

November 20, 2017 6:00 pm

Plympton Town House New Meeting Room

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:

- Elizabeth Dennehy, the new Town Administrator visited the Town House and local landmark areas in town. Repairs to the bathroom in the Administrators office will begin Friday, December 1st. BOS approved the purchase of a new laptop for use by the Town Administrator.
- Electrical Aggregation decision was made to commit to an electrical aggregation plan. The residents will have the option to Opt-Out. New rates take effect January 1, 2018.
- BOS reviewed the Green Community application. Selectmen's Assistant will pull the report for electric bills and email Fire, Police & Highway departments for fuel reports.
- BOS received a letter of support from Halifax BOS, Charlie Seelig regarding the Efficiency and Regionalization Grant.
- Ocker's finished the wiring for the White Board in the Large Meeting Room.
- Community Preservation Committee will be meeting on 11/21/17 to discuss the renovation on the Old Town House.
- Assistant Assessor employment opportunity at the Town House is posted on the website, Town House, and MAA. Resume's will be sent to the BOS Assistant and forwarded to the Assessor's Office. Deb Stuart has fully resigned as of 11/17/17. The Assessor's will meet with the BOS on 11/27 to discuss and set the tax rate.

Correspondence:

- Warrants
- Email from Treasurer's Office regarding Monday night Town House hours be changed from 6-8 to 5-7 as a convenience to residents. A survey of surrounding towns along with statements from residents was reviewed. BOS Assistant will speak to other departments. BOS will review on 11/27/17.
- Jeff Randall, Hayward Co LLC, emailed the BOS Assistant that he will not be renewing the expiring Gravel permit. The permit will expire on 12/20/17. The BOS will request a site visit to finalize.
- Town Clerk submitted a copy of the approval letter of Article 29 from the Plympton Annual Town Meeting of May 1, 2017 sent by the Commonwealth of Mass Attorney General.
- Plympton Halifax Express 11/17/17

Dates to Remember:

- BOS & BOA Tax Classification Hearing 11/27/17 7:00pm
- BOS regular Open Session 11/27 6:00
- Town House will be closed 11/23 Thanksgiving



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Minutes

• 11/6/17 Open

Vote: CJ made motion to approve 11/6/17 Open Session as amended. Second JT, 3/0.

• 11/13/17 Open

Vote: CJ made motion to approve 11/13/17 Open Session as amended. Second JT, 3/0.

• 11/13/17 ES

Vote: CJ made motion to approve 11/13/17 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

Respectively Submitted by Briggette D. Martins, Board of Selectmen Assistant