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BOARD OF SELECTMEN MINUTES---EXECUTIVE SESSION

<u>Present</u>: Shawn Dahlen, Chair; Elizabeth Sullivan, Vice-Chair; and Christopher Donato, Clerk.

Absent: No members were absent.

<u>Staff:</u> Richard MacDonald, Town Manager; Jeannie Horne, Human Resources Officer; and Barbara Ripley, Executive Assistant.

ENTER EXECUTIVE SESSION AND ADJOURN OPEN SESSION

At 8:05 PM, Ms. Sullivan moved that the Board enter Executive Session in order to discuss collective bargaining issues, since an open discussion could have a negative impact on the bargaining position of the Town, and then to adjourn immediately afterward. Second by Mr. Donato. Roll Call Vote: Ms. Sullivan---aye; Mr. Donato---aye; and Mr. Dahlen---aye.

COLLECTIVE BARGAINING DISCUSSION---PROFESSIONAL SUPPORT UNIT

Ms. Horne explained that the bargaining unit has proposed a wage package for FY09 – FY12, and has asked her to bring it to the Board of Selectmen. However, Ms. Sullivan, who has been participating in the negotiating sessions, advised against commenting on a wage package before other issues are worked out. These issues include job descriptions, performance evaluation tools, and contract language. Mr. Donato and Mr. Dahlen agreed with Ms. Sullivan.

ADJOURNMENT

At 8:32 PM, Ms. Sullivan moved that the Board close the Executive Session and adjourn the meeting. Second by Mr. Donato. Roll Call Vote: Ms. Sullivan---aye; Mr. Donato---aye; and Mr. Dahlen---aye.