

BUDGET COMMITTEE REPORT 2020

The Budget Committee meets jointly with the Select Board to examine budgets that are presented by individual department heads, who have proposed their budgets to meet the needs of their departments.

The Budget Committee is able to advise the Select Board and taxpayers about the feasibility of passing the budget items.

The year we held 10 meetings to hear presentations, and to discuss the budget and special articles. We voted to support Articles 3-9 and 16-18.

The proposed budget is \$17,057,941 before revenues are considered. After considering all revenues the budget is \$7,081,634, or an increase of 2.6 percent over last year.

The Budget Committee voted unanimously, 9-0, to support the budget and related articles. We respectfully ask the voter of Peterborough to also support the budget.

Roland Patten, chair

Robert Hanson, vice chair

Richard Clark

Ed Henault

James Long

Carl Mabbs-Zeno

Ron McIntire

Donald Parkhurst

Mandly Sliver