



*Town of Plaistow ♦ Board of Selectmen*  
*145 Main Street ♦ Plaistow ♦ NH ♦ 03865*

**PLAISTOW BOARD OF SELECTMEN MINUTES:**

**DATE:** February 1, 2016

**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:** 6:33 PM

**SELECTMEN:**

Selectman, Steve Ranlett, Chairman  
Selectman, Joyce Ingerson  
Selectman, Julian Kiszka

Selectman, John Sherman Vice Chairman  
Selectman, Tammy Bergeron  
Town Manager, Sean Fitzgerald

**AGENDA**

**MINUTES**

*J. Sherman motions to approve the minutes of 01-25-16. Second by J. Kiszka.*

*Vote: 5-0-0.*

*Motion passes.*

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

**2016 Deliberative Session – Review**

T. Bergeron inquires about the Citizens' Petition.

S. Ranlett states there was a resident who wanted to increase the dollar value to \$400,000. It is stated that legal counsel stated the petition is illegal; and can't be enforced.

J. Sherman notes the petitioners were not at the deliberative session, therefore limiting discussion on this warrant article.

J. Sherman notes that all the votes on the warrant articles were favorable. The Budget Committee did meet after the Deliberative Session to revote so that the warrant articles reflect the full Budget Committee votes.

**TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT**

Warrant Article review

S. Fitzgerald states that all warrant articles were reviewed by Town counsel and NH DRA. The intent section under each article has been in practice for decades.

S. Ranlett states that Plaistow is on the forefront for intents as other municipalities are now including them in their warrant articles.

J. Sherman mentions that all the warrant articles passed at the deliberative session.

Requests for Payment  
Assessor's Abatements  
Boy Scouts  
Public Safety Complex Open House  
EPA Shutdown of Beede Thermal Treatment  
Atkinson Dispatch  
NH DES MtBE Testing  
Plaistow Water Discussions  
Fire Suppression  
Planning Board  
Recreation  
LED Lights  
Annual Report

### **ACTION ITEM REVIEW**

Reviewed

### **OTHER BUSINESS**

J. Ingerson notes that she has seen a lot of residents walking and encourages them to wear bright clothing when walking around town.

### **SIGNATURE FOLDER**

S. Ranlett states the signature folder and manifest are going around.

### **SELECTMENS REPORTS**

J. Ingerson

- Cable meeting this week.
- Conservation meeting this week.

S. Ranlett

- Planning Board this week.
- Thursday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016 is the Deliberative Session for the School Department at the High School.

J. Kiszka

- Renewables Meeting will now be held the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of every month at 5:00pm.
- Attended Ballot testing last Friday.

J. Sherman

- Discussed the Ballot boxes.
- Active Shooter Training- He states the school and town have been working together and reads an email from Deputy Emergency Manager, Dennise Horrocks regarding the discussion of programs currently in effect.
- The Budget Committee did meet after deliberative session to re-vote on the warrant articles to have a full vote count listed on each one.
- Would like to schedule a time for all non public minutes to be reviewed.

T. Bergeron

- Family Mediation & Youth Services was cancelled.
- Attended Sunday morning's breakfast at the American Legion.
- Attended the Old Home Day Committee Meeting.
- Has heard complaints of loud noises and explosions at Old County Road in the middle of the night and early morning. S. Fitzgerald has asked Chief Jones and Chief McArdle to investigate.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:20 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Gayle Hamel  
Recording Secretary