

**Enfield Board of Selectmen
Enfield, New Hampshire**

MINUTES of November 26, 2001

Board of Selectmen: Keith Oppenneer, Chairman; Ilene P. Reed
Administrative Staff: Stephen B. Griffin, Assistant Town Manager
Others: Jim Gerding, Budget Committee member

CALL TO ORDER

Mr. Oppenneer called the meeting to order at 10:12 am.

BUSINESS

Municipal Resources, Inc. Contract

The Selectboard discussed the manner in which Municipal Resources, Inc. (MRI) currently supports Enfield. Mr. Oppenneer noted his feeling that the value of experience purchased from MRI varied depending upon who was providing the service and that that experience was less now than at the start of MRI's service, the difficulty that two persons have with follow-up, and that the Budget Committee wished to have one person through the entire budget process. He also noted that a very cantankerous situation of pre-MRI service no longer existed, and that things now ran smoothly. Mr. Gerding, when asked, noted that things were better than prior to MRI service, but echoed Mr. Oppenneer's concerns. Ms. Reed noted that she was currently satisfied and had no problem with the service now being provided.

Don Jutton then discussed Enfield's expectation and how MRI might or might not be able to meet them, the experience of other towns around the state, his experience in Littleton, and the current management recruitment atmosphere.

It was the Selectboards's consensus that Don Jutton (1) would solicit the views of Enfield's office staff, the Planning Director, the Budget Committee and the Conservation Commission, (2) would review the Selectboard's goals and objectives and (3) would return to meet with the Selectboard on January 21 with alternative proposals for their consideration.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Oppenneer moved to adjourn at 11:00 am; Mrs. Reed seconded, vote unanimous.