

Board of Selectmen's Meeting Minutes

January 2, 2024

Mexico Town Office

Calvin Lyons Hall

Attendance:

Selectmen: TJ Williams- Chair, Randy Canwell- Vice Chair, Riche Philbrick, Jack Arsenault, Peter Merrill.

Staff: Raquel Welch- Town Manager, Mat Theriault- Fire Chief/CEO, Linda Dehroen, Jami Theriault.

Public: Lisa Arsenault, Melinda Stewart, Gary Dehroen, Jamie O'Leary, Laura Reading, Tim Pingree, Toss Wardwell, Clyde Wardwell, Corbin Wardwell, Tammy Burgess, Calvin Burgess, Bonnie Child..

TJ opened the selectmen's meeting at 6:30 P.M.

**Agenda Adjustments*

Approval of the regular Board of Selectmen's Meeting Minutes dated December 5, 2023.

^^Richie made a motion to approve the regular Board of Selectmen's Meeting Minutes dated December 5, 2023, seconded by Peter. All in favor.

**Warrants*

Approval of warrants dated December 12, 19, 26, 2023, and January 2, 2024.

^^Richie made a motion to approve the warrants dated December 12,19, 26, 2023, and January 2, 2024 seconded by Peter. All in favor.

**New Business*

1. *Lara Reading- Rec Building Proposal. Discussion was had.*

2. *Approve and Sign Special Town Meeting Warrant*

^^Peter made a motion to approve and sign the special town meeting warrant, seconded by Randy. All in favor.

3. *Approval of Employee Handbook*

^^Tj made a motion to table the employee handbook, seconded by Richie. All in favor.

4. *Discussion and signing of the auditor's letter*

^^Randy made a motion to sign the auditor's letter, seconded by Peter. All in favor.

5. *Appoint Mabel Merrill to the planning board.*

^^Jack made a motion to appoint Mabel Merrill to the planning board, seconded by Richie. 4 in favor 1 abstain (Peter Merrill)

**Old Business*

**Fire Department-*

report given

**Police Department-*

**Library-*

**Code Enforcement-*

Report Given

**General Assistance-*

Report given

**Recreation Department-*

**Town Managers Report-*

-Discussion regarding a budget meeting with selectmen. The selectmen stated budget is fine, no need to meet.

-Discussed flood events.

**Road Commissioner*

-A lot of damage from storm again.

-Have a loaner sidewalk plow.

**Selectmen's report-*

TJ- Thank you to everyone for their work during the disaster.

Richie- Thank you to everyone for their work during the disaster.

Jack-

Peter- Thank you to everyone for their work during the disaster.

Randy- Thank you to everyone for their work during the disaster.

**Public Discussion-*

Bonnie- Thank you to everyone for their work during the disaster.

Clyde- concerned about post office not returning.

2/6/24

Date

Randy Carwell

Randy Carwell- Vice Chair

Peter Merrill

Peter Merrill

Thomas Williams

TJ Williams- Chair

Richie Philbrick

Richie Philbrick

John A. Arsenault

Jack Arsenault

