Minutes of the Selectmen's Meeting January 23, 2024

Members Present: Lynn Sweet, Chair; Chris Garcia, Brian Monahan

In attendance: Police Chief Randy Young

The Selectmen's Meeting was called to order at 1PM. The Selectmen approved payroll and the payment of invoices. The minutes from the January 16th Work Session were considered and approved. Miscellaneous correspondence was read.

The Selectmen turned their attention to the 2024 budget, analyzing every line item from each department and discussing possible expenditures. Considerations were also made for personnel compensations. The Selectmen voted to use the same cost of living increase (3.2%) as the federal government.

The meeting was recessed at 1:45.

The Selectmen's meeting resumed at 2:48PM to continue reviewing each department's needs. Police Chief Young came in to report that he has located a new cruiser and will be replacing the oldest cruiser in the fleet which is in need of mechanical repairs. The Selectmen voted that the old cruiser be used as a trade-in towards the purchase of the new cruiser.

The Board will have a work session on Tuesday, January 30th in order to solidify budget matters.

With no further business to discuss, a motion was made, seconded, and voted on to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 3:17PM.