

# TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS October 21, 2025 3:00 p.m.

**Quarterly Meeting** 

TRUSTEES: Warren Mackensen

**Christopher Nevins** 

Corey O'Neil Joyce Skaperdas James Dearden

PUBLIC:

ADVISOR: Zachary Zwick, Three Bearings Fiduciary Advisors

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 p.m. by Chairman Mackensen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

## **Quorum Determination**

Chairman Mackensen noted that five trustees were present. There was a quorum.

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## **Approval of Minutes**

The July meeting minutes were approved by email in July.

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2025

Mr. Zwick provided the Market Trends as of September 30:

- Strong domestic performance in Q3, especially small caps & strong performance in International equities:
  - S&P 500 8.12%
  - Russell 2000 12.45%
  - MSCI EAFE Index 4.45%
  - Real Estate (Vanguard REIT ETF) 3.64%
  - S&P High-Yield Corporate Bond Index 2.4%
  - S&P Investment Grade Corporate Bond Index 2.48%
- Divergence between Growth and Value, Growth outperformed Value, unchanged from Q2:
  - iShares S&P Growth (IUSG) 9.57%
  - iShares S&P Value (IUSV) 6.13%
- Money flowed into short, intermediate and <u>long term</u> Treasuries reducing their yield slightly:
  - 30-year Treasury: Increased from 4.78% to 4.73%
  - 10-year Treasury: Increased from 4.24% to 4.16%
  - 5-year Treasury: Decreased from 3.79% to 3.74%
  - 2-year Treasury: Decreased from 3.72% to 3.60%

#### Mr. Zwick provided the Sector Results as of September 30:

Technology XLK 11.45%	Consumer Discretionary	Communication Services	Utilities XLU 7.51%
ALK 11.45/0	XLY 10.46%	XLC 9.45%	XLO 7.5170
Energy	Industrial	Health Care	Financial Services
XLE 6.24%	XLI 4.98%	XLV 3.72%	XLF 3.20%
Materials	Real Estate	Consumer Staples	
XLB 2.55%	XLRE 2.49%	XLP -2.54%	

#### **Real Estate Trust Fund**

The Fund gained 3.9% during the third quarter. The Month-end Market Values bar graph and line graph were reviewed.

The Fund ended the guarter with a total market value of \$23,895,350.

The Real Estate Trust Fund performance was 7% during the last 12 months. The Conservative Benchmark performance was 8.4%.

The Fidelity Account Custody Statement, Quarterly Performance Report, the Morningstar Portfolio X-Ray and TrustTrak Fund Snapshot Report were reviewed.

The allocation in this Fund is 1.4% Cash, 26.7% US Stocks, 10.1% Non-US Stocks, 56% Bonds, and 5.8% Other.

The Fund Snapshot showing all transactions year-to-date for the Real Estate Trust Fund was reviewed.

#### **Real Estate Trust Fund Projected Income**

The investment report dated September 30, 2025, showed Real Estate Trust Fund projected portfolio income for the next 12 months as \$1,066,174, before fees of approximately \$28,000. The trustees unanimously concurred that a reasonable income for planning purposes in calendar year 2026 is \$1,000,000, net after fees.

#### **Common Trust Fund**

The Fund gained 3.6% during the third quarter. The Fund ended the quarter with a total market value of \$52,152.

The Common Trust Fund performance was 6.5% during the last 12 months. The Income Benchmark performance was 6.2%.

The Fidelity Account Custody Statement, Quarterly Performance Report Package, and Morningstar Portfolio X-Ray were reviewed.

The allocation in this Fund is 4.5% Cash, 24% US Stocks, 6.6% Non-US Stocks, 59.4% Bonds, and 5.5% Other.

## **Common Capital Reserve Fund**

The Fund gained 2.3% during the third quarter. The Fund ended the quarter with a total market value of \$6,084,221.

The Common Capital Reserve Fund performance was 5.94% during the last 12 months. The CRF Diversified Benchmark was 5.95%.

The Fidelity Account Custody Statement, Quarterly Performance Report Package, and the Morningstar Portfolio X-Ray were reviewed.

The allocation in this Fund is 1.6% Cash, 15.9% US Stocks, 0.1% Non-US Stocks, 82.4% Bonds, and 0% Other.

#### **Winnacunnet School District Common Capital Reserve Fund**

The Fund gained 2.3% during the third quarter. The Fund ended the quarter with a total market value of \$759,196. This Fund is similar to the Common Capital Reserve Fund.

The WSD Common Capital Reserve Fund performance was 6.1% during the last 12 months. The CRF Diversified Benchmark was 6%.

The Fidelity Account Custody Statement, Quarterly Performance Report Package, and the Morningstar Portfolio X-Ray were reviewed.

The allocation in this Fund is 1.3% Cash, 15.3% US Stocks, 0.1% Non-US Stocks, 83.3% Bonds, and 0% Other.

#### **Cemetery Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund**

The fund gained 5.4% during the third quarter. This fund ended the quarter with a total market value of \$1,063,148.

The Cemetery Maintenance Trust Fund performance was 12.1% during the last 12 months. The CRF Diversified Benchmark – Balanced was 11.7%.

The Fidelity Account Custody Statement, Quarterly Performance Report Package, and the Morningstar Portfolio X-Ray were reviewed.

The allocation in this Fund is 0.7% Cash, 60.1% US Stocks, 0.3% Non-US Stocks, 38.9% Bonds, and 0% Other.

## **MS-9 Report**

The TrustTrak MS-9 Report for the third quarter was reviewed.

## **Combined Transactions Listing**

The TrustTrak Combined Transactions Listing was reviewed.

## **Trustees Meeting Schedule for 2026**

The Trustees reviewed the proposed meeting schedule.

**MOVED** by Ms. Skaperdas to approve the 2026 Trustees Meeting Schedule.

**SECONDED** by Mr. Dearden

VOTE: 5-0-0 Motion Passed

# **Cemetery Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund Disbursement**

**MOVED** by Mr. O'Neil to disburse \$12,000 for the removal of seven huge pine trees in the Pine Grove Cemeery. Grind one stump for access.

**SECONDED** by Mr. Nevins

VOTE: 5-0-0 Motion Passed

## Firefighters Turn Out Gear CRF Disbursement

**MOVED** by Ms. Skaperdas to reimburse the Town for \$18,494.18 for four sets of gear.

**SECONDED** by Mr. Dearden

VOTE: 5-0-0 Motion Passed

# Pedestrian & Traffic Safety CRF Disbursement

**MOVED** by Mr. Nevins to reimburse the Town for \$198.00 for a yield sign.

**SECONDED** by Mr. O'Neil

VOTE: 5-0-0 Motion Passed

## Winnacunnet School District Special Education Expendable Trust Fund

**MOVED** by Mr. Mackensen to disburse \$19,965 from the Winnacunnet High School Building Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund to reimburse SAU 21 for sprinkler repairs.

**SECONDED** by Mr. Nevins

VOTE: 5-0-0 Motion Passed

#### **Public Comment**

There were no members of the public attending the meeting.

## **Next Meeting**

The next meeting will be Tuesday, January 13, 2026, at 3:00 p.m. in the Selectmen's Meeting Room.

#### Adjournment

The meeting adjourned without objection at 3:59 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Warren J. Mackensen, Chairman