



BOARD OF
SELECTMEN
MEETING
MINUTES

November 13, 2017
5:30 pm

Plympton Town House
New Meeting Room

5:30 Selectman Christine Joy called the Open Session to order.

Present: Selectmen Christine Joy (CJ), John Traynor (JT), & Mark Russo

By rollcall vote the BOS adjourned to Executive Session (MGL 30a §21)

- Purpose 2 to discuss strategy regarding contract negotiations

6:00 Selectman Chair Christine Joy called the Open Session to order.

Present: Board of Selectmen (BOS), Christine Joy (CJ), John Traynor, & Mark Russo (MR).

Selectmen's Assistant Briggette Martins.

Updates & Discussions:

- White Board installation completed and small demonstration made by JT
- Elizabeth Dennehy, Town Administrator visited the Town House and attended the Thanksgiving Feast at the Dennett. Repairs to the bathroom in the Administrators office will require a plumber. The Selectmen's Assistant will speak to Steve Sarro, Maintenance Dept.
- Fire & EMS Consultants MRI met with individuals for interviews for the pending study. Report will follow after completion.
- Discussion of an Outdoor Recreation Plan. Grant money available for new projects or renovations to parks in town. BOS will invite the Recreation Committee when the Master Plan for Town House Buildings is completed.
- BOS Assistant informed BOS there is no bylaw in place for non-profit solicitations. Surrounding towns do not allow it but use their own discretion if the money being raised would be to benefit the Town.
- Housing Production Committee survey results are complete and will be discussed at their next meeting on 11/15/17 and a final plan will be submitted.
- JT updated the Selectmen on his meeting with Jon Wilhelmsen & Jessika Kingsman regarding the renovations to the Old Town House (Plympton Historical Society) and what the Town's responsibility vs the Historical Society is for maintenance and upkeep of the building and grounds. CPC will me meeting on 11/21/17 to discuss a project to help with renovations. The BOS are the keepers of the buildings and approved a lock box to be purchased and installed to the back door of the Plympton Historical Building by Steve Sarro.

Vote: CJ made motion to approve the purchase of a lock box for the Historical Building.

Second JT. 3/0.

- Assistant Assessor job position will be posted to the website, Clerk's office, Town House, and MAA.

Correspondence:

- Warrants
- MMA Conference dates January 19 & 20, 2018 deadline to join 1/10/17
- Police Officer Daniel Clark recognition as an AAA Traffic Safety Hero from SSS Northeast.



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- MR will participate in a conference call on 11/20/17 at 1:30pm regarding the Electrical Aggregation Plan. Colonial Power Group will advise on the signing of the Plan.

Vote: MR made motion to speak with Town Counsel if Colonial Group advises before signing. Second JT. 3/0.

- Plympton Halifax Express 11/10/17

Goals

- Public Safety worked on the revised budget for the Public Safety Building Complex. They will be meeting on 11/29
- CJ applied for Efficiency and Regionalization grant available. Charlie Seelig BOS from Halifax submitted a letter of support.

Dates to Remember:

- BOS regular Open Session 11/20 & 11/27
- Town House will be closed 11/23 Thanksgiving

Minutes

- 11/06/17 ES

Vote: CJ made motion to approve 11/06/17 ES minutes as written. Second JT. 3/0.

- 11/09/17 ES

Vote: CJ made motion to approve 11/09/17 ES minutes as written. Second JT. 3/0.

Selectmen Rants & Raves

Selectmen Vote to Adjourn at 7:00pm: Motion made by CJ. Second, John Traynor, 3/0 Meeting Adjourned 7:00pm

Respectfully Submitted by Brigette D. Martins, Board of Selectmen Assistant