

Town of *Dunstable* Selectboard
Meeting Minutes
May 9, 2016
Town Hall, Dunstable, MA 01827

Convened: 6:00 pm

Present: Kenneth J. Leva, chair, Daniel F. Devlin, Walter F. Alterisio, member(s); Tracey Hutton, Town Administrator; Richard Larkin, Town Counsel; Brian Falk, new Town Counsel (FY17 forward)

Annual Town Meeting Motions & Strategy

The Board discussed the motions, including which groups will be making these motions as well as the motions the Board has assigned itself. There was some discussion regarding how to explain some of the articles and what questions to anticipate. The Board briefly discussed how the Meeting would start and what opening remarks would be. Mr. Alterisio stated that he would address the omission of a dedication to George Tully from the Annual Town Report. This would include an apology for the accidental omission and a promise to dedicate next year's report to Mr. Tully.

Ms. Hutton then took the opportunity to introduce the Board to Brian R. Falk, an attorney with Mirick O'Connell designated as the town's new Town Counsel to replace Mr. Larkin starting with the new financial year. Mr. Larkin will remain on with the town as Special Town Counsel. Mr. Falk greeted the Board and thanked them for the opportunity to serve the town. The Board then took a moment to thank Mr. Larkin again for his years of service as Town Counsel. From there the Board concluded with final discussion regarding the Town Meeting articles and how to address public questions, concerns, and comments.

A motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Leva at 6:30 pm. The motion was seconded by Mr. Devlin and passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by



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Approved and adopted on 5/18/16