SHARON BOARD OF FINANCE Draft until approved at the next regular meeting

The Sharon Board of Finance held the public hearing on the proposed 2016-2017 budgets on April 29, 2016 at 7PM at the Town Hall. Present were regular members Dignacco, Bancroft, Flanagan, Robertson, Seibold and Bartram; alternate members La Roche and Duncan; the three Selectmen, Principal Manning, Clerk Webb, Board of Ed members Cahill, Visconti and Anderson; approximately 34 residents, reporters Epstein and Lefferts; and the secretary.

Chairman Dignacco called the hearing to order at 7:02. She read the legal notice as it appeared in the newspaper. She thanked Barbara Prindle for all her years of service on the BOF and commented that the Town lost a good member of the community last week – Richard Hotaling.

The hearing was then turned over to Moderator John Perotti who introduced the members of the Board of Finance, Board of Education and Board of Selectmen.

First Selectman Brent Colley presented the Selectmen's proposed budget page by page. There were various questions and comments from the audience.

Board of Education Chairman Doug Cahill presented the Board of Education's proposed budget page by page. There were various questions and comments from the audience.

The hearing was adjourned at 7:40.

Respectfully submitted.

Tina Pitcher, Recording Secretary

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