

Board of Selectmen  
Minutes-Monday, March, 6, 2017  
Sunderland Town Office Building

Attending: T. Fydenkevez, S. Bergeron, D. Pierce, S. Patch  
Behind the Camera: FCAT

Meeting called to order at 6:55 PM.

Opening Remarks

- Mr. Fydenkevez thanked everyone for coming out and participating in the Town Caucus. Mr. Bergeron shared a quote on the definition of worthiness from President John Adams.

Approval of Minutes

- Motion: Mr. Pierce to approve the minutes of the meeting dated 2/27/2017. Second: Mr. Bergeron. Voted: 3-0.

Selectmen Updates

- Mr. Pierce advised that a Personnel Advisory Committee meeting will be held on Wednesday.
- Mr. Bergeron advised that Police Union contract negotiations are ongoing. Consideration is being given to the proposed contract impact over multiple years. The next meeting is scheduled for March 15<sup>th</sup>.

Town Administrator Updates

- Ms. Patch advised that a \$201,000 grant application was submitted last Friday under the Green Communities Competitive Grant round.

FY 18 Budget Update

- Mr. Bergeron advised that a first pass at the department requests and preliminary revenues for FY 18 has been completed. Budget growth of 2-4% over the past few years was noted. Mr. Bergeron advised that there is pressure on the education front and that there is a deficit of approximately \$90,000 at this time.

Adjournment

- Motion: Mr. Bergeron to adjourn the meeting. Second: Mr. Pierce. Voted: 3-0

Meeting adjourned at 7:18 PM.

Respectfully submitted,



Sherry Patch  
Town Administrator