

**TOWN OF MILLBURY
BOARD OF SELECTMEN MINUTES
SELECTMEN MEETING ROOM**

November 22, 2016

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Selectmen Present: Selectman Francis B. King, Sandy Cristo; Mary Krumsiek, Scott Despres, and Jon Adams
Interim Town Manager, E. Bernard Plante, Carol Smith, Frances Gauthier, Susan Spencer T&G and other concerned citizens

Approve MedStar Tri-Town Ambulance Agreement- Chairman King said that MedStar has been very good and the committee has no complaints about them. This agreement is very good for Millbury. It is a five-year contract with MedStar and Millbury, Sutton and Grafton.

Motion to approve the MedStar Tri-Town Ambulance Agreement made by Selectman Krumsiek, seconded by Selectman Despres.

Motion carried unanimously.

Red Robin-70 Worcester/Providence Tpk-Change of Manager

Wesley Berrios is the General Manager in Millbury. We are getting more into the schools and community. All employees are TIPS certified. He has been with them for 8 years, in the industry for over 20 years.

Motion to approve the Change of Manager made by Selectman Krumsiek, seconded by Selectman Cristo.

Motion carried unanimously.

Extend Pouring Liquor License hours for November 23, 2016 (Thanksgiving Eve)

Motion to approve the extended hours made by Selectman Despres, seconded by Selectman Krumsiek.

Motion carried unanimously.

One Day Liquor License-Mixology Diva Professional Bartending Service as Asa Waters

June 17, 2017 4:30 am – 7:30 pm.

Motion to approve the one day made by Selectman Krumsiek, seconded by Selectman Adams.

Motion carried unanimously.

Some citizens have called for a Special Town Meeting; Chairman King spoke with the Town Clerk and the Town Moderator for dates. They came up with December 27th or January 3rd. It has to be done

Terry Burke Dotson spoke saying that she is calling for a Special Town Meeting for a zoning by-law stating that a methadone clinic cannot be within 1000 feet of a school, park, etc. She said that the Town does not have a by-law regarding methadone clinics.

Chairman King asked if this could wait until the annual town meeting. Ms. Dotson is hoping that Spectrum will change their mind on the location and reapply; then this will take effect as to where they can go. Selectman Krumsiek asked if the decision is going to be appealed? Ms. Dotson said it will, and if necessary appealed again. Selectman Despres asked how much this will cost the town. Chairman King said that the STM will cost about \$1000 and if they do a special election it will cost an additional \$5000. Selectman Despres asked if we know if the 1000-foot boundary is enough? The present address is 873 feet from Windle Field. Ms. Dotson said that she will amend the motion on the floor to change the word "boundary" to "lot line".

Motion to hold the Special Town Meeting on January 3, 2017 made by Selectman Krumsiek, seconded by Selectman Cristo.

Motion carried unanimously.

Joint Appointment to the Millbury Housing Authority

Selectman Krumsiek read a letter from the Millbury Housing Authority recommending Lucy Chabot. Director Carol Smith,

Motion to appoint Lucy Chabot to the Millbury Housing Authority made by Selectman Krumsiek, seconded by Selectman Cristo.

Motion carried unanimously.

Selectman Krumsiek said that the **Town Manager Search Committee** is ready to present the finalists to the Selectman on December 13th. She suggested having the interviews on December 14th and December 15th. Selectman Despres suggested starting at 6:00 pm. She thanked the search committee for all of their work. The Collins Institute was a great pick.

Previous Minutes

Motion to approve the minutes of the October 25, 2016 meeting made by Selectman Krumsiek, seconded by Selectman Cristo.

Motion carried unanimously.

Town Manager Report

We still don't have a Planner; he and the Chairman met with someone and did offer the job to her but she decided to go a different route. He did speak to a retired planner, and he is thinking about it. If he does turn it down, then we will reach out to CMRPC for a temporary planner. Michelle is working hard to get done what she can.

Work on the South Main Street Bridge has begun and the dredging of Dorothy Pond; Thank you to MaDot for helping us out.

Rob McNeil set up a tour of Ramshorn Dam with the selectmen and a few residents today. The work is moving along and it was impressive. The contractor has weekly meetings with Mr. Plante and Mr. McNeil to keep us in the loop.

Chairman King asked for an update on Wedgewood Drive.

Selectman Cristo wanted to encourage every to Shop Small on Small Business Saturday which is November 26th. It is sponsored by American Express and she put kits together and handed them out to many of our small businesses in town.

Selectman Krumsiek asked about adding no parking on Howe Ave. Chairman King spoke with the Chief and he can just do that. He asked for no parking on Lincoln Ave and Howe Ave.

Selectman Krumsiek asked to reach out to Spectrum to ask them if they would hold an open forum to explain their business plan to the citizens.

Selectman Krumsiek said that we should start thinking about by-laws for recreational marijuana. CMRPC will be having a seminar on this and she will be attending.

Selectman Cristo said that her concern about Spectrum is the traffic. With Cobblestone Village, there is construction going on the traffic is terrible. Chairman King would like to ask the Chief in to discuss traffic issues.

Chairman King would like to set up a workshop to discuss protocol and other issues coming forth with the new town manager. He would like it before the 13th if possible. Selectman Krumsiek suggested Tuesday, November 29th at 6:00 pm.

Mr. Plante asked if they would all ask questions or if they would have one person ask. Selectman Krumsiek said that it worked out very well having Mr. Roach ask the questions and then they could do follow ups. The Collins Center suggested the number of questions. Chairman King suggested everyone putting questions together and get them to Tish to compile.

Chairman King Read Dates to Remember:

18th Annual Chain of Lights Sunday - December 4th from 11am to 4:30 pm

Thursday, December 1 @ 7:00 pm. Ted Reinstein, from Chronicle,

He will be talking about his new book titled "Wicked Pissed: New England's Most Famous Feuds"

On a Good Note

It was a wonderful turnout for Baby Preston fund raiser put on by the Police; they really came together for Officer Woeller and his family. Selectman Krumsiek was very proud of this town for stepping up. What a great night.

Thank Richie Hamilton for driving the senior bus to the Dam tour.

Congratulations to the Millbury Girls Soccer Team for winning the State Championship, Millbury Girls Soccer Team for winning Districts, and Vinny DiDominica for going to states for Cross Country. Chairman King would like them all to come in for the Meeting of December 13th.

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Fire vs Police Chiefs Toy Challenge – Saturday December 10th 9am – 1pm at Rays True Value. You can also drop off at Fire Headquarters or the Police Station.

Congratulations to Jayne for receiving recognition for early voting. They did a fantastic job with set up and getting people through.

Citizen Speak

Brian Ashmankas asked if the additional road money that was appropriated at town meeting for FY17 will be there next fiscal year. Chapter 90 and Articles can be rolled for 2 fiscal years.

Happy Thanksgiving to all!

Motion to adjourn by Selectman Krumsiek at 7:55 pm, seconded by Selectman Cristo.
Motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Tish Hayes, Secretary

Francis B. King

Sandy J. Cristo

Mary Krumsiek

Scott Despres

Jon Adams

Handwritten signatures in blue ink on lined paper. From top to bottom: Francis B. King, Sandy J. Cristo, Mary Krumsiek, Scott Despres, and Jon Adams. A small number '4' is written at the bottom of the signature lines.