Town of New Fairfield Board of Finance 4 Brush Hill Road New Fairfield, CT 06812

MINUTES BOF CAPITAL AND NONRECURRING SUBCOMMITEE WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 2009 HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY 6:30 PM

Members present:

TomWahlig (Chairman of Subcommittee)

Wes Marsh

Art Azzarito

Other Town Officials Present:

Ed Sbordone, Accounting Manager

<u>Call to order:</u> Capital and Nonrecurring Subcommittee chairman Tom Wahlig called the meeting to order at 6:35 pm.

Discussion and Review of Capital and Nonrecurring revenue streams including Park & Rec

Tom Wahlig spoke of various expenditures and sources of revenue for the Capital and Nonrecurring fund. Mr. Wahlig presented the subcommittee with a flow chart of revenue and expenses. (Such document to be attached to the minutes of this meeting). There was a discussion of sweeping of accounts and what is the right amount to be in the unappropriated fund balance. There was a discussion of what is considered a capital project and if there should be a minimum dollar amount for a Capital and Nonrecurring project. It was suggested to look into how other small towns handle Capital and Nonrecurring accounts.

There was a lengthy discussion of the Parks & Recreation account (Fund 205). Currently the Parks and Recreation committee annually transfers \$99,000 to the Cap & Non fund and for certain years requests money back from the Cap & Non fund, such as monies for the boat dock replacement fund. Over the last four years it has cost the town between \$48,000 and \$108,000 for Park and Rec even after their contribution of \$99,000 to the Cap & Non fund. Tom Wahlig presented the subcommittee with a chart of Park & Recreation expenditures to the town for the last five years. (Such document to be attached to the minutes of this meeting). There was a discussion of this policy. It was suggested that a member of the Parks and Recreation commission come to BOF meeting to discuss this policy.

<u>Adjournment:</u> Wes Marsh made a motion to adjourn the subcommittee meeting at 7:22 pm. Art Azzarito seconded the motion.

Vote: 3-0-0 (Motion approved)

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