



TOWN OF BLANDFORD
Board of Selectmen Minutes
July 11, 2017

1. OPEN SESSION - 8:01 pm
Present were Adam Dolby, William Levakis and Cara Letendre
2. EXAMINATION OF RECORDS OF PREVIOUS MEETING
3. TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S UPDATE
4. ACTION ITEMS
 - a. Reappointments – tabled
 - b. Select Board Name Change – A name change to Select Board was being considered; however, a legal process needs to be gone through to change the name of the Selectmen to Select Board.
 - c. Town Employee Privacy – Some employees have been receiving phone calls at home during non-working hours. Calls should be directed to the BOS or staff during office hours. Employees should not give out phone numbers or personal information of town employees.
 - d. FRTA Advisory Board – FRTA provides van service to seniors on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The town used to have a FRTA representative, but no one has come forward to fill that slot. FRTA will be invited to come talk with the BOS.
 - e. Eversource Mower Agreement – the annual mowing agreement with Eversource was reviewed and signed.
 - f. Planning Board Resignation –
MOTION: A. Dolby made a motion to accept the resignation of Mary Mangini from the Planning Board.
B. Levakis seconded the motion
C. Letendre abstained
 - g. Assessor Resignation
MOTION: A. Dolby made a motion to accept Mary Mangini's resignation from the position of Assessor.
B. Levakis seconded the motion

C. Letendre abstained

h. Zoning Board Resignation -

MOTION: A. Dolby made a motion to accept Richard Barnard's resignation from the Zoning Board.

C. Letendre seconded the motion

All in favor

- i. COA Missing Items – Items purchased by COA have gone missing from the kitchen in the gym. All the flags and poles also cannot be located, and new items had to be purchased. A locker will be moved into the kitchen to store the COA's supplies.

5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

a. Special employees - tabled

b. Appointments

MOTION: A. Dolby made a motion to appoint Cameron Cammissa to the position of Full Time Highway Laborer.

C. Letendre seconded the motion

All in favor

MOTION: A. Dolby made a motion to accept the resignation of Carolyn Thomas Davis from the position of Treasurer.

C. Letendre seconded the motion

All in favor

MOTION: A. Dolby made a motion to appoint Sue Streeter to the position of Treasurer effective July 17, 2017 for a term of three years.

C. Letendre seconded the motion

All in favor

MOTION: A. Dolby made a motion to transfer \$500 from free cash to cover Tree Warden expenses.

C. Letendre seconded the motion

All in favor

6. NEW BUSINESS – The Selectmen Secretary position has become vacant as of July 17, 2017 and will be posted on the town website and in the local papers. The Water Secretary position that has been posted will be taken down.

7. ADJOURN MEETING – 8:31 p.m.

MOTION: A. Dolby moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion was adapted unanimously.

Submitted by: Sue Streeter

Adam Dolby – Chair

Cara Letendre - Clerk

William Levakis – Member