

Community Preservation Committee

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Planning and Economic
Development**

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Community Preservation Committee Meeting

5/17/2018

7:00 P.M.

Auditorium, Norwood High School, 245 Nichols Street

PRESENT:

Cheryl Doyle
Joe Greeley
John Hall
Judith Howard
Helen Abdallah Donohue
Anne White Scoble

Also Present: Paul Halkiotis, Town Planner

Patrick Deschenes, Assistant Town Planner

ABSENT:

Robert Thornton
Debbie Holmwood
Peter McFarland

Mr. Greeley stated that the purpose of this brief meeting was to discuss the exact funding sources and amounts for Town Meeting Article 14, regarding the supplement funding for St. Gabriel's Chapel. This was due to calculating in the projected total matching funds from the State fund. The Total amount appropriated would remain \$400,000. However, the amount taken from the CPF Historic Preservation Account and the CPF Reserve Account was in question.

Ms. Doyle stated that she wanted to keep the original motion the same to fund the Chapel with \$54,500 from the CPF Historic Preservation Account and \$345,500 from the CPF Unreserved Fund Balance Account.

Mr. Greeley stated that the Committee could spend all the money from the Historic Preservation Account and still fund future Historic Preservation projects in the next fiscal year with CPF Unreserved Fund Balance Account money.

Ms. Donohue believed that the group should follow the earlier proposal from Mr. Thornton to spend all of the money set aside in the CPF Historic Preservation Account rather than just a portion.

Mr. Hall stated that although he respected Mr. Thornton's opinion he agreed with Ms. Doyle to only spend a portion from the CPF Historic Preservation Account rather than all of it.

Mr. Greeley again stated that spending all that was in the CPF Historic Preservation Account won't totally impact future Historic Preservation projects and that whichever way the group decided projects could still continue as is and this was more a matter of preference.

Ms. Doyle stated that her reasoning was that it would still preserve some funds specifically for Historic Preservation and would not totally wipe out the Account on their first project.

MOTION to stay with the original funding totals voted on at the 5/9/28 CPC meeting made by Ms. Doyle, seconded by Mr. Hall.

Vote 6-0, all in favor.

Mr. Hall stated that he liked Mr. Thornton's earlier proposal to change the names of the accounts.

Mr. Greeley addressed the handouts for Town Meeting.

MOTION to adjourn the meeting by Ms. Howard, seconded by Ms. Doyle

All in Favor.

Respectfully Submitted:
Patrick Deschenes, Assistant Town Planner