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## THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING JULY 16, 2001

The Board of Selectmen Meeting was opened at 6:33 p.m. The following members were present: Chairman Jennifer Dean, Lincoln E. Barber III, Leslie Davis, Mike Pare, and Executive Secretary Alden Jefts.

### Correspondence

There was a lengthy discussion regarding the bridge project between Al Jefts and Mike Pare.

Lincoln Barber wanted to know about the Preferred Auto Letter. He was informed that a letter went out stating that they had 45 days to reduce the number of cars to 10 and 90 days for all the cars to be removed from the property.

There was a letter read by Jennifer Dean from Rymer and Brownstein that they will put in the file for this year and next year.

There was a letter from Senator Moore regarding Central Street.

Jennifer Dean asked Al Jefts to make sure that all elected officials know of the option to join the Worcester Retirement System.

### Executive Secretary's Report

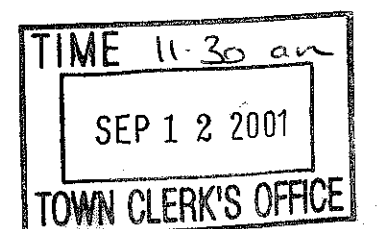
Al Jefts gave a report to the Board regarding the ADA work being done. The elevator is being installed and the landing and rails are also being put in.

There was a discussion regarding the live transmission of the Selectmen and other meetings being held in the Selectmen's Meeting Room. There was some concerns regarding moving the control box from the dispatchers office to the Town Hall. The Board decided that the character generator should stay at the dispatcher's office. Also both cameras will be able to be used the still and manned camera.

The new Certified Mail Procedure will go as follows, the secretaries will pick up the slip from the post office, call the committee member and have them sign for it themselves.

### Recognition of Kevin Kenney

Kevin Kenney was presented with an award for being chosen the Millville Youth of the Year. Jennifer Dean read the award to him. Kevin thanked the town, and introduced the director of the BM B&G Club. The Director then gave the Stick up For Kids Award to John Dean.



#### 7:00 PM Wellness Presentation

There was a Wellness Presentation given by Bill Hoover of Human Resources. He gave a ten minute presentation regarding health promotion programs under the wellness act. The Board will discuss and have the Fire and Police will meet with Bill.

There was a recess called at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of holding a Special Town Meeting. There was not a quorum present so the meeting was not held. The rescheduled meeting will be held on Monday, August 6, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. at the Millville Elementary School.

The Board of Selectmen's meeting was resumed at 7:48 p.m. Les Davis had to leave.

#### Old Business

Al gave a report of the progress of the work being done by Verizon and Bridge work. He also said that the whistle wire will be moved. He also spoke about the Police Station project. It will be scraped, primed and painted.

Al informed the Board that we can obtain a cabinet for the cable equipment for free.

Mike Pare spoke about the bridge saying that the access is not great. Jennifer Dean agreed that the emergency vehicles need to get better access.

#### New Business

There is an advertisement for a new Assistant Animal Control Officer on cable. It is advertised for \$1500/yr. Al will send a letter to Romeo regarding this issue.

The Assessors office needs a new copier. The present one will cost about \$300 To fix. There was a discussion between Al and the Board regarding spending at the town hall.

The Board decided to put the item of 181 Main Street Tax Title Property on for the next meeting.

The new web page address is [www.millvillema.org](http://www.millvillema.org). It will have an announcement section for meetings.

The phone system is being worked on. There is a complaint in to Verizon. It will be fixed by tomorrow morning.

Mike Pare brought up the signs needed for Cork Circle. No one can get a hold of the developer. There was a gentlemen who spoke regarding this issue and the safety of the children in his neighborhood. Mike Pare will talk to the police and the planning board.

Good and Welfare

Mrs. Ryan thanked Mike Pare for getting \$580 thousand dollars back to the town. She spoke of the possibility of having a Christmas Train that goes through Millville and the citizens should be able to ride it free. The Board will write a letter to the Railway company.

Margaret Carroll spoke of the needed change to the Preston Street detour sign.

Jennifer Dean spoke about Tyler's heart surgery benefit. She said that it was a great event and thanked the town and said that anyone could still donate to this fund.


Mike Pare spoke of another benefit for this same purpose on August 11, 2001 from 3-7 at the Community Center given by the Women's Club it will be Chowder and Clam Cakes. It is all you can eat for \$5 adults, \$2.50 kids. Please come.

The Board voted on signing the minutes. Motion to sign the minutes of June 25, April 23, and 7, 2001 was made Mike Pare and seconded by Jennifer Dean. Unanimous vote. Motion to sign the minutes of May 21 and 30, 2001 was made by Mike Pare and seconded by Lincoln Barber. It was a unanimous vote. There was a motion to accept the minutes of June 18, 2001 with correction made by Mike Pare and seconded by Lincoln Barber and it was a unanimous vote.

The Board signed the warrants and contract for the border survey.

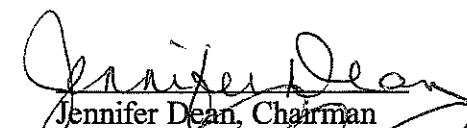

The Board made motion to adjourn. Motion to adjourn was made by Lincoln Barber, and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jennifer Dean. Meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
Hollie J. Andrews, Recorder

  
Lincoln E. Barber III, Vice Chairman

  
Leslie Davis

  
Jennifer Dean, Chairman  
  
Mike Pare, Secretary

  
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