

## Minutes of the Selectmen's Work Session March 11, 2025

Members Present: Lynn Sweet, Chair; Chris Garcia

In Attendance: Steve Leighton, Police Chief Randy Young, Scott Young, Tax Collector Terri Marsh

The work session was called to order at 1:00PM.

The Selectmen discussed at length procedural matters and reviewed the Power Point presentation for Town Meeting. The Board discussed the misinformation being given on Facebook. Steve Leighton, who was in attendance, emphasized the fact the tax rate cannot be calculated and the Town won't know until the fall. Several factors go in to calculating the tax rate and there's no magic wand.

The Board composed and signed a letter confirming that a unanimous vote was taken at the February 4<sup>th</sup> meeting concerning the Police Department's grant for the body cameras. This letter was necessary because the vote had not been documented in the approved minutes.

Terri Marsh, Tax Collector, briefly met with the Board to discuss correspondence she received back from the Town attorney answering her concerns about a property with a large tax lien. It was agreed that the Selectmen will set up an appointment with the property owner for their next meeting to discuss the situation and to relay the Board's demands to get the lien paid in a timely manner.

The minutes of the March 4<sup>th</sup> Selectmen's Meeting were read and approved. The Selectmen also reviewed correspondence from a resident offering his thoughts on the 2025 proposed budget.

With no further business at this time, the work session adjourned at 1:48PM.