

SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA  
**Bath City Council**  
**Wednesday, June 12, 2002 7:00 PM**  
Council Chambers, Bath City Hall

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**Pledge of Allegiance and Roll Call**

- I. **Approving Tabulation of Election Returns** of the State of Maine Primary/Referendum Election of Tuesday, June 11, 2002 [The tabulation results will be available prior to the meeting that evening.] (motion to approve)
- II. **Resolution:** Establishing interest rate on all delinquent taxes at the rate of 8.75% per annum (motion to adopt)
- III. **Resolution:** Establishing interest rate on delinquent sewer bills at the rate of 8.75% per annum (motion to adopt)
- IV. **Resolution:** Establishing interest rate on refunds due to tax abatements at the rate of 4.75% per annum (motion to adopt)
- V. **Order** - Continuation of Bath Tax Club (motion to pass)
- VI. **Order** - Establishing School Budget Component (motion to pass)
- VII. **Resolution** - Adoption of the School Department Budget component for the fiscal period beginning July 1, 2002 and extending to June 30, 2003
- VIII. **Resolution** - Approve and appropriate, for the purposes indicated in accordance with the School Special Purpose Funds

**Adjourn**

I.

**THE TABULATION OF ELECTION  
RESULTS WILL BE PLACED ON YOUR  
DESK BEFORE THE MEETING.**

## **RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to 36 M.R.S.A. Section 505(4) the City of Bath has the authority to specify an interest rate which shall be applied to the delinquent taxes, and

**WHEREAS**, Section 7-101 of the Code of the City of Bath determines that the rate of interest is to be established yearly by Resolution of this Council.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Bath, that the interest rate due and payable for all delinquent taxes shall be at the rate of 8.75% per annum, from July 1, 2002 to June 30, 2003.

## **RESOLUTION**

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Bath, as follows:

That, the interest rate payable on delinquent sewer bills shall be at the rate of 8.75% per annum, from July 1, 2002 to June 30, 2003.

## **RESOLUTION**

**BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council of the City of Bath, as follows:

That any taxpayer who pays an amount in excess of what is finally assessed (as in the case of a taxpayer who pays under protest, appeals the assessment, and is granted an abatement) must be repaid the amount of the overpayment plus interest back to the date of the overpayment at a rate of eight percent (4.75%) per annum, from July 1, 2002 to June 30, 2003.

## **ORDER**

**BE IT ORDERED** by the City Council of the City of Bath, as follows:

That, the City Treasurer and Tax Collector be authorized and empowered to continue a monthly or quarterly payment plan now in force, and known as the "Bath Tax Club", making regular monthly or quarterly payments in accordance with the rules of said Club. All Tax Club members must join during the month of July 2002.

Membership in said Tax Club is restricted to those accounts which represent residential taxpayers and club membership shall specifically not be available to commercial, industrial, personal or rental properties.