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FY2023 SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

From: Susan Barksdale, Director of Human Resources

Date: January 26, 2023

Department Human Resources

RESOLVED:

That the following special appropriation is approved by the Board of Finance for referral to the Representative Town Meeting (RTM):

Source:			Use:		
Acct. Number	Account Name	Amount	Acct. Number	Account Name	Amount
10101011-49100	Contribution from Fund Balance	142,714	10703611-82524	Heart & Hypertension	142,714
	TOTAL	\$142,714		TOTAL	\$142,714

On November 30, 2022, the Workers' Compensation Commission approved a Voluntary Agreement between a Darien Police Officer and the Town, where the officer was given an impairment rating of 27.5% on their heart. Since the officer was hired prior to July 1, 1996, this impairment is presumed to be an occupational illness. The 27.5% rating computes to a benefit of 143 weeks at \$998 per week, beginning on May 1, 2019 (for a total of \$142,714).

Because the Voluntary Agreement was not approved until November 30, 2022 (well beyond 143 weeks from May 1, 2019) the benefit must be paid as a lump sum.