## Board of Assessors Minutes 2/6/2023 at 6:00 pm

- Meeting brought to order at 6:07 PM. In attendance were Tom Martiska, Rebecca Dono Healy, Van Baker, and Jack Valleli, with Amy Evanowski attending via Zoom and Ms. Joanna Kulis attending as a taxpayer.
- Tom Martiska moved to approve the January 9 meeting minutes as read, with Van Baker seconding. The vote was unanimous in favor.
- 3. Ms. Kulis took the opportunity to address the board regarding her increased valuation; Amy stressed the need for reliable data and the role of the abatement process in remunerating taxpayers for any errors in their assessment. Ms. Kulis thanked the Board and departed.
- The Board voted to approve two exemption applications as they met the criteria for qualification.
- 5. At this time, 6:32 PM, Rebecca Dono Healy, as Chair, called for an Executive Session under

*MGL c.30A, §21(a)(7):* To comply with, or act under the authority of, any general or special law or federal grant-in-aid requirements.

Following the affirmative vote for an Executive Session (3-0), the Board discussed and voted on Real and Personal Property abatement applications, approving a total of 11 RE applications and 1 PP application, and denying a total of 7 RE applications. The Executive Session was terminated by the Chair at 7:28 PM.

- 6. The Board has no additional materials to add to the Annual Report.
- Van Baker moved to adjourn at 7:35 PM. Rebecca Dono Healy seconded. The vote was unanimous in favor.