

**FINANCE SUB-COMMITTEE MINUTES**  
**October 18, 2021**

**Present:** Dino Mercadante, Chair  
Rosemary Sandlin – Vice Chair  
Mario Tedeschi  
Cecilia Calabrese  
Paul Cavallo

**Also Present:** Councilors Bitzas, Rossi, Smith and Suffriti, Mayor Sapelli, Auditor St. John and Will Clark

**Called to Order:** Meeting was called to order at 6:40pm by Chair Mercadante in the Teachers' Conference Room at the Agawam Junior High School

**AGENDA**

**1. Approval of minutes dated October 4, 2021**

Motion to approve was made by Councilor Tedeschi and seconded by Council Vice President Calabrese.

The vote was 5 Yes, 0 No approving the minutes.

**2. TR-2021-61 - A Resolution accepting a grant in the amount of \$61,643.00 pursuant to M.G. L. Chapter 44, §53A from the Massachusetts Division of Ecological Restoration to the Town of Agawam (Sponsored by Mayor Sapelli)**

This Resolution is a grant for data collection for the culvert replacement on May Hollow. There was no additional comment.

Motion to send a positive recommendation to the Full Council made by Councilor Sandlin and seconded by Council Vice President Calabrese. The vote was 5 Yes, 0 No.

**3. TR-2021-62 - A Resolution accepting a grant from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety and Security in the amount of Twenty One Thousand Two Hundred and Ten Dollars (\$21,210.00) for the Agawam Police Department (Sponsored by Mayor Sapelli)**

This Resolution is a grant for the Agawam Police Department from the Office of Grants, Research, Enforcement, Campaigns Training and safety equipment. No additional comments.

Motion to send a positive recommendation to the Full Council made by Councilor Sandlin and seconded by Councilor Cavallo. The vote was 5 Yes, 0 No.

**4. Any other business that may legally come before the Committee.**

None.

**5. Adjournment.**

**Adjournment:** Motion to adjourn made by Councilor Sandlin and seconded by Councilor Cavallo. The meeting was adjourned at 6:44pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Councilor Dino Mercadante, Chair  
Finance Committee