



TOWN OF
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Minutes
Board of Selectmen
Monday, July 19, 2010

Selectmen Linda Saari, Clarence Farwell, Kevin Gorgoglione, Tad Putney and Jack Flanagan were present.

Energy Agreement

Kevin moved, seconded by Tad to authorize Linda to sign the EECBGA to upgrade lighting fixtures in the town and school buildings. Voted yes 3-1; Jack voted no and Clarence abstained. We will check whether Hollis excluded section 14.5 per LGC's requirement before sending it in.

Budgets

Possible areas to find money to offset the over expenditure of the legal budget are as follows:

Fire Dept. - Charlie Corey and Dave Santuccio were in to say they expect to under spend the salary line item for the sprinkler inspector by **\$2,000**. Their problem is that they are over in the oil and maintenance line item. The engineers will be asked to hold off on the insulation of the roof until December 1st and check in with the Board of Selectmen at that time before proceeding with the project.

Executive – **\$1,500** in tax maps and **\$2,500** for professional consultants;

Revaluation of Property - **\$6,000** in updates;

Planning & Zoning - **\$4,500** in Outside consulting services, **\$250** in Recording fees; **\$500** in office equipment and **\$500** in NRPC Consulting services.

Gen. Gov's Buildings – Town Hall - **\$6,000** in Maintenance & Improvements; **Fire Dept.** - **\$5,000** in Maintenance & Improvements for insulating the roof; **Brusch Hall** - **\$3,000** in Maintenance & Improvements for Septic.

Ambulance - **\$1,000** in new equipment and **\$1,000** in volunteer training;

Sanitation - **\$7,500** in contracted services for the cover of the construction debris container.

Total potential saving is **\$41,250**.

Milford District Court

Guy Scaife, Milford Town Administrator negotiated a \$7,200 decrease in the rental amount for operating the Milford District Court for this year. He asked to verify Brookline's commitment of \$5,665.45 to cover this years cost. Milford is picking up Amherst's share. **Guy** suggested we contact our representatives, senator and Attorney General's Office that they are in violation of RSA 502-A:1, XIX which states "The Milford district shall consist of the towns of Milford, Brookline, Amherst, Mason, Wilton, Lyndeborough and Mont Vernon. The district court for the district shall be located in Milford, holding sessions regularly therein and elsewhere in the district as justice may require. The name of the court shall be Milford District Court." A letter will be drafted and emailed.

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Kevin moved, seconded by Jack to approve the minutes of June 28th. Voted yes 4-0; Tad abstained. Jack moved, seconded by Tad to approve the minutes of July 12th. Voted yes 3-0; Clarence & Kevin abstained.

Tad moved, seconded by Jack to approve the non public session minutes of July 12th. Voted yes 3-0; Clarence & Kevin abstained.

Non Public Session

7:37 pm. - Linda moved, seconded by Tad to go into non public session under RSA 91-A: 3, II, (a) with Acting Police Chief Mike Kurland. Voted yes 5-0.

On returning to public session at 8:38 pm, Linda moved, seconded by Clarence to seal the minutes. Voted yes 5-0.

Police

Mike reported the following:

He received the 3rd defibrillator.

Neighborhood Watch meeting is Wednesday night at 7 pm. at the fire station.

Mike filed a claim with LGC for the engine in a cruiser.

The DWI patrol will be this Friday and Saturday night.

LGC is still working on a policy for surveillance cameras.

Mike needs to purchase two bullet proof vests.

Mike was contacted by the post office that people are parking in the handicapped parking space. The main problem is between noon and 1 pm. when the post office is closed but the lobby is open. He said the fine is \$310 and questioned whether we should have an ordinance with a lower amount such as \$50 or \$75. The police department will keep an eye on the situation.

Signs

Tad said he reviewed the sign ordinance which doesn't address temporary signs. **Kevin** said the planning board is looking at the sign ordinance for possible changes due to the number of businesses in one location. The selectmen suggested if the building inspector is talking to an owner, he may inform them their sign may be in violation and the planning board is looking to make changes to the sign ordinance. **Linda** said if signs are blocking the view, the building inspector should address the issue.

Route 13 – Cars

The Selectmen agreed the building inspector should send a letter to the owner of lot D-30 regarding the number of unregistered, uninspected vehicles at 237 Route 13.

Police Chief Search Committee

Jack said the Search Committee is going well.

Insurance

Jack said he was invited to attend a meeting on Wednesday with the school district to review insurance options.

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Gen. Business

Approved warrants for payment.
Meeting adjourned at 9:35 pm.
Minutes submitted by Rena Duncklee.

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Clarence L. Farwell

Kevin J. Gorgoglione

Tad Putney

Jack B. Flanagan