

Town of Medway

State of the Town

Fall Town Meeting November 16, 2020

Board of Selectmen:

Glenn Trindade, Chairman Maryjane White, Vice-Chairman Richard D'Innocenzo, Clerk Dennis Crowley, Member John Foresto, Member

Michael Boynton, Town Manager

MEDWAY NOW AT A GLANCE

- CURRENT FINANCIAL SITUATION
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CURRENT FINANCIAL SITUATION



FY 2021 ESTIMATED REVENUES

| EST. PROPERTY TAX LEVY | <u>FY20</u> \$41,518,016 | <u>FY21</u> \$43,074,741 |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| *EST. STATE AID | \$12,350,513 | \$11,232,447 |
| EST. LOCAL RECEIPTS | \$ 2,944,100 | \$3,114,100 |
| DEBT STABILIZATION | \$392,000 | \$341,000 |
| AMBULANCE RECEIPTS RESERVED TRANSFER | \$500,000 | \$600,000 |
| TOTAL EST. REVENUES | \$57,704,629 | \$58,362,288 |

^{*} Estimated a 10% cut in State Aid, 5 Year Average increase of 1.3%

FY 2021 ESTIMATED EXPENSES

| Education(included insurances) | 36,211,254 | 73% |
|--------------------------------|---------------|------|
| Public Safety (Fire & Police) | 6,088,098 | 12% |
| General Government | 2,918,780 | 6% |
| Public Works | 2,650,598 | 5.5% |
| Culture & Recreation | 1,146,040 | 2.5% |
| Health & Human Services | 502,542 | 1% |
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| Insurances | 3,304,207 | |
| Debt Service | 4,132,825 | |
| State Assessments/Other | 1,407,944 | |
| Total | \$ 58,362,288 | |

TOWN STABILIZATION FUNDS

GENERAL STABILIZATION

\$3,595,830

OTHER RESERVES

\$1,773,951

TOTAL STABILIZATION AS OF 6/30/19

\$5,369,781

% OF TOTAL TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

9.2%

DOR and Bond Rating Agencies recommend that Stabilization Funds be between 5% - 10% of the Operating Budget.

STABILIZATION FUND HISTORY

Stabilization

| Year | Amount | % of Budget |
|------|-------------|-------------|
| 2009 | \$2,148,896 | 5.24 |
| 2010 | \$2,967,359 | 6.88 |
| 2011 | \$3,757,497 | 8.77 |
| 2012 | \$3,560,835 | 7.92 |
| 2013 | \$3,740,957 | 8.06 |
| 2014 | \$3,917,310 | 8.26 |
| 2015 | \$3,665,295 | 7.63 |
| 2016 | \$3,625,910 | 7.22 |
| 2017 | \$4,026,286 | 7.66 |
| 2018 | \$5,045,646 | 8.48 |
| 2019 | \$6,015,158 | 9.93 |

CURRENT DEBT POSITION

Total All Debt - \$46,629,520 as of 6/30/20

Enterprise Fund Debt - \$9,526,740 (included in total above)

FY21 General Fund Debt Budget – \$4,132,825

FY21 General Fund Debt Ratio – 7.1%

DOR and Bond Rating Agencies recommend a debt ratio between 5-10%

OUTSTANDING DEBT

| Category | Amount |
|----------------------|--------------|
| Schools | 14,808,000 |
| Town Buildings | 14,822,000 |
| Water Infrastructure | 7,374,965 |
| Parks & Recreation | 3,958,000 |
| Sewer Infrastructure | 2,151,775 |
| Equipment/Other | 3,514,780 |
| TOTAL | \$46,629,520 |

What is Free Cash?

FY20 FREE CASH ALLOCATION

FY19 Certified Free Cash

| DPW - Tracker, Truck, Parks study | 308,000 |
|---|-----------|
| Roads & Sidewalks, Bridges | 850,000 |
| Schools - HVAC, Track, Roof design, etc. | 255,000 |
| Other - Library Repairs, Police Radios, Zoning Regs | 51,650 |
| Fire - Ambulance, Inflatable Boat | 172,831 |
| Information Services-Chromebooks, software | 225,640 |
| COVID-19 Reserve | 105,000 |
| Unexpended Balance | 200,238 |
| | |
| Total | 2,168,359 |

Standard & Poor's Rating Services Medway Debt Rating 'AAA' /Stable

| Fiscal Year | Rating |
|-------------|--------|
| 2006 | BBB |
| 2009 | AA- |
| 2013 | AA |
| 2014 | AA+ |
| 2017 | AAA |
| 2020 | AAA |

Cost savings of approximately \$2.7M since 2006 if rating stayed at BBB

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ACCOMPLISHMENTS



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- Tuition-free Full Day Kindergarten
- Settled Appellate Tax Board Case with Bay State Gas
- Transitioned to ALS & Hired 4 Additional Firefighter EMTs/Paramedics
- Park Improvements Project (Choate, Oakland, MS Tennis Courts)
- Road & Sidewalk Repair Plan (Year 1) 21 Streets, 6 Sidewalks
- Full-Time Park & Recreation Director
- Route 109 Project

CHAPTER 40B HOUSING

| Current Housing Units: | 4,603 |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|
| Estimated Additional by 2020: | 450 |
| Total Housing Units 2020: | <u>5,053</u> |
| 10% Requirement | 506 |
| Current Units: | 384 |
| Needed: | <u>122</u> |
| Assumes no affordable units are lost | |

Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 40B, Sections §20-23

POTENTIAL 40B PROJECTS

- Timber Crest (approximately 146 units)
- West Street/Glen Brook (approximately 92 units)

- 39 Main Street (approximately 190 units)
- 42 Highland Street (approximately 160 units)
- 68 Lovering Street (approximately 56 units)

Estimated units needed to reach 10% requirement is 122

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MAJOR PROJECTS IMPACTING TOWN

- Route 109
- Salmon Willows
- Timber Crest
- 40B Developments
- Water Capacity
- Water Quality
- Sewer Capacity

MAJOR CAPITAL NEEDS

- DPS Facility (\$13.5M Est.)
- Roads & Sidewalks (Year 2 of Repair Plan) (\$2M per year)
- Centralized Water Treatment & Capacity Upgrades (\$16.8M)
- Public Facilities Structural & Space Analysis Plan (\$250K)
- School Playground Upgrades (McGovern and Memorial) (\$525K+)
- School Building Roof Repairs (McGovern and Memorial) (\$2.1M)

All proposed without a Proposition 2 ½ override.

THANK YOU!

Thank you to the volunteers that commit their time, energy and passion to support the Town of Medway in so many ways.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS