

MEMORANDUM

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To: Mansfield Town Council

From: John DeWolf, Ethics Board Chairperson

Date: October 21, 2021

Re: FY 20/21 Annual Report

Background

Section 25-6B(3) of the Town's Ethics Ordinance requires that the Ethics Board submit an annual report to the Town Council. The Ethics Board's primary charge when it was reconstituted in 2008 was to review the Ethics Code adopted by the Town Council in 1995 and provide recommendations for revisions to the Code. Draft revisions to the Ethics Code were provided to the Town Council for consideration. On May 29, 2012, the Council adopted revisions to the Ethics Ordinance. The Ethics Board serves in an advisory capacity to the Town Council, provides advisory opinions to employees and public officials, and conducts investigatory proceedings and renders decisions related to ethics complaints.

The Board authorized this submission at its October 21, 2021 meeting.

Accomplishments for FY 2020 /2021

- The Ethics Board did not receive any referrals with regard to potential ethics violations.
- The Ethics Board met on October 21, 2021 to elect officers and to prepare the Annual Report.

Plans for FY 20 21/2022

- As needed address, in accordance with the adopted code and established procedures, advisory opinion requests and complaints in a fair and timely manner.

If you have any questions about this report, or would like to follow up with the Board, please contact me.