

**BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING  
MARCH 22, 2021**

*NOTE: Due to COVID-19, this meeting was held virtually (via ZOOM),  
and was live streamed on the City's website*

Mayor Casavant called the Budget Committee to order at 5:30 p.m.

**Roll Call:** William Emhiser, John McCurry, Jr., Stephen St. Cyr, Amy Clearwater, Norman Belanger, Michael Ready, Doris Ortiz, Marc Lessard

Robert Quattrone, Jr. was excused.

*Municipal Service Agencies FY22 Budget Requests:*

| <b>Municipal Agency</b>                           | <b>FY22 Budget Request</b> |
|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Heart of Biddeford/Downtown Promotions            | \$44,000                   |
| McArthur Library                                  | \$552,849                  |
| Biddeford Conservation Commission                 | \$5,000                    |
| Biddeford City Theater                            | \$30,000                   |
| LaKermesse                                        | \$6,000                    |
| Shuttle Bus (Biddeford-Saco-OOB Transit District) | \$200,000                  |
| Biddeford Historical Society                      | \$10,000                   |
| Eastern Trail Alliance                            | \$5,000                    |
| Saco River Corridor Commission                    | \$10,000                   |
| Southern Maine Regional Planning                  | \$9,196                    |
| Southern Maine Finance Agency                     | \$10,361                   |
| Biddeford Historical Preservation Commission      | \$800                      |
| Biddeford Cultural & Heritage Center              | \$10,000                   |
| Southern Maine Beach Profile Monitoring Program   | \$1,000                    |
| Life Flight Foundation                            | \$2,000                    |
| Biddeford Mills Museum                            | \$2,500                    |
| Engine                                            | \$15,000                   |
| Downtown Development Commission                   | \$1,500                    |
| Seeds of Hope Neighborhood Center                 | \$23,400                   |
| APEX Youth Connection                             | \$10,000                   |
| Biddeford Climate Task Force                      | \$3,000                    |

Motion by Councilor Emhiser, seconded by Councilor Belanger to adjourn.

Vote: Unanimous.

Time: 8:00 p.m.