

Minutes of the Selectmen's Work Session 29 January 2014

Members present: JoAnn Brown, Chairman, Jim Andersen

In attendance: Steve Leighton, via telephone

The meeting was called to order at 6:00PM.

The Selectmen read and approved minutes from the January 27 work session.

The Selectmen will prepare a Selectmen's letter as an insert for the March edition of the Strafford Community Calendar.

After some discussion 4 articles were removed from this year's proposed warrant. Without their inclusion, the overall proposed budget and warrant articles present only a 5% increase over last year. Windfall revenues in 2013 have caused this increase to appear higher than it actually is.

The Selectmen's Office will schedule a meeting with Mr. Durfee from DuBois & King on February 18, 2014 to discuss the Crown Point bridge project. They will contact our Road Agent and ask him to be in attendance.

The draft of the Town Warrant is being reviewed by the NHDRA and will be ready, along with revised budget forms for the next work session which is scheduled for Monday February 3, 2014 at 2:30PM.

No petition articles have been received to date, although one is expected.

There being no further business to be brought before the Board a motion was made, seconded, and voted to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 6:30PM.