RISK MANAGEMENT ADVISORY BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Date: Tuesday, April 8, 2019, 6:00PM
Place: West Hartford Town Hall, Room 221

Members Present: Rick Roberts, Cathy Gomes, Robert Herr, Jeffrey Kadison

Town Liaison: Rick Ledwith, Lisa Michaud

1. Minutes of the January 14th Meeting

Minutes of this meeting were approved unanimously.

2. Minutes of the February 11th Meeting

Minutes of this meeting were approved unanimously.

3. Risk Management Fund Results & OPEB Report

This item has been deferred to the June 3rd meeting.

4. Retiree Health Valuation

The retiree health valuation to be completed in 2019 is not yet completed. Therefore, this item has been deferred.

5. Risk Management Fund Proposed Budget for the 2019-2020 Year (FY 2020)

Lisa Michaud presented items from the FY 2020 property and casualty budget for discussion. The FY 2020 budget includes changes for the self-insurance program from the FY 2019 budget of -0.8% for administration, 4.9% for workers' compensation coverage, 7.2% for hearth and hypertension, and 1.1% for liability and property coverages. Costs of insurance are budgeted for a 6.7% increase. The overall budget does not include a provision for amortization, which will reduce the budget. A revised exhibit will be provided at the June 3rd meeting.

Rick Ledwith presented items from the FY 2020 health budget for discussion. Program expense is budgeted at an increase of 3.5% of the FY 2019 budget. The overall budget currently is for no change from the FY 2019 budget. However, the budget does not include a provision for amortization, which reduces the budget and equals about 2.8% of the FY 2019 budget. A revised exhibit will be provided at the June 3rd meeting.

Peter Privitera will discuss the budget further at the June 3rd meeting.

6. 2019 RMAB Appointment/Reappointment Status

One opening remains unfilled. A search is on for one more member.

7. Other

Given scheduling conflicts of several RMAB members, the next meeting has been moved from May 13th to June 3rd. There were no other items brought up for discussion.