



## **Town of Holland, MA – Finance Board**

### *Meeting Minutes*

January 27, 2016

#### **Call To Order**

The Chairman called to order a meeting of the Holland Finance Board at 7:30 P.M. on January 27, 2016 at the Holland Town Hall.

#### **Roll Call**

Finance Board members present were: Ernie Fancy, John Phelps, and John Ebersold. Absent: Mike Brady. Also in attendance was Donald Laing.

#### **Approval of Minutes**

The minutes of the January 20, 2016 meeting was approved.

#### **Open Issues**

Surveyor, Brian Johnson, from the highway department was unable to attend so the Assessor's budget was reviewed.

Review of the assessor's FY17 Budget:

All three members of the Select Board were present and participated in the review of the Assessor's requested FY17 budget. JoAnn said the state was looking into changing the revaluation from three years to five years. The discussion was should the revaluation be funded in the FY17 budget at all since there is adequate monies in the account now. Should the revaluation be a stabilization fund?

Prepare for Next Week's Police Department Budget Review:

There was no additional information identified that should be requested from the Police Chief in preparation for next week's budget review.

**Next Meeting:**

The next meeting will be on February 3, 2016. The primary agenda item will be the review of the Police 2017 and the Highway's 2017 Budget.

**Adjournment**

The Chairman adjourned the meeting at 9:15 P.M.

Minutes submitted by: Ernie Fancy, Chairmen