

**Board of Selectmen
Meeting Minutes
June 14, 2017**

6:30 PM: Open Meeting
Quorum present: Peter Skorput (PS), Chair; Curt Wilton (CW); Bernie Fallon (BF). Also present: AdminAsst Mark Webber (AA).
Press present: Local Yokel.

Board approves previous meeting minutes
Board approves weekly warrants.

7:00 PM: PS opens the regular portion of the meeting.

Action/Discussion Items:

- Board reviews upcoming 6-26-17 Special Town meeting warrant. Warrant was posted on Monday, June 12 at 2:00 PM and signed by a quorum of the Board.
- Board notes that the continuation of a previous Rent Control Board hearing has been scheduled for July 17 at 7:00 PM.
- Following a discussion by the Board on the three finalists interviewed for the open Highway Department position, CW makes a motion to hire Zachary Levesque. BF seconds the motion. Vote taken, 3-0 in favor. CW notes that all three finalists were impressive but Mr. Levesque stood out because he holds the required licenses while the other do not. BF also was impressed with Zachary, who was his first choice and also noted that the Board was lucky to have a tough choice. PS made the choice unanimous as he also ranked Zachary as the best candidate. AA will put an employment package together and meet with Zachary shortly.
- Following a review, Board approves and signs a Chapter 90 road funds request to continue the paving project on Rte. 41. CW notes that the job will start near the intersection of Cobb Road and continue 1.2 miles to the north. The project estimate is \$240,000 which will be reimbursed by the Commonwealth from the Town's \$300,000 current balance in Chapter 90 funds. The project will be done in the 'cold in place' method.
- Board approves temporary signage as in past years for artists events.
- Board approves Rotary Club request to use town roads for a bike and fly fund raising event on August 19th.
- BF states that he spoke with the Town's liability insurance carrier and was informed that the town has full coverage for any injury occurring on the public restroom property as it is considered a town owned property and is no different than any other.
- Board discussed hiring an employee to clean the public bathrooms on weekends; Saturday from opening at 8:00AM to Sunday evening at 10:00 PM. A job description will be written. Board discussed it as a very part-time position; approximately 1.5 hours each weekend day. Employee would be treated as a 1099 employee.

7:30 PM: With no additional business to come before the Board, PS makes a motion to adjourn. BF seconds the motion. Vote taken, 3-0 in favor.

Meeting minutes approved by:

Peter Skorput, Chair

Curt Wilton

Bernie Fallon

Date: _____