

**TOWN OF MARLBOROUGH, BOARD OF SELECTMEN
TOWN MEETING MINUTES
THURSDAY MARCH 16th, 2023
ELMER THIENES/MARY HALL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
MEDIA CENTER 6:30 P.M.**

Lauren Griffin, Town Clerk, called the Town Meeting to order at 6:31 p.m. She read the Legal Notice into the record. Joe Asklar and Kevin Asklar clarified that the fire truck reference to EHT17 should actually be HT517. Lauren Griffin asked for a motion to nominate a moderator. **Karen Wilkinson made a motion to nominate Deb Bourbeau. Ann Kilby seconded the nomination for Deb Bourbeau.** The Town Clerk asked if there were any other nominations. There were none. Lauren Griffin asked for those in favor of Deb Bourbeau to say “aye”. Then she called for those not in favor to say “nay”. There were no “nays”. **Lauren Griffin named Deb Bourbeau as moderator.**

Deb Bourbeau explained that the Board of Education has requested a Special Appropriation of \$50,000 for security cameras. The Board of Selectmen approved the appropriation at their meeting on March 7, 2023, and the Board of Finance recommended the request at their meeting on March 8th, 2023. She asked for a motion from the floor to approve a Special Appropriation of \$50,000 from the Undesignated Fund Balance for the MES security cameras. **A motion was made by Sue Stolfi to approve the Special Appropriation. It was seconded by Carey Fraulino.** Deb Bourbeau explained that any member of the public was welcome to speak if they wished to do so. **When there were no comments, she called the question, and the motion passed unanimously.**

Moving onto the second order of business, Deb Bourbeau explained that the Fire Department has requested a Special Appropriation of \$50,000 as an earnest money down payment to purchase an HT517 Fire Engine to replace the 1991 Mack. The Board of Selectmen approved the appropriation at their meeting on March 7, 2023, and the Board of Finance recommended the request at their meeting on March 8th, 2023. **She asked for a motion to approve a Special Appropriation of \$50,000 from the Fire Department Reserves for the replacement of the 1991 Fire Truck. A motion was made by Kevin Asklar to approve the Special Appropriation. Seconded by Harry Daniel.** The Moderator asked for public comment. When there was no public comment, **she called the question, and the motion passed unanimously.**

Deb Bourbeau adjourned the meeting at 6:42 p.m.

Dated at Marlborough, Connecticut this 21st day of March, 2023.

ATTEST:

Lauren A. Griffin Town Clerk of Marlborough