Town of Newtown Special Pension Committee Meeting February 7, 2019, 7:30pm

Lower Meeting Room, Town Hall South, 3 Main Street

THE FOLLOWING MINUTES ARE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY THE PENSION COMMITTEE.

1. Meeting called to order by Ellen Whalen at 7:34pm.

Committee Members in attendance: Guy Howard, Charles Farfaglia, Scott Schwartz, Paula Wickman, Ellen Whalen.

Absent: Sam Broomer, Patrick Burke

2. Minutes

January 31st Special Meeting cancelled, not minutes.

3. Correspondence

None

4. Retirement/Expense Payment Approval

Retirement/Expenses - Motion made by Charles Farfaglia, seconded by Guy Howard to pay administrative fees as presented. All in favor.

5. Pension/OPEB Trust Custody Bank Transition

Discussion re Transition Date, approval by BOS, asset reallocation, Trust Documentation. PC agreed July 1st target date to transition from Wells Fargo to new Custodian along with the reallocation of trust assets. Investment Committee and FIA will have another discussion to finalize the investment allocation and percentage weighting. Set up meeting with Bob Tait to update him.

6. Pension/OPEB Trust

Copy of Town of Newtown Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) – FYE 6/30/18 presented to Committee Members.

Pension Actuarial Report discussed. PC will request Dave Leonard, Actuary, TR Paul, to review report for Committee at March 21st Meeting.

Investment Committee Report – Guy Howard updated Committee Trust Market Values, FIA meeting and FIA's investment proposal. Investment Committee and FIA are in agreement in terms of reallocation. Will review with Bob Tait and First Selectman.

Trust Documentation update still pending. E. Whalen will work with G. Kasper, Pullman and Comley to finalize.

Vendor Meetings – Discussion followed re scheduling meetings with all Pension/OPEB vendors during the second/third quarters as part of PC due diligence. TR Paul will be scheduled initially.

7. Voter Comment

None

8. Date of Next Meeting: March 21, 2019

Town Hall South, 3 Main Street, Lower Meeting Room.

9. Adjournment

With no further business, Scott Schwartz motioned to adjourn meeting, Paula Wickman seconded, all in favor. Meeting adjourned at 8:45pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Ellen Whalen, Pension Committee Chair