



# *City of New Bedford*

## *Massachusetts*

### ASSESSING DEPARTMENT

#### ASSESSORS

Marty Treadup  
Peter E. Berthiaume  
Kimberly Saunders

#### OPEN MEETING: BOARD OF ASSESSORS

DATE: August 17, 2023

TIME: 9:00 A.M.

PLACE: City Hall Rm. 112

#### Call to Order

Meeting called to Order at 09:00 A.M.

#### Roll Call of Board Members

**Present:** Peter Berthiaume, Assessor; Kimberly Saunders, Clerk; Marty Treadup, Chairperson; Judy Serdahl, Acting Administrative Assistant to Board of Assessors, Pamela Davis, Consultant and Kendra Parker, Administrative Coordinator.

#### Approval of Minutes

The Board voted to approve the Minutes of the Regular and Executive Minutes for August 4, 2023.

#### Report of Acting Administrative Assistant to the Board of Assessors

The Acting Administrative Assistant to the Board spoke with the Board regarding Senior exemption amount. The Board was presented with information about increasing the exemption amount.

The Board voted to recommend to city council to increase the Clause 41C exemption amount to \$1000.

#### Executive Session

The Board voted to go into Executive session at 09:56AM to discuss pending Appellate Tax Board cases under Reason 3 of the Open Meeting Law Guide's Ten Purposes for Executive Session.

A roll call was taken

Mr. Treadup-Yes

Mrs. Saunders-Yes

Mr. Berthiaume-Yes

The Board voted to return to Open Session at 10:20AM

A roll call was taken

Mr. Treadup-Yes

Mrs. Saunders-Yes

Mr. Berthiaume-Yes

The Board voted to follow the recommendation by Judith Serdahl, Acting Administrative Assistant to the Board of Assessors, to present settlement on pending ATB cases for Parcel ID- 130 C 640 to abate \$100,000 in value for FY2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023.

**Date and Time of Next Meeting**

Next Meeting: Thursday September 7, 2023, 9:00AM

**Adjournment**

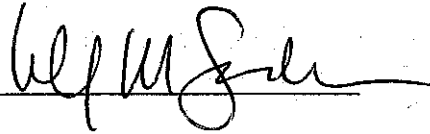
This meeting adjourned at 10:24 A.M.

**Documents:**

Data on Senior Exemptions

Submitted by:

Kimberly Saunders, Clerk

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K. Saunders', is written over a horizontal line.