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Selectmen's Meeting, Monday, December 10, 1984

Present: John J. Jones, Chairman, Katherine M. Rign and Rachel C. Reinstein.
Meeting called to order with the Pledge to our flag at 7:30PM.

Minutes of last weeks meeting accepted.

Hugh Giffin spoke to the Selectmen in regard to the purchase of the computer for the Town Office. Decision to purchase from Microware Center in Jaffrey was made and the software needed was agreed upon. A call to place the order will be placed in the morning.

Brian Brown gave his weekly report. He also spoke of the dispatch service which the Sewer and Water Dept. and Highway Dept. use. Brian will check into the cost to continue the service with the Town of Hillsboro as well as a cost estimate to set up a bay station in the Town Office.

Clark Craig Jr. gave his report. Selectmen requested a list of the drivers and the Roads which each is responsible for during a storm. He was asked to check the tires on one of the vehicles and get back to the Selectmen as to the condition. They did not look good to one of the Selectmen.

Selectmen feel it is time to make comparisons of cost to replace and or repair vehicles. Men want to know if anything has been looked into for disability insurance. Information received on retirement. Selectmen asked Lloyd Menderson if there were a problem with the Brooks permit. They have put up a larger building than had been on the property. The building is within three feet of the side line. Lloyd sees no problem as long as they have not brought it closer to the side line. Building permit was not signed at this time. Rachel sees no problem with turning it over to the BOA. John nor Katherine wished to sign it at this time. They will talk it over and make a decision.

George Coles' property containing 5.5 acres which has not been taxed for several years, if at all, has been sold. A tax assessment of \$1,400 has been placed on the property. A tax bill is to be mailed to George and Elizabeth Cole and a copy to the new owner.

A question as to ownership of land across from the pond on Gregg Lake Rd. came up. It is listed as being owned by the Town of Antrim. No deed can be found. A call to the Record of Deeds is to be made requesting copies of the deeds belonging to the adjoining property.

Selectmen talked to Brian over the cost of dog and cat care in the Town. This line item has been reduced over the past few years, and this year it has been overspent. No way to prove ownership of cats. Two years ago, so many of the dogs had been licensed there was a decrease in cost to the Town for care of dogs. Now there are so many new dogs in Town, the budget will have to be raised to cover the added cost.

Meeting adjourned 11:00

