

Town of Washington
Board of Selectmen

Meeting Minutes

January 20, 2022, Selectmen Meeting 7:00 pm at the Town Hall.

ASSEMBLY

MEMBERS: Tom Marshall, Don Revane, Allan Dube

1.0 Visitors:

2.0 Minutes: Revane moved to approve January 13, 2022 minutes, Marshall second all voted in favor.

(Public Hearing) Revane opened the Public Hearing at 6:30 pm (Transfer Station Fee's)

Thayer (DPW): 1) All appliances with refrigerant will be subject to a (\$10.00) ten dollar charge. Refrigerators and air conditioners.

2) Passenger truck and car tires are free, all others tires are subject to fee schedule see attendant.

The Fees will take effect March 1, 2022 if there are any question please reach-out to the selectmen 603-495-3661 or Ed Thayer 603-495-3641.

Revane moved to approve the new fee schedule Dube second all voted in favor

Public hearing adjourned at 6:34 pm

IMPORTANT DATES:

January 27, 2022, Selectmen meeting 9:00 am – 4:00 pm, Town Hall; 7:00 pm evening meeting, Town Hall

January 31, 2022, Planning Board Public meeting 6:00 pm in the upper hall of the Town Hall, Selectmen to attend.

February 1, 2022, Planning Board meeting 7:00 pm Town Hall, second floor.

February 9, 2022, Park & Recreation meeting 6:30 pm Town Hall

February 16, 2022, Conservation Commission 7:00 pm Town Hall

Public Notice Town of Washington Public Budget Hearing

A Public Budget Hearing will be held on Wednesday,
February 09, 2022 @ 7:00 PM
Topic: Washington Budget Hearing
Town Hall, 2nd floor.
Snow Date February 10, 2022, 6:30 pm

DID YOU KNOW!

Persons interested in being a candidate for the following town offices/school district offices may file for these positions starting on January 19, 2022. The deadline for filing is 3:00 pm on January 28, 2022. Persons wishing to file should contact the Town Clerk, Meghan Robicheau at the Washington Town Office, 495-3667 (Thursday 1:00-7:00 pm, Friday 9:00 am-3:00 pm).

1 Library Trustee – 3- year
1 Treasurer – 1-year term
1 Selectmen – 3-year term
1 Town Clerk – 2-year term
2 Planning Board Members – 3-year term
1 Cemetery Trustee – 2-year term
1 Supervisor of the Checklist – 1-year term
1 Moderator – 2-year term

2 School Board Members - 3-year term
1 School District Moderator - 1-year term
1 School District Clerk - 1-year term
1 School District Treasurer - 1-year term

The Town of Washington is seeking a part-time Town Clerk. Job application request by email ddefosse@washingtongh.org or pick-up application at the Town Hall, Monday – Friday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Call for more information 603-495-3661

Please send completed town application to the Selectman's Office 7 Halfmoon Pond Rd. Washington, NH 03280

We are going PAPERLESS!

If you would like to receive your tax bill thru email and not have to worry about getting a paper one in the mail,

PLEASE give us your email address.

603-495-3667 / seccard@washingtongh.org / mrobicheau@washingtongh.org

COVID -19 VACCINE

For information and scheduling a time and place to get vaccinated for COVID-19 Please visit the website below for New Hampshire Residents: <https://www.vaccines.nh.gov>

To all residents and visitors from the Selectmen: Masks appreciated in all Washington public buildings.

NH <https://www.nh.gov/covid19/resources-guidance>

3.0 BUILDING PERMITS:

4.0 APPOINTMENTS DURING THE DAY AND PREVIOUSLY:

4.1 Tom Burt (LAE), Re: overlay at the intersection of Lake Ashuelot and Faxon Hill.

4.2 Concern citizen reviewed cistern requirements.

5.0 DEPARTMENT HEADS AND EMPLOYEE APPOINTMENTS:

5.1 Ed Thayer

5.1.1 Informed the select board that DPW will not renew the software program with Mitchell for the sum of \$3,000.00, felt the cost out ways the benefits.

5.1.2 Discussed changing the trash removal budget due to notification of landfill increase.

5.2 Shawn Atkins

5.2.1 Informed the board some critters are running around in the older section of the fire department, and the roof needs to be cleared from the snow. DeFosse to reach out to a pest control company, and Tony Riccio to clear the roof.

5.2.2 Informed the board he needs to order ½ dozen of portable batteries.

5.3 Ryan Murdough, (Police chief)

5.3.1 Inquired procedure on selling town equipment.

6.0 Public

7.0 COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED:

7.1 Arline France, (Trustee of Trust funds, chair) submitted the Town of Washington Capital Reserve Funds, and Trust Funds, December 2021.

7.2 Androscoggin Valley Regional Refuse Disposal District, Re: Mt. Carberry Landfill – Increase in Tipping Fees.

7.3 Meridian Land Services, Re: Shoreland Permit Application Tm. # 14-184

7.4 NH Business Review, Vol. 44. Placed in public reading file.

7.5 NH Business Review, Re: 2022 Charitable Giving Guide. Placed in public reading file.

7.6 NH Municipal Association Legislative Bulletin # 4

7.7 Email received from Conservation Commission regarding site visit in Lake Ashuelot Estates.

7.8 Atkins, (Fire Chief), provided Activity Log (1/7/2022-1/13/2022).

8.0 OLD BUSINESS:

9.0 NEW BUSINESS:

10.0 EXPENDITURES:

10.1 The Selectmen authorized payroll checks for \$8,375.50 and vendor checks for \$ 14,705.02 for the week of January 21, 2022.

11.0 ADJOURNMENT:

11.1 Revane moved to adjourn at 7:23 pm and Marshall second. All voted in favor.

Respectfully Submitted,

Deborah DeFosse