

*Town of Buxton
Minutes January 23, 2019 Selectmen's Meeting*

Recorded by Krystal Dyer

Members Present: Clifford L. Emery, Jean C. Harmon, Mark J. Blier and Chad E. Poitras

Members not in attendance: Dennis P. Santolucito

Others in attendance: David Harmon

The Selectman's meeting was called to order at 7:03 PM.

The Selectmen recited the pledge.

Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes

*Selectmen Meeting Minutes for January 16, 2019
Approved 4-0-1*

Discussion held between 4:00 & 7:00 PM

Recreation Director Nicole Welch was in reviewing a variety of budget items for her 2019/2020 fiscal budget. The Budget items are due by the first of February

The Board reviewed quotes to demolish buildings and remove debris from town owned properties. They will look into this further.

There are a couple Legislative bills that could affect the town of Buxton, the Board will get more information and report back.

Review of Correspondence

- *Email from Robert Hunt, Clerk of the House, RE: --the Weekly Legislative Report*
- *Email from Charter Communications RE: --Upcoming Changes*
- *SAD6 community are invited to attend the opening of the new science wing open house on Thursday January 24 from 5 to 6 pm.*

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Review of Projects and Issues

Selectman Blier spoke with resident regarding an abutter issue, hoping for a resolution.

He also attended the Comprehensive Plan Committee meeting on Monday, where they discussed a vacancy and election of officers. The Committee is still reviewing the possibilities with the open space behind town hall. Hoping to have some concrete plans approved by spring. The Committee continues to work on the Emery O Ranch. The next meeting is Monday, February 18 at 6:30PM

Selectman Poitras was able to answer questions from a resident in the Groveville area. He is happy the community members feel comfortable enough to call him regarding their town issues.

Selectman Poitras announced the Town of Buxton will be celebrating its 250th Anniversary 2020. We are starting a committee of residents willing to volunteer and take the initiative to follow it through. Please contact Selectman Poitras if interested. He would really like to consult with the committee members involved in the 1972 celebration.

Selectman Harmon attended Tuesdays Budget Committee meeting and she has been working with Tax Collector LeeAnn Pratt and Treasurer Kim Bean on verbiage with a new law regarding foreclosures and tax acquired property ordinance.

Selectman Harmon thanked her husband, David Harmon of CMP for collecting the information to restore a street light on the corner of Route 202 and Pease Rd.

Selectman Emery also attended the Budget Committee meeting and oversaw the completion of the Solid Waste Contract bid posting. The bids are due back on February 8th.

Selectman Emery announced that the Town of Buxton will assist the families involved in the Federal Shutdown. We can offer fuel assistance, food, Recreation programs, etc....if the need is there. Please contact Krystal Dyer.

Old Business

None

New Business

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None

Executive Orders

*E.O. 181901013– An order to approve 48 hours of vacation leave for John Myers
Approved 4-0-1*

*E.O. 181901014 -- An order to approve John Myers to attend International Institute of
Municipal Clerks Annual Meeting
Approved 4-0-1*

Executive Orders by Initiative

None

Accounts Payable and Payroll Warrants

*E.O. 181901011 – An order approving expenditures as documented in Accounts Payable
Warrant #64
Approved 4-0-1
The amount was \$51,267.77*

*E.O. 181901012 – An order approving expenditures as documented in Payroll Warrant #63
Approved 4-0-1
The amount was \$62,196.94*

Next Meeting of the Board

The next Board of Selectmen Meeting is Wednesday, January 30 at 7:00 PM

Budget Committee Meeting is Tuesday, January 29 at 6:00 PM.

Planning Board Meeting Monday, January 28 at 7:00PM

SAD#6 Budget Advisory Committee Meeting at 6:00PM at Bonny Eagle High School

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Other Business

Notice of vacancy on the Budget Committee, please see John Myers if interested

2019 Dog Licenses are due by January 31, 2019

2019 Rescue Subscriptions are available

Public Comments and Questions

None

Executive Session

None

Adjournment-

Motion made and seconded to adjourn the Meeting at 7:22 PM
Approved 4-0-1

Clifford L. Emery, Selectman

Jean C. Harmon, Selectman

Dennis P. Santolucito, Selectman

Mark J. Blier, Selectman

Chad E. Poitras, Selectman

Date Signed: _____
Videotaped by Harrison Beam