



**Belknap County Delegation Meeting  
June 24, 2013, 5:30 pm**

Chair Worsman called the meeting to order at 5:41 pm at the above date at 34 County Drive, Laconia, NH and Rep. Burchell lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Reps. Burchell, Comtois, Cormier, Greemore, Vadney, Gulick, Tilton, Fields, Raymond, DiMartino, Worsman, Fink, Holmes, Commissioners Nedeau, Philpot, Thomas and Administrator Shackett

Absent: Reps. Sylvia, Flanders, Luther, Arsenault, Huot and Administrative Assistant, Angela Bovill

**M**/Greemore to approve the minutes of June 3, 2013 meeting. **S**/Gulick. Unanimous vote to approve the minutes. One abstention – Fields.

Ricci Greene presentation for the proposed county jail. Commissioner Philpot commented on history of comprehensive plan and analysis for county facility. He explained building facilities are inadequate, and there are safety and code issues with current jail. Some discussion was presented on building new programs for inmates to address issues of recidivism. Ricci Greene went through presentation which is attached to these minutes. After discussion, questions were asked by the delegation regarding specifics of the proposal, including building options and the funding of this proposal.

Hearing was then opened to the public.

Bernadette Lesch from Laconia was the only member of the public to speak. She questioned the delegations' attention to the presentation and suggested the questions the delegation asked were unnecessary.

Ms. Shackett discussed the entire correction presentation is currently posted on the website.

Chair Worsman informed the public unfortunately a number of delegates had to leave the meeting early or were absent as a result of a meeting conflict with the Lakes Region Planning Commission.

**M**/Burchell led to adjourn the meeting at 7:56 pm. **S**/Gulick. Unanimous vote.

