#### SELECT BOARD MEETING AGENDA

DATE: Monday, January 29, 2018 at 6:30 pm

HELD: Public Safety Complex (2nd Floor Meeting Room) 20 George Bennett Rd, Lee

The Select Board reserves the right to make changes as deemed necessary during the meeting. Public Comment limited to 3 minutes.

- 1. Call meeting to Order 6:30 pm
- 2. Public Comment
- 3. RACETRACK PUBLIC HEARING
- 4. Jim Morse, ORCSD Superintendent School Budget Review
- 5. Julie Glover, Town Administrator
  - a. VRC Tax Exemption Request
  - **b.** Pole License Template
  - c. Library Furnace
  - d. Miscellaneous
- 6. Motion to accept the Consent Agenda as presented:
  - a. NRRA Letter
  - b. Select Board Meeting Minutes from 1/16/2018
  - c. Manifest #15
  - d. Weeks Payroll Ending January 28, 2018
- 7. Motion to enter into Non-Public Session-NH RSA 91-A:3 II (d) Church. Roll Call Vote required.
- 8. Motion to seal the Non-Public Session Minutes (if necessary.) Roll Call Vote required.
- 9. Miscellaneous/Unfinished Business
- 10. Adjournment

### 2018 LICENSE to OPERATE a MOTOR VEHICLE RACETRACK IN THE TOWN OF LEE

A license to conduct motor vehicle racing at the Lee USA Speedway during the time period of <u>April 14 – October 28, 2018</u> is hereby granted SUBJECT TO all provisions of the Town of Lee *Racetrack Ordinance* adopted on March 10, 1977 by the Annual Town Meeting, and SUBJECT TO any revisions or amendments to the Ordinance as hereinafter enacted.

The Select Board grants approval with the understanding that failure to comply with the provisions of the Ordinance shall be grounds for revocation or suspension of this license.

\*No practice or tire testing dates are permitted\*

	23 RACES	CATEGORY	3 TEST & TUNE
1)	Sunday, April 15, 2018	ACT Governor Cup 150 w/NECL	1) Saturday, April 14, 2018
2)	Sunday, May 6, 2018	TBA	2) Saturday, May 19, 2018
3)	Saturday, May 12, 2018	TBA	3) Friday, October 5, 2018
	Sunday, May 20, 2018	TBA	
	Friday, May 25, 2018	TBA	
6)	Friday, June 1, 2018	NASCAR Racing - Season Opene	er RAIN DATES
	Friday, June 8, 2018	NASCAR Racing	1) Saturday, April 21, 2018
	Friday, June 15, 2018	NASCAR Racing	2) Sunday, April 22, 2018
	Friday, June 22, 2018	NASCAR Racing	3) Friday, September 7, 2018
	Friday, June 29, 2018	NASCAR Racing	4) Sunday, September 23, 2018
	Friday, July 6, 2018	NASCAR Racing	5) Sunday, October 14, 2018
	Friday, July 13, 2018	NASCAR Racing	6) Friday, October 19, 2018
	Friday, July 20, 2018	NASCAR Racing	7) Saturday, October 20, 2018
	Friday, July 27, 2018	NASCAR Racing	8) Sunday, October 21, 2018
	Friday, August 3, 2018	NASCAR Racing	9) Friday, October 26, 2018
	Friday, August 10, 2018	NASCAR Racing - ISMA	10) Saturday, October 27, 2018
	Friday, August 17, 2018	NASCAR Racing	11) Sunday, October 28, 2018
	Friday, August 24, 2018	NASCAR Racing	
	Friday, August 31, 2018	NASCAR Racing	
	Saturday, Sept. 22, 2018	TBA	
	Saturday, October 6, 2018	Octoberfest – Qualifying	
	Sunday, October 7, 2018	Octoberfest – Features	
	Saturday, October 13, 2018		
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Joh	nn LaCourse, Chairman	Cary Brown	Scott Bugbee
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Bui	lding Inspector	Police Chief	Fire Chief
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#### TOWN of LEE



## Application for License to Operate a Racetrack

TOWN OF LEE, NH

#### For the Racing Season 2018

Name of Applicant _	LEE USA SPEEDWAY	-
Business Address	380 CALEF HIGHWAY	<u>.</u>
	LEE, NH 03861 MAILING ADDRESS	P. O. 344
Business Telephone	978-462-4252	ROWLEY, MA 01969
Contact Person	JOHN E MACDONALD	_
	MARKEL INSURANCE COMPANDICY Number 4102NM0001023 nce policy binder is attached.	—— 1A
	to operate the Lee USA Speedway for the schedule of the racing season that inclivents.	
Also included are ter cancelled due to incle	ntative rain dates requested in the event ement weather.	a race is
	copy of the Town of Lee's Revised Racetr requirements contained within.	ack Ordinance
Date12/27/2017		
Signed / chn	_	



#### OYSTER RIVER COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

#### 36 Coe Drive

Durham, New Hampshire 03824

Telephone: 603-868-5100 Facsimile # 603-868-6668

January 19, 2018

Board of Selectman and Planning Board Town of Lee 7 Mast Road Lee, NH 03861

Re: Notification of Addition to Mast Way School

Dear Board of Selectman and Planning Board Members,

In accordance with RSA 674:54, the Oyster River Cooperative School District is providing this letter as written notification to the Town of Lee that an addition of 4 classrooms is being proposed on the property owned by the Oyster River Cooperative School District on Mast Road # 23 know as Map 000011, Lot 000005.

The Oyster River Cooperative School District is working with Bauen Construction to prepare for a contract for this proposed addition to the existing Mast Way School. Construction is scheduled to begin in April.

I am prepared to attend a public hearing to present the necessary information relative to the project. I am currently scheduled to present a budget update of the school district to the Town of Lee at their January 29, 2018 meeting. If agreeable, as I will be presenting at this meeting, I would like to request adding this item to the January 29th agenda.

I look forward to hearing from you regarding adding this item to the agenda for the January 29, 2018 meeting.

Sincerely,

Dr. James C. Morse, Sr. Superintendent of Schools

## Oyster River Cooperative School District

## FY19 Budget Update Lee Select Board

JANUARY 29, 2018

6:30 PM

#### LEE SAFETY COMPLEX

DR. JAMES C. MORSE, SR.

## Budget Public Hearing

- School Board Goals
- District Highlights
- District Enrollment
  - Current by Schools
  - Projected 5 Years
  - Current by Town
- Financial Information
- Warrant Article #'s 3 5

## School Board Goals 2018-19 Budget

Budgeting is directly related to our academic vision. The proposed 2018-19 budget reflects the priorities of the adopted District Strategic Plan which guides the decisions at a realistic and affordable pace.

The proposed budget will include all completed negotiation agreements, health insurance costs, and other proposed expenditures consistent with the District Strategic Plan.

New revenue from the Barrington tuition agreement may be used to offset increases in staffing, healthcare, and retirement costs.

# School Board Goals 2018-19 Budget continued

The budget will ensure that the expendable trust funds, used in the 2017-2018 budget, will be replenished by at least \$100,000.

This goal does not take into account additional state revenue for full-time kindergarten, which will go directly to the towns, and which should lessen the tax impact of the budget.

This budget goal does not include any petitioned warrants.

The budget goal is to limit the overall impact to an increase of 3.25% or less in general fund.

## 2018-19 Board Goals

This year we will divide our goals into two categories: Monitoring/Continuing Goals and Action Goals.

Monitoring/Continuing Goals: {These involve the continuation and evaluation of initiatives that are underway}

- 1. To evaluate the effects of the change in start time, including the impact on students, parents, and transportation.
- 2. To evaluate the effects on students of homework, (including amount, learning value and coordination), the master schedule, and course load in the high school to determine if any practices should be changed.
- 3. To evaluate the effectiveness of the competency reporting system that will be used in grades 6 and 7 of the middle school, and to determine if the 8<sup>th</sup> grade should continue with the evolving high school system or adopt the 6/7 grade reporting system.

## 2018-19 Board Goals continued

This year we will divide our goals into two categories: Monitoring/Continuing Goals and Action Goals.

Monitoring/Continuing Goals: {These involve the continuation and evaluation of initiatives that are underway}

- 4. To monitor the progress on implementing competency-based education in the high school.
- 5. To continue to use various media channels, and to explore new means, to inform the community of initiatives and achievements of the District, with special attention to high school parents and District residents who do not have children in the system.
- 6. To receive reports on implementation of the expanded World Language instruction in the middle school and the implications of these changes for the high school.
- 7. To more fully engage the student body and community on issues of wellness and mental health.

## 2017-18 Board Goals continued

This year we will divide our goals into two categories: Monitoring/Continuing Goals and Action Goals.

**Action Goals:** {These involve new initiatives or vigorous re-engagement with prior goals.}

- 8. To begin developing a strategic plan for 2019-2024 with completion by December 2018.
- 9. To engage in a deliberate review process of the middle school facility with the goal of choosing a plan for renovation/construction by June 2018.

## District Highlights

One of the highest performing Districts in New Hampshire

- Smarter Balanced Scores in Grades 3 8 are some of the highest in the State
- SAT Highest aggregate score 1170 with 99% participation
- SAT Math continue to be one of the highest in the State
- College placement rate 90%
  - 74% enter 4 year college program
  - 16% enter 3, 2, 1 year college program
  - 8% Military or Work
  - 2% Gap
- High School graduation rate 99.6%

# District Highlights continued

One of the highest performing Districts in New Hampshire

- Special Needs:
  - 100% graduation rate 67% National Average
  - 39.5% enter a 4 year college
  - 39.5% enter 3, 2, 1 year college program
  - 21% enter employment
  - 0% enter the military
- 100% SPED Compliance with NH Department of Education for all Indicators used to measure performance and compliance for special education rules and regulations

## District Highlights continued

One of the highest performing Districts in New Hampshire

- World Language expanded to grade 6 (Chinese, Spanish, French)
- Extended Learning Opportunities
- UNH Early College
- Competency Based Education implemented in Grades 5, 6 & 7 and in development in Grades 8 – 12
- Start time change
- NEASC Accreditation
- Mental Health/Wellness Plan adopted to increase awareness continue to refine advisories at middle school and high school
- Middle and High School Student Participation continues to grow in Music

## District Highlights continued

One of the highest performing Districts in New Hampshire

#### Strategic Plan Update:

- Capital Improvement Plan (In year 6 of 7 year plan)
   Full Service Generators at all school
- Technology Plan on Track (3 year rotation completed)
- Transportation Buses on Track (In year 8 of 10 year plan)
- School Nutrition Plan

Profitable for first time in at least 8 years

UNH Supplying fresh produce

Increased Participation District Wide

Local Food = 20%
Breakfast up by 22%

Lunch up by 13%

# District Current Enrollment By School as of October 1

2,165\*\* 2017-18 Total Enrollment:

Mast Way	352
Moharimet	343
Middle School	660
High School	793*

\*Includes 142 Tuition Students \*\*Includes 17 Preschool Students

## District 5 Years Projected Enrollment

Source: LRPC 11/2017 Report

#### Long Range Planning Committee (LRPC)

2018-19 Projected Enrollment: 2,114

Mast Way 355 Moharimet 335 Middle 668 High 795

<u>2019-20</u> Projected Enrollment: **2,116** 

Mast Way 369 Moharimet 314 Middle 674 High 816

<u>2020-21</u> Projected Enrollment: **2,093** 

Mast Way 367 Moharimet 311 Middle 682 High 803

2021-22 Projected Enrollment: 2,067

Mast Way 364 Moharimet 306 Middle 674 High 802

<u>2022-23</u> Projected Enrollment: **2,115** 

Mast Way 356 Moharimet 299 Middle 680 High 810

# District Enrollment By Town 2013 - 2017 as of October 1

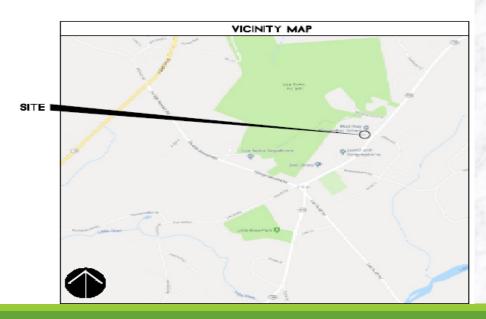
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Durham	927	940	932	950	967
Lee	703	686	655	681	705
Madbury	358	382	367	369	351
Barrington	68	85	98	113	140
Other	2	2	3	2	2
Totals	2058	2095	2055	2115	2165

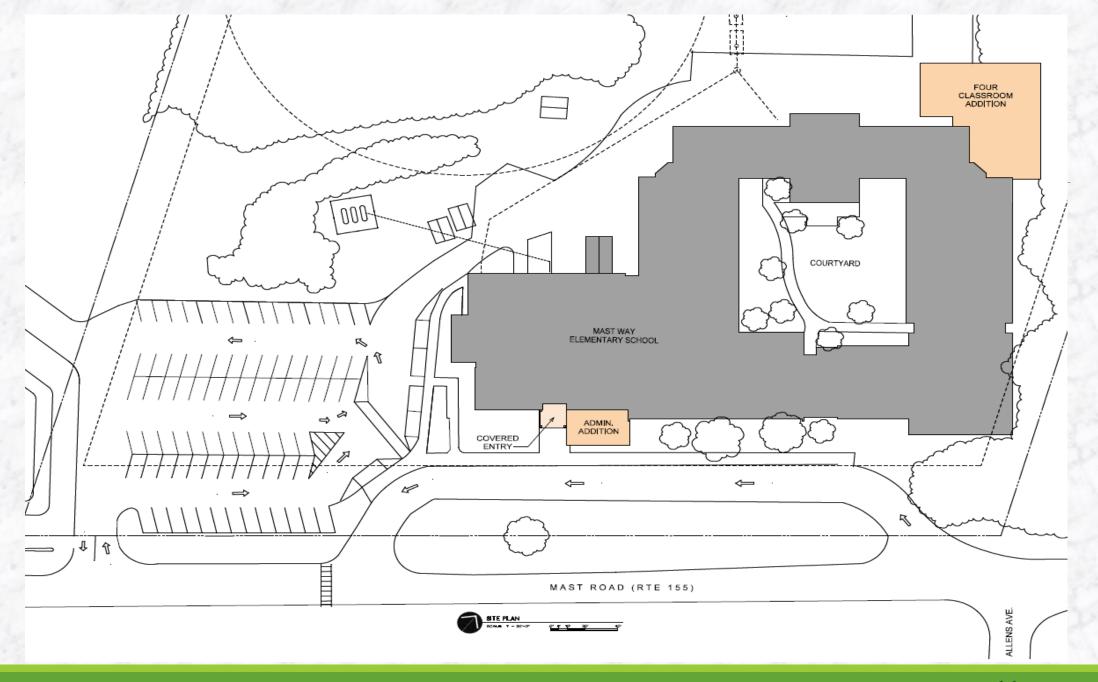
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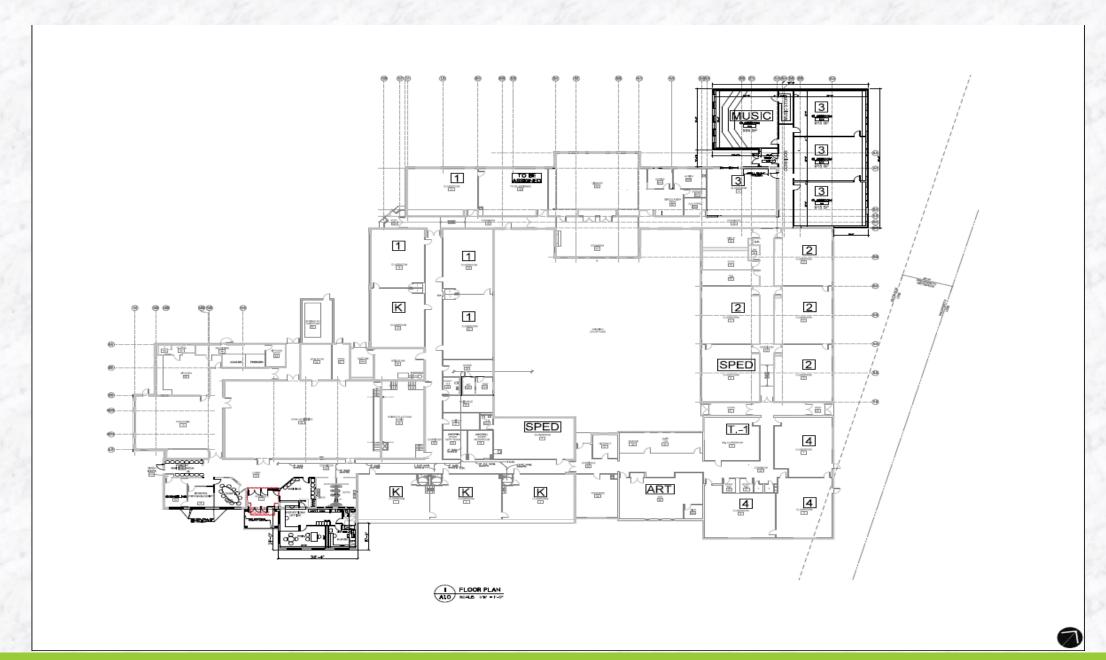
# ADDITIONS TO: MAST WAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Lee, New Hampshire









# FY 19 Increases

## Major Drivers/Expenditure:

•	Negotiated agreement with Bus Drivers	\$ 54,083
•	Negotiated agreement with ORPaSS	\$ 64,876
•	5.4% Increase in Health Insurance over	\$287,000
•	Capital Account: continued focus on	\$341,906
	improving facilities	
•	Technology Lease:	\$ 24,000
•	Elementary Staffing:	\$188,000
•	Guild Agreement (Year 2 of 3)	\$568,708

## Past Budget Increases

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• FY 19 (2018/19)
                   3.20% {Proposed}
• FY 18 (2017/18)
                   4.70%
• FY 17 (2016/17)
                   3.41%
• FY 16 (2015/16)
                   3.33%
• FY 15 (2014/15)
                   1.75%
• FY 14 (2013/14)
                   1.22%
• FY 13 (2012/13)
                   0.35%
• FY 12 (2011/12)
                   -2.29%
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## FY19 Budget Impact

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General Fund (10) TOTAL $44,199,061
Article 3 – ORBDA Contract $ 54,083
Article 4 – ORPaSS Contract $ 64,876
TOTAL with warrant article $44,318,020 3.2%
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# FY19 Fund 10 Breakdown

	Article 4	- ORPaSS	100		7	\$64,876	
Article		- ORBDA				54,083	
	777			General Fun	d (10) TOTAL	44,199,061	
ΓΟΤΑL		41,598,639	42,943,401	44,199,061	<u>1,255,660</u>	2.92%	
SPECIAL EI	DUCATION	<u>8.671.309</u>	9,176,036	<u>9,031,221</u>	<u>-144.815</u>	7	
FACILITIES	S	3,848,419	3,972,043	4,441,379	469,336		
TECHNOLO	OGY	1,154,200	1,242,119	1,334,140	92,021		
TRANSPORTATION		1,835,814	2,055,994	2,018,364	-37,630		
SAU/ADMI	N	3,891,857	3,114,546	3,104,847	-9,699		
MIDDLE SCHOOL HIGH SCHOOL		7,999,845	8,631,603	8,962,138	330,535	149 119 11	
		6,933,182	6,993,369	7,184,117	190,748		
MOHARIM		3,776,792	3,939,762	3,992,650	52,888		
MAST WAY	7	3,487,221	3,817,929	4,130,205	312,276	7	
		2016-17 EXPENDED	2017-18 APPROVED	2018-19 PROPOSED	DIFFERENCE		
	20	18-2019 BUDGE	T BY LOCATION a	as of 12/20/17		A - 34 - 4	

# Estimated FY 19 Impact to Towns

Budget Analysis				
		Estimated Ta	ax Impact p	er \$1,000*
		Durham	Lee*	Madbury*
Proposed Budget	\$44,199,061	\$0.50	\$0.15	\$1.21
ORBDA Warrant	\$54,083	\$0.03	\$0.04	\$0.04
ORPaSS Warrant	\$64,876	\$0.03	\$0.04	\$0.04
	4	4	1	4
Total General Fund	\$44,318,020	\$0.56	\$0.23	\$1.29
*Does not include any additional assessed value				

# FY 19 Default Budget

In the event that the FY2019 Proposed Budget fails to be approved by District voters, the Default Budget automatically becomes the budget for FY2019

Default General Fund Budget	\$44	4,184,937
Default Fund 21 (Food Service)	\$	730,047
Default Fund 22 (Federal Funds)	\$	600,000
Default Fund 23 (Other Special Revenue)	\$	41,000
Total Default Budget FY2019:	\$4.	5,555,984

If the proposed FY19 Budget Fails ~ The Default Budget will be \$69,571 less

# Warrant Article #'s 3 - 5



## Warrant Article #3

ARTICLE # 3 Shall the District vote to approve within the provisions of New Hampshire RSA 273-A:3 the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Oyster River Bus Drivers Association and the Oyster River School Board which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels:

2018-2019 \$ 54,083 2019-2020 \$ 36,855 2020-2021 \$ 41,223

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 54,083 for the 2018-2019 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increases in salaries and benefits required by the new agreement over those that would be paid at current staffing levels? The School Board recommends this appropriation. (Majority vote required)

## Warrant Article # 4

ARTICLE #4Shall the District vote to approve within the provisions of New Hampshire RSA 273-A:3 the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Oyster River Paraeducators and Support Staff and the Oyster River School Board which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels:

2018-2019 \$ 64,876 2019-2020 \$ 64,939 2020-2021 \$ 75,239

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 64,876 for the 2018-2019 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increases in salaries and benefits required by the new agreement over those that would be paid at current staffing levels? The School Board recommends this appropriation. (Majority vote required)

## Warrant Article # 5

ARTICLE #5: Shall the District raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant article and other appropriations voted separately, the amount set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling \$45,625,555. Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be \$45,555,984 (Default Budget) which is the same as last year with certain adjustments required by previous action of the District or by law; or the District may hold one special meeting in accordance with RSA 40:13, X, and XVI to take up the issue of the revised operating budget only. *The School Board recommends this appropriation.* (*Majority vote required*)

#### Note:

Fund 10 = \$44,199,061 (regular operating budget); Fund 21 = \$785,494 (expenditures from food service revenues); Fund 22 = \$600,000 (expenditures from federal/special revenues); Fund 23 = \$41,000 (expenditures from pass through funds).

# FY 19 Budget Dates

- Three Public Meetings hosted by the towns:
  - Durham Town Council: January 22, 2018 Durham Town Hall 7:00 PM
  - Lee Selectman Meeting: January 29, 2018 Lee Safety Complex 6:30 PM
  - Madbury Selectman Meeting: February 5, 2017- Madbury Town Hall 7:00 PM
- February 6, 2018: Annual Meeting Deliberative Session I
  - ORHS Auditorium at 7:00 PM (SNOW DATE: Feb. 7)
- March 13, 2018: Annual Meeting Voting Day/Session II:
  - Durham Oyster River High School 7:00 AM 7:00 PM
  - Lee Lee Safety Complex
     Madbury- Madbury Town Hall
     7:00 AM 7:00 PM
     11:00 AM 7:30 PM

# FY 19 Budget

Supporting documents for the FY19 Proposed Budget can be found at <a href="https://www.orcsd.org">www.orcsd.org</a>

Thank You.

Questions?

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#### TOWN OF LEE

Office of the Selectmen 7 Mast Road Lee, New Hampshire 03861 (603) 659-5414

January 26, 2018

Peter Macdonald 465 Packers Falls Road Lee, NH 03861

RE:

Veteran Resort Chapel, Map 12-3-03

Tax Exemption Application

Dear Mr. Macdonald:

After a review of the application dated January 11, 2018 for a tax exemption for the property at 101 Stepping Stones Road, the Select Board voted to deny the application for the following reason:

An organization may not claim multiple exemptions under separate provisions of RSA 72:23. The application which you submitted indicates a request for both a religious exemption under RSA 72:23 III and a charitable exemption under RSA 72:23 V.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Julie E. Glover
Town Administrator

Cc:

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#### TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Upon petition of the	[ELECTRIC COMPANY] Al, it appearing that the public good so requires	
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	ORDERED	
conduits, cables, and/or wires, to highways covered by said Petition feet respectively; the maxim respectively. Conduits shall be bu poles or conduits (P on designated or defined as shown on No Dated, at those leading down the poles and	hereby are granted a License to erect and maintai ogether with sustaining, strengthening and prot a. The maximum and minimum length of poles shaum and minimum height of structures shall be tried to a depth of at least feet. The approximate Road/Street in the Town of Lee) a plan marked "Electric Company and Telephone Cottached to and made a part of this order. All wires distructures and those leading to fixtures attached 18 feet above the surface of the highway.	tecting fixtures, in sall befeet andfeet andfeet nate location of the and structures is Company"
now or hereafter using or occupying sole owner of a pole or as an attact pay, all properly assessed personal the due date. Failure to pay duly a provide a written notice to the lice.	ements of RSA 72:23, I (b), the licensed entities a ng municipal property pursuant to this License, eighter to such pole, shall be responsible for the pay I and real property taxes, to the extent permitted by assessed personal and real property taxes when due ensed entities to show cause by a date certain specific be terminated for nonpayment of the sums due.	ither as the joint or yment of, and shall y law, no later than he shall be cause to
subject to that condition that the limunicipal property pursuant to the date of this order, each attacher to the herewith License on each su complete list of attachers to each each attacher. Further, this License person now or hereafter using or annually the information provided including the location of any additional control of the subject to the	ements of RSA 72:23, 1 (b), this License is grante icensee(s) and any other entity now or hereafter this License shall be responsible for notifying, with a licensee's pole(s) and/or licensee's conduits by ach attacher and submitting to the Clerk of the pole or conduit in the Town, listing the pole or ce's granted subject to the condition that the Licens occupying municipal property pursuant to this Licens to the Town with the Town Clerk on or before M tional attachers including the location of the pole attached, and any attachers that have removed ed newattachments.	using or occupying thin 90 days of the y serving a copy of e Town of Lee, a conduit locations of ee(s) and any other icense shall update day 1 <sup>st</sup> of that year, e(s) or conduit(s) to
Town of Lee, New Hampshire BY:		
Received and entered in the record or file location	ds of the Town of Lee, New Hampshire at Book _	Page,
Date	ATTEST:	Town Clerk

#### TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

#### **POLE LICENSE**

Upon Petition of the <u>Public Service of New Hampshire</u> AND Fairpoint Communications Dated 08/22/2017 , it appearing that the public good so requires, it is hereby

#### **ORDERED**

1.	That	said Pe	titioners	be and	hereby a	ire gra	nted a Lice	ense to erec	et and ma	aintain poles	s, structures,
con	duits,	cables,	and/or	wires,	together	with	sustaining,	strengther	ning and	protecting	fixtures, in
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\_ feet and \_ feet respectively. Conduits shall be buried to a depth of at least \_ feet. The approximate location of the poles or conduits (P. 850/307 on Harvey Mill Road in the Town of Lee) and structures is designated or defined as shown on plan marked "Public Service of New Hampshire and Fairpoint Communications" No. 65-0597 Dated 08/22/2017, attached to and made a part of this order. All wires and cables except those leading down the poles and structures and those leading to fixtures attached thereto shall be placed at a height of not less than 18 feet above the surface of the highway.

- 2. In accordance with the requirements of RSA 72:23, I (b), the licensed entities and any other entity now or hereafter using or occupying municipal property pursuant to this License, either as the joint or sole owner of a pole or as an attacher to such pole, shall be responsible for the payment of, and shall pay, all properly assessed personal and real property taxes, to the extent permitted by law, no later than the due date. Failure to pay duly assessed personal and real property taxes when due shall be cause to provide a written notice to the licensed entities to show cause by a date certain specified in the notice as to why this License should not be terminated for nonpayment of the sums due.
- 3. In accordance with the requirements of RSA 72:23, I (b), this License is granted to the licensee(s) subject to that condition that the licensee(s) and any other entity now or hereafter using or occupying municipal property pursuant to this License shall be responsible for notifying, within 90 days of the date of this amendment order, each attacher to a licensee's pole(s) and/or licensee's conduits by serving a copy of the herewith Petition License on each such attacher and submitting to the Clerk of the Town of Lee, a complete list of attachers to each pole or conduit in the Town, listing the pole or conduit locations of each attacher. Further, this License's granted subject to the condition that the Licensee(s) and any other person now or hereafter using or occupying municipal property pursuant to this License shall update annually the information provided to the Town with the Town Clerk on or before May 1<sup>st</sup> of that year, including the location of any additional attachers including the location of the pole(s) or conduit(s) to which the attacher's facilities are attached, and any attachers that have removed their attachments and/or any attachers that have added newattachments.

Town of Lee, New Hamp BY:	shire		
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January 23, 2018

John LaCourse Chair, Board of Selectmen Town of Lee, NH 7 Mast Road Lee, NH 03861

Dear Mr. LaCourse,

NRRA operates "As a Cooperative agent with state, regional and local governmental agencies, and as a market development service". This past year, NRRA successfully moved over 50,000 tons of 30 different types of recyclables for its members to market. NRRA more than doubled the contracted volumes of MSW year over year and now offers reduced "Members Only" pricing for contract consultations when it does not bid itself. For VT members, NRRA has a totally new program offering to assist with the Act 148 requirements. For details of these programs and all the many Member Benefits including reduced conference and workshop fees, School Workshops, and equipment financing support, see the attached benefits overview sheet or visit our website at www.nrra.net.

It is also "As a source of education in the field of solid waste management" – NRRA publishes the "Full of Scrap", one of the most widely respected, read, and circulated resource recovery E-letters in the northeast. In addition to its nationally recognized, first-in-thenation annual conference and expo being held in May this year, NRRA also offers monthly "M.O.M" meetings, and NH DES certified workshops and seminars so facility operators can maintain their certifications. The "Members Only" section of the website has the monthly pricing guide for all commodities, past FOS articles, and presentations on everything from current trends in recycling to PGA programs.

This is your organization, member based and member driven. I encourage you to become active, whether through using the programs to get your recyclables to market, by reading the now infamous "Full of Scrap" monthly e-letter, by attending the monthly marketing meetings or posting on the Members Only Forum to learn from others. Enclosed please find a copy of NRRA's 2016/2017 Annual Report which further details our goals and accomplishments over the past year.

Your membership support makes all of this work possible and it is once again time to ask for your continued support by renewing your membership. Please note the membership formula for municipalities is only \$ .07 x population with a minimum of \$100 and a maximum cap of \$1,800. A renewal invoice is enclosed for your convenience.

We sincerely hope you'll plan to join us at our 37th Annual Conference and Expo to be held on May 21st & 22nd, 2018 at the Radisson Hotel in Manchester, NH. Please check our website for more details in early 2018.

On behalf of the Board of Trustees, staff and your fellow members, we look forward to helping you navigate the ever changing markets in 2018 and supporting your efforts to recycle. "NRRA is your best Shield against China's National Sword Ban on recyclable materials.

Sincerely,

Michael W. Durfor Executive Director

