreement that it makes sense to demolish the barn at \$14k. Kelsey Sidur makes motion to recommend. Mitch Kupperman seconds the motion. Passes unanimously. Fin Com recommends.
  - Article 13 – Fin Com previously did not recommend motion to fund a new mower for the Parks Department. Mitch Kupperman makes a motion to reconsider and therefore recommend Article 13, Kelsey Sidur seconds the motion. Passes unanimously. Fin Com recommends.
3. Motion to adjourn at 5:18pm.

At the time of posting of this meeting notice and agenda the above items were the only items known. Should an additional item be brought forward, unless of an emergency nature, it will be placed on a future docket. The general public is invited to this and all meetings of the Ware Finance Committee.

Submitted by

Ken Willette  
Chairman Finance Committee