



Board of Selectmen Minutes  
October 30, 2019

- 6) Selectmen authorize the Historical Commission to work with the Moulton Family in inscribing 5 names of the Revolutionary War soldiers who died on the Soldier's monument on the Common.

Motion: Mike McCallum                      Seconded: Scott Sweeney                      Vote: Unan

Town Hall Sign Placement Discussion: Discussion as to where the new sign should be placed. Out near the road or placed on the building. Someone offered to donate granite posts and someone offered to donate installing it. Suggestions were out near the Police Station sign or centered on the building.

- 7) Selectmen appoint David Nadeau and Cathy Biliouris to a Sign Committee to come up with a couple of designs for placement of the Town Hall sign; Committee will consist of up to 5 people.

Motion: Mike McCallum                      Seconded: Scott Sweeney                      Vote: Unan

Regional Dispatch Discussion: MM mentioned we are looking into Regional Dispatch with Ashby Townsend & Pepperell primarily. MM spoke on the possibility of where the Dispatch Center could go after meeting with officials from the Town and Public Safety Building Project Manager & Architect. Also, how could they cut the price and include space for 911. SS suggested they start to find ways to pay for the public safety building. Discussion and suggestions on ways to cut the costs significantly were talked about.

- 8) Selectmen approve of the idea of fitting the Dispatch into the existing Conference Room Square Footage rather than having the approx. 600 sq. ft. dedicated space if we build the new Public Safety Bldg.

Motion: Mike McCallum                      Seconded: Scott Sweeney                      Vote: Unan

Public Comments: (if any):

Resident asked for an update on dumping issues on Log Cabin Road. They have been issued a cease and desist order. They have 30 days to appeal this to the ZBA and if the company involved appeals this ZBA will have a hearing. Selectmen explained Ashby's options for dealing with this through zoning enforcement. This is a DEP issue to enforce the composting permit DEP issued. SS read a Lowell newspaper clipping from 2009 in regards to Jeremy Ethier, who has the composting permit, failing to pay employees of his Apex Construction Company and he lost the court case. Resident asked questions about the puppy farm on South Road. MM said she was issued a cease and desist and she has appealed this to the ZBA who is holding a hearing.

Assistant Town Administrator's Report: Read by SS and available on Ashby Website

- 9) Motion to adjourn at 9:25 p.m.

Motion: Mike McCallum                      Seconded: Scott Sweeney                      Vote: Unan

Signed by: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates Minutes Approved by Board of Selectmen: \_\_\_\_\_