## **Town of Belmont**

Pension, OPEB, Debt (POD) Subcommittee of the Warrant Committee

**Minutes: POD Subcommittee Meeting** 

Wednesday, June 9, 9am Via Zoom

Attendees: Chris Doyle, Elizabeth Dionne, Andy Levin, Geoff Lubien,

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- I. Pension update, review of Warrant Committee recommendations
- -Discussion of asking Retirement Board to present to the Warrant Committee once or twice per year. Doyle will ask Chair Slap and Selectperson Dash about this
- -Discussion of Retirement Board administration costs Lubien asked about cost of breaking lease vs. potential savings. Dionne asked about how Retirement Board could use counsel differently (i.e. not for full meeting, only for targeted questions)
- -Discussion of Warrant Committee report and Doyle suggested that next year the subcommittee provide draft of pension section to Retirement Board ahead of publication
  - II. OPEB Warrant committee recommendations and Town preparation for new actuarial report
- -Lubien asked for the Town data that goes to the OPEB actuary

Lubien asked for Town Medicare policy

- -Doyle asked whether Belmont Light has its own OPEB Trust. Doyle will ask Town
- -Doyle asked whether Housing Authority offers OPEB. Doyle will ask Town.
- III. Health Insurance
- -Discussion of importance of town health insurance review and monitoring. Who should do this? General Gov't committee? POD? Another group? Dionne will follow up.
- IV. Adjournment.