

**TOWN OF SHEFFIELD  
BOARD OF SELECTMEN  
WORKING MEETING  
FEBRUARY 13, 2017  
TOWN HALL  
5:00 PM**

Board Members Present: Nadine A. Hawver, Chairman  
David A. Smith, Jr., Clerk  
Andrew G. Petersen

Others Present: Rhonda LaBombard, Town Administrator  
Robert McDermott, Consultant

Chairman Hawver called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm.

Discussion ensued regarding the preliminary proposals received for a new fire truck. Two proposals were received with the mid cost of approximately \$650,000. Discussion ensued. Mr. McDermott will provide Administrator LaBombard with the application for HGAC, a purchasing collaborative. It was the consensus of the Board that this purchase should be approved at a Special Town Meeting, which will be scheduled as soon as the final bids are in.

Mr. McDermott left the meeting.

Discussion ensued regarding the purchase of a Hurst Combination Extrication Tool requested by the Fire Chief and a power washer for the Highway Department. Selectman Smith moved to approve the purchase, using the Berkshire School Gift Account, of a Hurst Combination Extrication Tool as quoted by the Fire Chief and a power washer for the Highway Department, seconded by Selectman Petersen. The motion carried unanimously.

Selectman Smith moved to appoint Michael Leining as Wiring Inspector, seconded by Selectman Petersen. The motion carried unanimously. This appointment will expire in June 2018.

Selectman Petersen stated that he had received a complaint about the MassDOT garage on Route 7. The property is supposed to be screened by trees and the current trees are beginning to die. It was the consensus of the Board to send a letter to MassDOT to ask for the trees to be maintained in such a way that it screens the garage from view.

Selectman Smith moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Selectman Petersen. The motion carried unanimously.

Chairman Hawver adjourned the meeting at 5:50 pm

Respectfully submitted:

Rhonda LaBombard  
Town Administrator

Documents reviewed at this meeting:  
Quote from Firematic