

TOWN OF NEW BOSTON

SELECTMEN'S MEETING MINUTES

November 13, 1995

A regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Pimenta.

PRESENT: Michael S. Pimenta, Chairman
Darlene M. Goodin, Selectman
Gordon A. Carlstrom, Selectman
Todd I. Selig, Town Administrator

Selectman Carlstrom made a motion to approve the minutes of the October 30, 1995, and November 6, 1995, Selectmen's Meeting minutes. Selectman Goodin seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Road Agent Lee Murray, Road Committee member Harold Strong, Road Committee member George St. John, and Road Committee member Richard Moody came before the Board of Selectmen to discuss goals for the Highway Department for 1996. The group discussed issues including: plowing sidewalks in the downtown area, upgrading Clark Hill Road, finishing McCurdy Road, fixing drainage and repaving Meetinghouse Hill Road, mowing along the sides of the highway, purchasing a new mower/tractor in 1996, the Highway Department Capital Improvements Program, etc. The group will meet again next on Monday, November 20, 1995, at 8:30 p.m., in the Selectmen's Office to further discuss these issues.

Mr. Pierre Bruno of the Piscataquog River Local Advisory Committee was scheduled to meet with the Selectmen at 8:00 p.m. but did not attend the meeting.

Mr. William Mansperger of 510 Clark Hill Road came before the Board to discuss why he wanted to serve on the New Boston Road Committee. After much consideration, Chairman Pimenta made a motion to appoint Mr. Ricky Riendeau to the Road Committee to fill the remainder of Theodore Olson's three year term which will expire in March of 1998. Selectman Carlstrom seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

At 9:07 p.m., members of the New Boston Cemetery Association Board of Trustees came before the Selectmen. Representatives included: Jerry Kennedy, Robert Todd, Leon Daniels, and Dave Woodbury. Mr. and Mrs. Lisa Johnston and William Savoy of the Historical Society Subcommittee on Cemeteries also were in attendance. The subject at issue was whether the Cemetery Association would be interested in taking over responsibility for the various abandoned cemeteries in New Boston which Mrs.

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Johnston and Mr. Savoy have identified. The Cemetery Association recommended that the Town form a Board of Cemetery Trustees to manage these cemeteries. It was felt that in time, there would be a need for an elected Board of Cemetery Trustees to manage additions to the New Boston Cemetery on Cemetery Lane, and in time, the entire cemetery as a whole. The Selectmen decided that they would appoint the first Board of Cemetery Trustees who would sit until 1997 Town Meeting, at which time they would run for election for the three Cemetery Trustee seats.

The Selectmen confirmed that they would perambulate the Town Boundary between New Boston and Amherst on Monday, November 21, 1995, at 1:00 p.m.

Town Administrator Selig reminded the Selectmen that he would be attending the NHMA Annual Conference on November 15, 16, and 17, 1995 in Manchester.

The next Finance Committee meeting will be held on Thursday, November 16, 1995, at 7:00 p.m., in the Town Hall Conference Room.

The Selectmen decided that if Transfer Station Assistant Manager Bill Ingram moves to part-time status and gives up his Assistant Manager position, he will make \$8.08 per hour.

The Selectmen reviewed the draft version of the Joint Loss Management Program for New Boston.

The Selectmen inspected the second floor storage area which will be used as a food pantry for needy citizens in New Boston.

The Selectmen reviewed a letter from Charlie Hoyt of 144 Lyndeboro Road regarding various road concerns.

The Selectmen discussed the possibility of revising the "No Through Trucking" ordinance on Bedford Road to allow "local hauling only" on this stretch of roadway. The Selectmen will discuss this issue more in the future.

The Board reviewed and signed payroll and accounts payable checks.

Chairman Pimenta signed pistol permits.

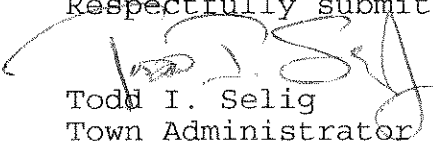
The Board signed intent to cut forms.

The Board signed other miscellaneous correspondence and materials.

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The meeting was adjourned at approximately 11:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Todd I. Selig
Town Administrator

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