

Minutes of the Selectmen's Work Session 27 January 2014

Members present: JoAnn Brown, Chairman, Jim Andersen
In attendance: Steve Leighton, via telephone, Diane Waldron

The meeting was called to order at 9:10AM.

The Selectmen read and approved minutes from the January 21st meeting with one correction.

There was lengthy discussion about several aspects of the budget which have not been finalized. They assessed the tax impact of the various departmental budgets and warrant article requests with the estimated revenues being somewhat less than last year. The Board unanimously agreed to reevaluate the proposed increase in the Road Agent's budget due to winter conditions until Town Meeting. Some suggestions were offered for parking lot lighting at the Town Office and those ideas will be further investigated.

Several personnel questions were posed and discussion followed about their implementation. The Selectmen will present a warrant article to raise the salary of the Town Treasurer due to the increased work load involved with processing credit and debit card payments.

The Selectmen will hold a work session for further budget discussion on Wednesday, January 29th at 6:00PM.

There being no further business to be brought before the Board a motion was made, seconded, and voted to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 11:02AM.