

TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON MASSACHUSETTS

FISCAL YEAR 2022

FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

JUNE 7, 2021

BUDGET OVERVIEW PRIORITIES

- Ensure public safety and public health (COVID-19 Year-2)
- Maintain a high quality of life by providing exceptional public services to our residents and visitors
- Invest in our public infrastructure (street improvements, park upgrades, public restrooms, parking for our downtown business center, and engineering for future projects)
- Investing in our Stabilization Accounts (Savings for the Future)

FY22 REVENUE SOURCES AND ESTIMATES

Revenue	
Tax Levy	\$24,991,333
State Aid	\$1,195,215
Local Receipts	\$2,025,000
Enterprise Fund	\$2,414,500
Free Cash to reduce tax levy	\$3,525,000
Free Cash to fund Special Articles/Capital	\$847,200
TOTAL REVENUE (6.9% increase)	\$35,018,248

FY22 PROPOSED EXPENDITURES AT-A-GLANCE

	Expenditure
Town Operations Budget	\$12,928,888
BHRSD Assessment	\$18,432,398
Enterprise Fund (Wastewater)	\$2,414,500
Special Articles	\$840,000
State Assessments / Overlay	\$237,112
TOTAL TO BE RAISED (6.9% increase)	\$35,018,248

TOWN OPERATING BUDGET FY18 – FY22



PROPOSED FY22 APPROPRIATIONS

Department	Expenditures
General Government	\$1,696,225
Public Safety	\$2,723,147
Public Works	\$2,451,878
Cultural, Rec, Human Services	\$1,173,307
Insurance	\$1,804,700
Debt	\$2,067,842
Retirement	\$999,289
Miscellaneous	\$12,500
TOTAL PROPOSED OPERATING	\$12,928,888



CAPITAL PROGRAM HISTORICAL DATA FY18 – FY22



CAPITAL BUDGET FY22 HIGHLIGHTS \$3,128,100

Buildings and Grounds

- Continued clean-up efforts at the former Ried Cleaners property
- Park improvements
- Public Restrooms on the town hall campus
- Police Station Generator
- Proposal to purchase and construct a municipal parking lot for longer-term parking downtown (Parcel abutting the Castle Street lot)

Streets Improvements and Engineering

- Ongoing repairs and upgrades to our roadways and engineering for future projects
- Vehicles and Equipment
 - Police cruiser, portable police radios, police cruiser laptops
 - Public Works backhoe, sidewalk plow and sander, a truck lift, and a ticket kiosk for the Transfer Station

• Wastewater

- Sewer management and maintenance planning
- Sewer line replacement
- Sewer manhole rehabilitation

FY22 PROPOSED SPECIAL ARTICLES

- Community Impact Funding- \$350,000
- Emergency Medical Services- \$25,000
- BHRSD Vocational Tuition and Transportation- \$65,000
- Stabilization- \$200,000
- Capital Stabilization- \$200,000
- Municipal Parking Lot- \$1,190,000 (land purchase and construction.)

THANK YOU!



Department Heads







Sue Carmel (Comprehensive Budget)

SELECTBOARD AND FINANCE COMMITTEE