



**BROOKFIELD BOARD OF FINANCE**  
**Special Meeting Minutes**  
**Wednesday, March 15, 2023 7:00pm**  
**Town Hall Room 209**

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**CALL TO ORDER:** Chairman G. Rooney called the meeting to order at 7:00pm; beginning with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Present for the Board:** Chairman G. Rooney, Vice Chairman E. Koch, Secretary B. Ruocco, D. Devorsetz, R. Roudenis, M. Cappiello, and First Selectwoman T. Carr

**Also Present:** Town Finance Director M. Marien (via call-in), Town Treasurer J. Lucas, Chief J. Puglisi, Major P. Frengs, Capt. M. Donadio, D. Eng, Candlewood Fire Chief G. Gramling, President R. Murphy, D. Brooks and C. Cumberton, Brookfield Library, and members of the public

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** No Public Comment

**NEW BUSINESS:**

- **2023-2024 Town of Brookfield Budget Discussion:**
  - **Board of Finance Budget Workshop** – Brookfield Police Chief J. Puglisi presented the Police Department’s budget to the Board of Finance. Candlewood Fire President R. Murphy gave the Board of Finance an overview of their proposed budget.

D. Devorsetz recused himself from operating budget conversations regarding the Library.

D. Brooks presented the library budget to the Board of Finance.

- **Overall Salary Increase** – The Board of Finance entered into Overall Salary Increase Discussions.
- **General Budget Discussions** – The Board of Finance entered into General Budget Discussions.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** No Public Comment

**ADJOURNMENT:** A motion was made by Chairman G. Rooney, seconded by Secretary B. Ruocco, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carries 6-0. Meeting adjourned at 10:30pm.