



City of Malden

Malden City Hall
215 Pleasant Street
Malden, MA 02148

Meeting Minutes - Final Rules & Ordinance Committee

Councillor Crowe, Chair
Councillor Linehan, Vice-Chair
Councillor Sica
Councillor Spadafora
Councillor Winslow

Tuesday, June 13, 2023

5:30 PM

215 Pleasant Street
Rm. 113
Malden, MA 02148

Joint meeting with Finance Committee

Roll Call

Chair Crowe called the meeting to order at 5:33 PM.

Also in attendance were members of the Finance Committee including Chair McDonald, Vice Chair Condon, Councillors O'Malley, Colon-Hayes, Linehan, as listed below with Councillor Simonelli being absent.

Council President Murphy, HR Director Anthony Chiccuarelli, and Special Assistant to the Mayor Maria Luise.

- Present:** 9 - Councillor Peg Crowe, Councillor Amanda Linehan, Jadeane Sica, Craig Spadafora, Stephen Winslow, Karen Colon Hayes, Carey McDonald, Paul Condon and Ryan O'Malley
- Absent:** 1 - Chris Simonelli

Business

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Order: Be it Ordained by the Malden City Council that the Code of the City of Malden (MCC) be hereby amended by updating Title 2, Chapter 24, Section 060 Police Patrolman's Salary Schedule

Sponsors: Peg Crowe

Attachments: [MCC 2.24.060 Police Patrolman's Salary Schedule](#)

[Final Paper: 237-23](#)

Ordinance Committee Chair Crowe opened the meeting by inviting Maria Luise to speak on behalf of these two papers that came about from contract negotiations and an MOU with the Patrolman's Association. The salary reserve account holds \$400k which leaves enough money to accommodate this transfer to police labor salaries account. Base salary will increase 3% for COLA, a small increase was given for cleaning and clothing allowance, the longevity benefit has been increased by a reduction in years of service. Councillor O'Malley requested for the Council to have viewing access to union contracts and vote counts. Councillor McDonald requested the same for the integrated MOU.

A motion was made by Councillor Winslow, seconded by Councillor at Large Spadafora, that the Ordinance be recommended favorably to the City Council. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

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Order: That the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$350,000) is transferred from Salary Reserve (0010-996-5110) to Police Labor Salaries (0010-210-5120)

Sponsors: Carey McDonald

Attachments: [Final Paper: 238-23](#)

Finance Committee Chair McDonald asked for confirmation that the \$350,000 transfer funds salary retroactively from FY 2023 to current. He then asked if we can have the finance team make sure this expense is accounted for in the Mayor's proposed budget so this expense is fully funded in the next fiscal year without needing to do another transfer.

A motion was made by Condon, seconded by Colon Hayes, that the Order be recommended favorably to the City Council. The motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote of the Finance Committee.

Yea - McDonald, Condon, O'Malley, Colon-Hayes, Linehan

Absent - Simonelli

Other Business

Adjournment

A motion was made by Councillor Sica, seconded by Councillor Linehan, that the meeting be adjourned. The motion carried by a unanimous vote. Rules and Ordinance Committee adjourned at 5:53. Finance Committee voted unanimously to adjourn immediately after.