

Town of Hartford
Selectmen's Meeting
November 1, 2012
Minutes

6:45pm Public Hearing G/A maximums

Meeting to begin at 7pm @ town office

Present: Selectmen Lee Holman and Zoe Cowett, Town Clerk Lianne Bedard, EM Director Tom Standard, and resident Morrill Nason.

Lee called the public hearing to order at 6:45pm and explained the changes to the General Assistance ordinance.

- I. Lee called the meeting to order at 7:07pm.
- II. Reports
 - a. Road Report: Selectmen reviewed one complaint.
 - b. CEO Report: Selectmen reviewed one permit.
 - c. ACO Report: Lee stated that a beagle was taken to the shelter on October 9th and has not been claimed. The dog has developed a sore foot since its arrival at the shelter. The shelter is requesting permission to euthanize the dog or permission to have the foot treated by a veterinarian. Lee motioned to allow the veterinarian to treat the dog. Lee second. All in favor=2. Lee will contact the shelter.
 - d. Planning Board Report:.
 - e. RSU 10 Director Report: Lee attended the last school board meeting and reported that the directors voted to accept the race to the top grant.
- III. Unfinished business
 - a. Special town meeting warrant: Lee motioned to hold a special town meeting on January 19, 2013 at 9am. Morrill suggested not asking the voters to approve the acceptance of the school building even though it was recommended by MMA Legal services. Tabled.
- IV. Open session
 - a. Zoe motioned to name a new drive off Main Street Copperhead Lane. Lee second. All in favor=2.
 - b. Selectmen agreed that a benefit dance planned for November 24th will be required to provide insurance since alcohol will be on the premises.
 - c. Morrill asked if a permit was given for work done on Map R3 Lot 21. Lee answered that a permit was approved.
 - d. Morrill suggested that the CEO visit the lumbering operation on Bear Pond Road.

- e. Lee was told that the stoves in the hall were not working. The maintenance person is to check to see if the burners can be replaced. Lee suggested spending money from the goodwill supper donations to purchase a new stove.
 - f. Lee stated that the selectmen's letter was not included in the most recent newsletter and suggested that the board redo the letter and send it with the special town meeting notice.
- V. New Business
- 1. G/A maximum adoption: Lee motioned to adopt the changes. Zoe second. All in favor=2.
 - 2. Laura Fogg Irish donation: Lee motioned to approve \$500.00 each to two residents in their time of need. Zoe second. All in favor=2.
 - 3. EMA Discussion: Tom reported that other towns may adopt a neighbor's care program next year to take on the responsibilities of his position as EM Director since he will be retiring from the position.
- VI. Lee motioned to approve the October 18, 2012 selectmen minutes. Zoe second. All in favor=2.
- VII. Lee motioned to approve Warrants 28, 29, 30, 31, & 32. Zoe second. All in favor=2.
- VIII. Selectmen reviewed correspondence
- IX. The meeting was adjourned at 8:31pm.

Minutes approved by:

Lee Holman
Lee Holman

11-15-12
Date

Zoe Cowett
Zoe Cowett

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Date