

THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING OCTOBER 16, 2000

The Board of Selectman Meeting was opened at 7:03 p.m. The following members were present: Chairman Leslie Davis, Vice Chairman Kenneth Gikas, Lincoln E. Barber III, and Executive Secretary Alden Jefts.

Correspondence

There is a public hearing on October 23rd with the Planning Board regarding the review of Killeney Woods as a public way.

There was a letter read from the Chestnut Hill Meeting House and Cemetery Association thanking the Board of Selectman for the Proclamation they made regarding Pennies for Preservation, etc.

There was a letter from the BMRS Committee regarding the 21 Million dollars they are financing to build the new Middle School in Blackstone. There will be a vote to incur our portion of the debt. The Board would like to have a joint session with Blackstone. Al Jefts will set up a meeting.

There is a Driving into the Future show regarding alternate vehicles on October 26th at the Boxboro Holiday Inn.

Letter regarding Energy savings. Estimated savings in 2000 is \$761.00.

Executive Secretary's Report

Regarding the rotting siding on the police station, the Board will get quotes to fix and bring back to the Board to approve.

Lincoln Barber had a discussion regarding Cork Circle signs.

Al Jefts attended Central Mass. Resource meeting regarding Merc Emmissions.

Meeting set for Tuesday, October 31st at 9:00 a.m. with Comm. Amorello, Senator Moore, Rep. Kujawski and Mass. Highway Personnel. Meeting to be held at site location. Currently there is no pedestrian right of way, they need barriers.

The Woonsocket Call put Town Hall numbers in the paper. Al is trying to fix the message on the machine.

There was a vote made to place article on Special Town Meeting to change from Calendar year to Fiscal Calendar year for the Town report to be published. Ken Gikas

made the Motion and Lincoln added the dates need to be on it. And he seconded it. The Dates are July 1st to June 30th. There was a unanimous vote.

There were three bids for the Washed Sand contract. There was a vote to give the contract to Material Sand and Stone of N. Smithfield, RI with a \$5/yd pick up and \$7.94/yd delivered. Ken Gikas made the Motion, and Lincoln Barber III, seconded it. There was a unanimous vote.

Old Business

October 10th there was a meeting in Blackstone with PAWS for Pets. It was a no show. So we will go with just Dog Orphans.

There have been no responses yet regarding Frosty's Bay Report.

New Business

The Board set the date of December 4, 2000 as the date for the Override Election. Lincoln Barber III made the Motion, and Ken Gikas seconded it. The Board needs to notify the Regional School Committee.

Attached to the Minutes is a list of articles that were read to the Board that are on the agenda for the Special Town Meeting.

The Board set the first Public Hearing Dates for the Cable Renewal on Wednesday, November 1st and the second on November 15th at 7:00 p.m. at the Longfellow Community Center. Ken Gikas made Motion and Lincoln Barber 2nd it. There was a unanimous vote. The Cable Committee will submit survey and the Board of Selectman will look over it.

There was a 5 minute recess while the tapes were changed.

Good and Welfare

Coleen had a question regarding the no right on red issue in the center of town. The Board will discuss at October 31st Meeting. She also had question regarding the addition of the technical school whether it was academic or shop related? The Board didn't know at this time.

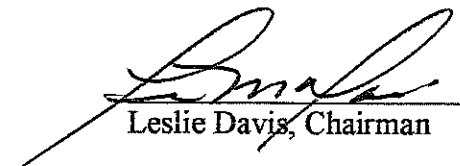
Chief Mullaly had discussion regarding the community and awarding their participation in safety and fire prevention.

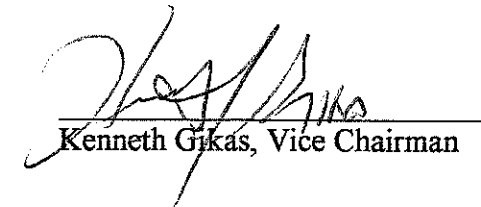
The Motion to Recess and to go into Executive Session was made by Ken Gikas and Seconded by Lincoln Barber III. Meeting was recessed at 8:34 p.m. on a roll-call vote: Ken Gikas Aye, Leslie Davis Aye, Lincoln Barber Aye.

The Board made motion to adjourn. Motion to adjourn was made by Lincoln Barber III, 2nd by Ken Gikas. Meeting was adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,


Hollie J. Andrews, Recorder


Leslie Davis, Chairman


Kenneth Gikas, Vice Chairman

C. Althea Czarn

Jennifer Dean


Lincoln E. Barber III

Alden Jefts, Executive Secretary