

Minutes of Public Hearing/Selectmen's Meeting

4 March 2008

Members present: R. Stephen Leighton, Chairman, JoAnn Brown and Lynn Sweet.

Public hearing was opened at 6:00 P.M.

This public hearing is being held pursuant to RSA 31:95-c to review an article to be voted on at the March 22, 2008 Town Meeting, proposing to re-allocate the distribution of all revenues received for ambulance services.

Notice of this public hearing was published in Foster's Daily Democrat on February 21, 2008 and posted at the Town Office and Post Office.

James Andersen attended.

Article 9 was read as follows: "To see if the Town will vote to re-allocate the distribution of revenues received for ambulance services, so that only 50% goes to the special revenue fund known as the Rescue Vehicle and Equipment Fund, with the remaining 50% to be placed in the revolving fund to be created for the purpose of ambulance services by Article 10."

There were no questions.

A motion was made, seconded and voted to close the public hearing. The public hearing was closed at 6:10 P.M.

Selectmen's meeting was held directly after the close of the public hearing.

Board reviewed bid advertisement for the 1979 Kenworth Fire Truck, as requested by the Fire Department. Board set the due date for bids to be received and opened on April 1, 2008 at 6:00 P.M. at the Town Office. Board directed advertisement to be forwarded to Foster's next week.

After review and consideration, a motion was made, seconded and voted to approve the minutes taken at the following work session and meetings of the Board: 1/3/08, 1/10/08, 1/15/08, 1/18/08, 2/4/08, 2/5/08, 2/12/08 work session, 2/12/08 budget hearing and 2/19/08.

Appointment slips were signed for Harmony Anderson (Conservation Comm.), JoAnn Brown (Conservation Comm.), Charles Moreno (Planning Board) and Donald Rhodes (Planning Board).

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Continued progress on the compilation of information pertaining to comparisons of tax rates, office traffic, estimated costs associated with the operation/maintenance of the proposed building (incl. heat and electricity, cable, maintenance) compared to the existing building was discussed.

There being no further business before the Board a motion was made, seconded and voted to adjourn. The meeting was adjourned at 6:25 P.M.