

The weekly meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held on Tuesday, June 28, 2011 at 7:34 p.m.

Present: Joseph L. Miksch, Chair; Robert M. Condon, Clerk; Brian Connors; George Samia, Town Administrator; Catherine Johnson, Administrative Assistant

Pledge of Allegiance

Action Items

M/Condon, s/Connors, a unanimous vote, approve the minutes from the June 21, 2011 Board of Selectmen meeting.

M/Condon, s/Connors, approve the minutes of the June 16, 2011 meeting.
Abstain: R. Condon

M/Condon, s/Connors, a unanimous vote, approve the request of Domenic DeAngelo, Secretary of the Facilities Assessment Committee to disband the Facilities Assessment Committee.

M/Condon, s/Connors, a unanimous vote, approve the reappointment of Robert Waterman as a member of the Historical Commission for the period of July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2014.

M/Condon, s/Connors, a unanimous vote, approve the reappointment of Gerry Leavitt as a member of the Zoning Board of Appeals for the period of July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2014.

M/Condon, s/Connors, a unanimous vote, approve the appointment of Roster Casey as a Constable for the period of July 1, 2011 to June 30 2014.

M/Condon, s/Connors, a unanimous vote, approve the appointment of Penny Milaskaus as a member of the Arts Council for the period of July 1, 2011 to June 30 2014.

M/Condon, s/Connors, a unanimous vote, approve the appointment of Chuck Carey as a member of the Arts Council for the period of July 1, 2011 to June 30 2014.

Town Administrator Report

Mr. Samia explained to the Board and the public the increase in the current tax bills. As well as the process used for future bills.

Reminders

Board of Selectmen weekly meetings being moved to Monday evenings from Tuesday evenings beginning July 11, 2011. Also, for the months of July and August the Selectmen will meet every other week.

Board Discussion

M/Miksch, s/Connors vote that all town owned vehicles that are registered as "official vehicles" that bear official blue official license plates, be conspicuously marked with the department name and town seal or the name of the town, with lettering at a minimum of 3 inches in size and the vehicle shall be lettered on both sides (at minimum) of the vehicle, this motion will comply by July 31, 2011 new vehicle purchases shall comply within 60 days of the vehicle in service dates.

A brief discussion was held regarding this motion. Mr. Condon suggested any future motion be placed on the agenda for the Board's review. The Board agreed to table the motion for another time.

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Open Forum

Tim Cramer was present with questions regarding the recent tax increase. Mr. Condon and Mr. Samia gave an explanation as to the rate hike, as well as how proposition 21/2 works.

Chris Fabrowski was present with questions to the Board regarding the bid process being used for the new High School project.

Mr. Fabrowski requested a date for a hearing to discuss the findings of the ongoing investigations with regards to the removal of snow & ice from the Town's school roofs.

Mr. Connors suggested posting meeting dates on the Town website.

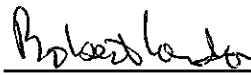
Jannelle Rotondi was present to request answers to questions she submitted to the Board in March regarding a public information request by a member of the Board of Selectmen.

Mr. Connors explained to Ms. Rotondi that the Board, at this time, does not have answers, but that he is hoping to hear something with regards to her request shortly.

M/Connors, s/Miksch, motion to adjourn.

VOTE: Yes – Miksch, Condon, Connors; a unanimous vote in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 pm



Clerk
Board of Selectmen