

(The following is not a verbatim transcript of comments or discussion that occurred during the meeting, but rather a summarization intended for general informational purposes. All motions and votes are the official records).

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Regular meeting of the Finance Committee was held on Monday, May 5, 2025 in the Cranston High School East Auditorium, 899 Park Ave., Cranston, Rhode Island.

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 7:42 P.M. by the Chair.

II. ROLL CALL

Present: Councilwoman Bridget R. Graziano
Councilman Andy Andujar
Councilman Frank J. Ritz, Jr.
Councilwoman Kristen E. Haroian, Vice-Chair
Council Vice-President Daniel Wall, Chair
Council President Jessica M. Marino, Ex-Officio

Absent: Councilman Michael A. Traficante

Also Present: Councilman Christopher E. Buonanno
John Verdecchia, Assistant City Solicitor
Stephen Angell, City Council Legal Counsel
Rosalba Zanni, Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees
Heather Finger, Stenographer

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- *Minutes of the April 7, 2025 Regular Meeting*
- *Minutes of the April 7, 2025 Executive Session Meeting*
- *Minutes of the April 8, 2025 Special Meeting*
- *Minutes of the April 12, 2025 Special Meeting*
- *Minutes of the April 17, 2025 Special Meeting*
- *Minutes of the April 21, 2025 Special Meeting*

On motion by Council President Marino, seconded by Councilwoman Haroian, it was voted to take all the above minutes as a block. Motion passed unanimously.

On motion by Council President Marino, seconded by Councilwoman Haroian, it was voted to dispense with the reading of all the above minutes and they stand approved as recorded. Motion passed unanimously.

IV. COMMITTEE BUSINESS MATTERS CARRIED OVER

None

V. CORRESPONDENCE/COMMUNICATIONS

None

VI. PUBLIC COMMENT

None

VII. COUNCIL MEMBER COMMUNICATIONS

None

VIII. NEW MATTERS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

A. *Ordinances*

None

B. *Resolutions*

None

C. *Real Estate Tax Abatements*

None

D. *Motor Vehicle Tax Abatements*

None

E. *Tangible Tax Abatements*

None

F. *Tax Interest Waiver Approvals*

None

G. *Tax Interest Waiver Denials*

None.

H. *Tax Assessment Board of Review assessed December 31, 2023*
(Informational Only – No Vote will be taken)

None

IX. COUNCIL MEMBER COMMUNICATIONS

None

IX. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7:44 p.m.

/s/ Respectfully submitted,

Rosalba Zanni
Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees