



**Wellfleet Board of Selectmen
Minutes of the Pre-ATM Meeting of April 26, 2010
Wellfleet Elementary School, 6:00 p.m.**

Present: Chairman Dale Donovan, Jerry Houk, Ira Wood, Jacqueline Wildes-Beebe and Michael May; Town Administrator Paul Sieloff; Town Counsel Elizabeth Lane.

Chairman Dale Donovan called the meeting to order at 6:10 pm.

Vote on Motions at Variance with Recommendations and Revote of Recommendation for Article 27

Article 26 – Donovan explained that the motion would be read by Ben Zehnder.

Article 23 – Donovan asked if the board wanted to stick with original intent and recommendation, or change motion and recommendation. The members debated the merits of each choice.

Audience member Lilli Greene urged the board to make a motion to follow the Planning Board recommendation to indefinitely postpone this article. Greene read a statement.

Energy Committee member Dick Elkin said that Energy Committee would like to urge the board to allow the article to go forward to allow debate on the height of wind turbines.

MOTION 10-0154: Wood moved to vote to indefinitely postpone Article 23. Houk seconded, and the motion carried 3-2.

Elkin asked about the Article 25 motion to take no action and asked whether it shouldn't be a motion for indefinite postponement. Town Counsel Lane explained that indefinite postponement does not ban an article from returning to Town Meeting for two years, just constrains it.

Add Transfer of \$2,500 from Beach Fund to DPW Operating Budget for Beach Erosion Project

Donovan explained that there has been a request for an additional transfer from the Beach Fund to Account #420 DPW – Contract Services to repair storm damage.

Donovan asked if anyone saw a need to vote. Hearing none, moved on.

Decrease Wellfleet Elementary School Budget by \$12,634 as per Finance Committee Recommendation

Donovan asked if anyone saw a need to vote on this. Hearing none, moved on.

Adjournment

MOTION 10-0155: Wood moved to adjourn the meeting. May seconded, and the meeting was adjourned at 6:25 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Susan Cox
Executive Assistant

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