SELECTMEN'S MEETING MINUTES

April 09, 2018

The meeting opened at 7:00 PM with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Attendees included Margo Santoro, Selectperson, Christopher Madden, Chairman of Selectmen, Charles Fosberry, Selectman, James Coffey, Town Administrator, Harry Power, Compliance Officer and Patricia Putnam, Administrative Assistant. Several members of the public were in attendance.

The budget hearing was opened.

Chris Madden read each article and the following were asked:

Doug Summerton asked what the tax rate would be – Jim Coffey said the town's portion would be held to within \$.05.

Bob Fee asked about the Fire Department's request for a boat – would that price include a motor? Steve McGerty explained that the motor would be purchased with the funds from selling the old boat.

Charlie Fosberry suggested searching for a more economical boat and Steve McGerty will get together with Charlie to investigate alternatives.

Geri Bailey remembered a scary situation with the boat.

Doug Summerton asked about the railing for the town hall steps. Jim Coffey said he is researching the railing and it should be installed once the frost if out of the ground. Mary Lou Stymest said the pipe should be solid instead of hollow to prevent rust. Jim Coffey reviewed the revenue projections.

The hearing closed at 8:28.

Respectfully submitted

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