

**MINUTES  
BOARD OF FINANCE  
PUBLIC HEARING: BOE BUDGET  
CITY HALL AUDITORIUM / ZOOM  
April 28, 2021**

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A **PUBLIC HEARING** was held by the Board of Finance of the City of Torrington on Wednesday, April 28, 2021 to solicit citizen input regarding the proposed budget for the Torrington Public Schools, for the fiscal period from July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022.

Present at the City Hall auditorium were Mayor Elinor Carbone, City Clerk Carol Anderson, City Treasurer Daniel Farley, Torrington Public Schools (TPS) Superintendent Susan Lubomski, Assistant Superintendent Susan Fergusson, Interim Director of Business Services Ed Arum, Executive Director of Student Services Laura Klimaszewski, Director of Human Resources Kimberly Schulte, Director of Information Technology Alison Herold, Board of Finance members Christopher Beyus, Christopher Anderson, Laurene Pesce and James Wright and Board of Education members Fiona Cappabianca, John Kissko, Ellen Hoehne, Armand Maniccia, Jessica Richardson, Cathy Todor, Gary Eucalitto, Nikki Fappiano and Susan DePretis. TPS Director of Facilities John Barlow and Board of Finance member Lance Boynton joined by Zoom. Board of Finance member Mark Bushka and Board of Education member Edward Corey were absent.

Mayor Carbone called the meeting to order at 7:31 p.m.

City Clerk Carol Anderson read the legal notice that was published on the City's website on April 19, 2021, in accordance with the Governor's Executive Order No. 7I, Section 19 (c).

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

There were no members of the public in attendance who wished to speak. Assistant City Clerk Jonathan Draper read aloud the written statement that was submitted by Harwinton resident and Torrington Middle School teacher, Veronica Gelormino, in support of the proposed budget.

**PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED**

Mayor Carbone declared the public hearing closed at 7:38 p.m.

*Respectfully submitted,  
Jonathan Draper, Asst. City Clerk*

ATTEST:

*Carol L. Anderson*  
CAROL L. ANDERSON, MMC  
CITY CLERK