# Wolfeboro Board of Selectmen Meeting minutes Unapproved June 29, 2011

<u>Members present:</u>	Chairman Sarah Silk, Vice-Chairman Linda Murray, Dave Senecal, Q. David Bowers, and Chuck Storm.
Members absent:	None.
Staff present:	Town Manager David W. Owen, Contract Assessor Dave Wiley, and Recording Secretary Amelia Capone-Muccio.

Chairman Silk opened the meeting at 6:30 PM.

## Non-Public Session RSA 91-A: 3II

Mr. Owen stated a non-public session is not needed.

#### Consideration of Minutes

#### > June 15, 2011

## <u>Member Chuck Storm moved the Wolfeboro Board of Selectmen to approve the minutes of June 15, 2011 as</u> <u>amended. Chuck Storm seconded. Members voted and being none opposed the motion passed.</u>

#### Public Input

Suzanne Ryan questioned the financial status of the assessing budget in regards to the abatements, she had counted 161 approved abatements according to past agendas and she questioned if that is the average amount they do a year.

Dave Wiley replied it is the average following a re-valuation year, he noted that it not as much as there was in 2007 it is just that there are more parcels involved in this batch.

Mrs. Ryan commented that the town's net value and taxes are down. She requested a dollar amount budgeted and expended for abatements.

Mr. Owen replied he could provide such as it would be in the town's monthly budget and expenditure report.

## Bulk Vote

## A. Property Tax Refunds/ Abatements

Approvals

Abatement/refund #3 Tax Map 232, Lot 5 i. Abatement/refund #23 Tax Map, Lot 26 ii. iii. Abatement/refund # 97 Tax Map 199, Lot 11 Abatement/refund # 98 Part 1 Tax Map 199, Lots 15-1 iv. Tax Map 199, Lot 15-2 Abatement/refund # 98 Part2 ۷. Abatement/refund # 98 Part 3 Tax Map 199 Lot 15-3 vi. Tax Map 199 Lot 15-4 Abatement/refund # 98 Part 4 vii. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 1 Tax Map 199 Lot 15-5 viii. ix. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 2 Tax Map 199 Lot 15-6 Tax Map 199 Lot 15-7 Abatement/refund # 99 Part 3 Х. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 4 Tax Map 199 Lot 15-8 xi. Xİİ. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 5 Tax Map 199 Lot 15-9 Abatement/refund # 99 Part 6 Tax Map 199 Lot 15-10 Xiii. Abatement/refund #99 Part 7 Tax Map 199 Lot 15-11 XİV. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 8 Tax Map 199 Lot 15-2 XV. xvi. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 9 Tax Map 199 Lot 15-13 Abatement/refund # 99 Part 10 Tax Map 199 Lot 15-14 XVİİ. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 11 Tax Map 199 Lot 15-15 XVIII. Tax Map 199, Lot 15-16 xix. Abatement/refund #99 Part 12 Tax Map 199, Lot 15-17 Abatement/refund # 99 Part 13 XX. xxi. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 14 Tax Map 199, Lot 15-18 Abatement/refund # 99 Part 15 Tax Map 199, Lot 15-19 XXII. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 16 Tax Map 199, Lot 15-20 xxiii. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 17 Tax Map 199, Lot 15-21 xxiv. Tax Map 199, Lot 15-22 Abatement/refund # 99 Part 18 XXV. xxvi. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 19 Tax Map 199, Lot 15-23 XXVII. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 20 Tax Map 213, Lot 26-24 Abatement/refund # 99 Part 21 Tax Map 199, Lot 15-25 XXVIII. Tax Map 213, Lot 26-26 xxix. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 22 Abatement/refund # 99 Part 23 Tax Map 213, Lot 26-27 XXX. xxxi. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 24 Tax Map 213, Lot 26-28 xxxii. Abatement/refund # 99 Part 25 Tax Map 213, Lot 26-29 xxxiii. Abatement/refund # 100 Part 1 Tax Map 214, Lot 1-32 xxxiv. Abatement/refund # 100 Part 2 Tax Map 214, Lot 1-33 Tax Map 214, Lot 1-34 xxxv. Abatement/refund # 100 Part 3 xxxvi. Abatement/refund # 100 Part 4 Tax Map 214, Lot 1-35 xxxvii. Abatement/refund # 100 Part 5 Tax Map 214, Lot 1-36 Tax Map 214, Lot 1-37 Abatement/refund # 100 Part 6 XXXVIII. xxxix. Abatement/refund # 100 Part 7 Tax Map 214, Lot 1-38 xl. Abatement/refund # 104 Tax Map 217, Lot 70 Tax Map 218, Lot 54 xli. Abatement/refund # 111 Tax Map 266, Lot 4 xlii. Abatement/refund # 141 Tax Map 227, Lot 3 xliii. Abatement/refund # 142 xliv. Abatement/refund # 144 Tax Map 172, Lot 27-7 xlv. Abatement/refund # 148 Tax Map 158, Lot 16 xlvi. Abatement/refund # 159 Tax Map 219, Lot 13 xlvii. Abatement/refund # 174 Tax Map 217, Lot 62

**Denials** 

xlviii.	Abatement/refund # 26	Tax Map 217, Lot 177
xlix.	Abatement/refund #50	Tax Map 172, Lot 27-16
Ι.	Abatement/refund #54 Part 1	Tax Map 239, Lot 1
li.	Abatement/refund # 54 Part 2	Tax Map 239 Lot 2
lii.	Abatement/refund # 61	Tax Map 218 Lot 63-5
liii.	Abatement/refund # 110	Tax Map 201 Lot 24
liv.	Abatement/refund # 113	Tax Map 217 Lot 106-3
lv.	Abatement/refund # 114	Tax Map 260 Lot 7
lvi.	Abatement/refund #119 Part 1	Tax Map 250 Lot 4
lvii.	Abatement/refund # 119 Part 2	Tax Map 250 Lot 5
lviii.	Abatement/refund #119 Part 3	Tax Map 250 Lot 6
lix.	Abatement/refund # 143 Part 1	Tax Map 217 Lot 98
IX.	Abatement/refund #143 Part 2	Tax Map 217 Lot 99
lxi.	Abatement/refund # 150 Part 1	Tax Map 201, Lot 55
lxii.	Abatement/refund # 150 Part 2	Tax Map 201, Lot 54
lxiii.	Abatement/refund # 154	Tax Map 142, Lot 10-5
lxiv.	Abatement/refund # 155	Tax Map 264, Lot 18
lxv.	Abatement/refund # 156 Part 1	Tax Map 264, Lot 3
lxvi.	Abatement/refund # 156 Part 2	Tax Map 264, Lot 4
lxvii.	Abatement/refund # 156 Part 3	Tax Map 264, Lot 5
lxviii.	Abatement/refund # 156 Part 4	Tax Map 264, Lot 33
lxix.	Abatement/refund # 156 Part 5	Tax Map 217, Lot 106-6
lxx.	Abatement/refund # 158	Tax Map 217, Lot 127
lxxi.	Abatement/refund # 160	Tax Map 241, Lot 3

## B. Notices of Intent to Cut Wood or Timber

- i. Cowper Road Tax Map 59 Lot 1
- ii. College Road Tax Map 116, Lot 13

Chairman Silk suggested the Assessing Department to send a notice to the loggers reminding them they need to seek approval of Intent to Cut Wood or Timber before they actually do the cutting. She also questioned #3 on the Property Tax Abatement refunds regarding Kingwood Golf course, is it a paper correction since there were massive changes last year.

Mr. Wiley replied that the change is in regards to a coding error on the tax card, which was pricing it as Crescent Lake zone. He noted they had similar issues on other cards that have been corrected.

Chairman Silk stated Property Tax Abatement/refund #99 part 9 had a lot of corrections, but yet another case with the same tax abatements had not been changed.

Mr. Wiley replied this was a correction to the hanger as it was on the wrong lot.

Chairman Silk stated it was confusing with all the deductions.

Mr. Wiley explained that when Grand View Estates started they did not have sales to go on and they used listing prices in the beginning, but those prices were inflated as it was to an exclusive development and overtime the development has not taken off. He feels the values provided now are a fair assessment.

Mrs. Murray questioned if they bring the cards out when doing the assessments as #159 has an obvious photo of a shed that should be obvious of its value.

Mr. Wiley replied they do, but the people doing the foot work are not that same as the data entry people.

Mr. Senecal agrees with Mrs. Murray's comment, but noted although the building seems invaluable, it does have a value as pre-existing/non-conforming.

Mrs. Murray stated she would like to suggest when they send out the notices this year to provide correct information to prevent the same mistakes as last time.

## <u>Member Linda Murray moved the Wolfeboro Board of Selectmen to approve the Bulk Vote items listed</u> <u>above. Dave Senecal seconded. Members voted and being none opposed the motion passed.</u>

# Any Other Business

# A. Property Tax Refund/abatement letter to Board

Chairman Silk stated Bill & Lori Tappan and Daniel Donahue sent a letter to the Board in regards to their property tax refund/abatements. She questioned how the Board would like to handle those letters.

The Board authorized the Assessing Department to provide a response to them in writing.

# **Questions from the Public**

None.

## **Questions from the Press**

None.

Being no further business before the Board, Chairman Silk entertained a motion to adjourn.

<u>Member Dave Senecal moved the Wolfeboro Board of Selectmen to adjourn at 7:01 PM. Member Chuck</u> <u>Storm seconded. Being none opposed, the motion passed.</u>

Respectfully submitted, Amelia Capone-Muccio Recording Secretary