

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

JUNE 5, 2006

MEMORIAL BUILDING

4:30 P.M.

The following are to be considered draft minutes only until approved by the Board at their next meeting.

This was a meeting scheduled and publicly noticed to review abatement applications.

Present: Neal Huntoon, George McCusker, and Bob Anderson.

Abatements: Ed Tinker from Avitar Associates and George Hildum the assessor for the town were present to review abatement applications and review their recommendations with the Board of Selectmen.

The Board discussed the recommendations with George and Ed. Bob moved to accept the recommendations presented, seconded by George and unanimously approved.

The Board discussed the Carpenter application. The abatement request was denied. The Board reviewed and agreed with the denial. Neal moved to allow Mr. Carpenter to make application to place the property in current use under the accident, mistake and misfortune clause, provided that the application be submitted to the Town by July 15, 2006. The motion was seconded by Bob and unanimously approved. This will not result in a change in 2005 tax assessment but will correct for final 2006 tax bill.

Abbondanza: Neal reported that Mr. Abbondanza had visited the Town Office requesting permission to haul material from the Sanborn Hill Road property to fix his septic system at his residence in Sutton. The Board discussed, moved and unanimously agreed not to allow the removal of any material from the property since the conditions of approval for the Site Plan Review have not been met. Attorney Smith will be contacted to notify Mr. Abbondanza through his attorney.

Police Report: Neal reviewed the police statistics report from the Police Department with an incident report comparison over the past 3 years. The Board agreed Tim should continue gathering data to support the addition of a full-time officer, and present the information to the Selectmen and Budget Committee.

Highway: Purchase orders were reviewed and signed for the Highway Department.

Recreation Field: Archie Weathers notified Bob that he was ready to schedule paving on the field. Verizon never notified PSNH that they had set a new pole. PSNH was contacted and hopes to have their equipment set on the new pole by the end of next week. Repeated attempts have been made to contact Verizon engineering division, but phone calls have not been returned. Janet is keeping Archie up to date on what is transpiring. The Board reviewed NERS cost's for the paving. They would like to meet with Archie at their June 13 meeting to discuss the estimates with him.

With no further business, the Board voted to adjourn at 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Janet Roberts,
Administrative Assistant