

Selectmen's Work Session

March 9, 2021

In attendance: Scott Young, Chairman and Brian Monahan

The Selectmen's work session was called to order at 2:00PM.

The Selectmen spent time reviewing budget information, past and proposed, in preparation for questions that might arise at the upcoming Town Meeting. They reviewed the percent of increase in the various budgets. Based on the proposed budget and estimated revenues, the estimated tax rate will be \$4.35. Information outlining the impact of all warrant articles had been prepared by the Selectmen's Office and was reviewed. The increase, and possible continued increase, in the price of fuel was discussed along with suggestions for addressing it.

The Selectmen reviewed the planned amendment for Article 21.

Mr. Young and Mr. Monahan reviewed the PowerPoint for Town Meeting and made some suggestions for changes. Logistics of the upcoming Town Meeting with the outdoor audience were also discussed.

The warrant article for the Bridge CRF appropriation was discussed. School buses turn around before the Barn Door Gap bridge. Any children who ride the bus are brought to the bus. It has always been this way; there is no room for the bus to turn around past the bridge.

A pending legal matter was briefly reviewed.

It was moved, seconded and voted to adjourn the work session. The work session ended at 3:20PM.