Call to Order: The Finance Committee meeting of the City Council of the City of Hometown was called to order by Treasurer Roti on Tuesday, February 4, 2020 at 7:00 P.M.

Roll Call: Roll call indicated that the following Committee members were present: Aldermen Touchie, Banasiak and Reynolds. Also present were Mayor Casey, Treasurer Roti and Clerk Hacker, Alderman Zak, Barnhouse, Grochowski and Kurysz.

City Treasurer Salvatore Roti stated everyone should have a handout showing the projected revenue. The Department Heads have their forms and will be returning them to the Mayor by Friday. Looking at the budget revenue sheet, the Replacement Taxes remained the same, Income Tax is up, General Taxes increased. Telecommunication Tax is down due to people dropping their land line. We see Sale Tax down but Use Tax has increased. Video Gaming revenue varies from month to month. Mayor Casey stated we are adding machines so that should be increased. Both utility taxes about the same, we saw an increase in towing fines. We currently budget 50% of the Local Debt Recovery, Mayor Casey stated that will decrease because the State will no longer collect Red Light ticket fines so we will only get what our collections company can recoup. Springfield is also trying to remove red light cameras from non-home rule communities. Mayor Casey stated we will be receiving a one-time large payment if we sell the land to the trailer park which will be on Tuesday’s agenda. There is nothing in the Library transfer line, we will see how they are sitting. Treasurer Roti stated we are scheduled to meet Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. but that depends on what the Mayor receives from the Department Heads.

CITIZEN’S HEARING: NONE

MISC. CITY BUSINESS: NONE

ADJOURNMENT: Moved by Alderman Touchie seconded by Alderman Reynolds to adjourn the Finance Committee meeting. MOTION STATED CARRIED

The meeting adjourned at 7:25 P.M.

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Mary Jo C. Hacker, City Clerk