

TOWN OF JEFFERSON
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
November 4, 2013

The regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen for the Town of Jefferson was held at the Selectmen Office Monday November 4, 2013 at 7:00 pm.

PRESENT: Kevin Meehan, Chairman and Tom Brady members comprising a quorum of the Board.

OTHERS PRESENT: Linda Cushman, Assistant to Selectmen; Allen Phillips

Kevin Meehan opened the regular meeting at 7:10 The Board reviewed and approved the bills for payment next week and signed the warrants. The Highway Department report was reviewed. The warrants were signed.

Tom made a motion to accept the minutes as written for the Selectman's meeting of October 21, 2013. Kevin Seconded the motion. The motion carries.

Linda Cushman presented the health insurance renewal from Health Trust. There is a 14.4% increase in the current coverage. Health Trust has a second choice that would be a "site of service" policy which would decrease the cost by about 8% of the current policy. Linda was asked to find out where the "site of service" facilities would be as well as what any other changes in coverage would be.

Linda reported that the CPI for 2014 will be 1.5%. The Board needs to make a decision if there will be any changes in salaries.

Allen Phillips came in to present to the Board their plan to repay the property taxes on the property at 469 Bailey Road. Mr. Phillips said that they would be able to make payments in the amount of \$400 a month. Mr. Phillips was presented with a payment schedule that included the assumed taxes for the period of 36 months. Mr. Phillips was told that they will need to make sure the payments are made as agreed. A letter will be sent to confirm this meeting and agreement.

The Board reviewed the tax rate setting papers. The rate will be the same as last years, \$19.75 per thousand. The town rate is 2.00 up from 1.90, local school 10.51 up from 10.13, State school 2.45 down from 2.69, and the County rate of 4.79 down from 5.03. The Board accepted the tax rate as presented.

The next meeting will be Wednesday November 13, 2013. The Lewis building permit hearing will be held prior to the regular meeting.

Tom made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Kevin seconded the motion. The motion carries.

Being no further business the meeting adjourned at 8:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,