

Town of Deerfield  
Joint meeting of Board of Selectmen, Finance Committee  
and Capital Improvement Projects Committee  
October 15, 2013

Present: Skip Olmstead, Tom Clark, Bill Cummings, John Davey, Carolyn Shores Ness, Mark Gilmore, David Wolfram, David Rohrs, Roger Sadoski, Ken Cuddeback, John Paciorek, Ralph Healey, Wendy Foxmyn (ex-officio, CIPC), Mary Stokarski, (ex-officio, CIPC).

Others: Chief Paciorek, Shawn Patterson

The October 22 meeting was called to order at 7:10 pm at the Deerfield Town Hall. A quorum of all groups was present.

There was substantial discussion about timing and schedules for purchasing of capital equipment, in particular vehicles for the police and highway departments.

Based upon the last warrant overview of articles for the Special Town Meeting, held on October 16, 2013, the following articles were supported by the Finance Committee : # 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, 17.

At tonight's meeting the following items are to be voted on by the Finance Committee: # 1-5, 11, 12, 13, 18, 19.

There was discussion and numbers on Free Cash (\$1,498,000) that will be available for use and what the goal/policy for the Town should be. The State guidelines are that an amount equal to 5% of the Town's operating budget be maintained. What the Deerfield policy is or should be is not clear.

Next meeting for CIPC scheduled for 10/22 at 6 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Bill Cummings