



TOWN OF ROCKLAND

Board of Selectmen

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OPEN SESSION MINUTES of JULY 14, 2015

SELECTMEN'S MEETING
Tuesday, July 14, 2015 @ 7 p.m.

H. BERNARD MONAHAN MEMORIAL ROOM
TOWN HALL, 242 UNION STREET
ROCKLAND, MASSACHUSETTS

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE MOS

NOTE: Selectmen Chaffee and Johnson were absent for this meeting.

Chairman Kimball read: *The audience, participants and general public should be aware that any and all portions this open meeting may be recorded by audio and video resources. All or some of this meeting may be rebroadcast periodically by WRPS or other outlets. Persons wanting a DVD copy of this meeting should contact WRPS or the BOS office, a small fee will be charged.*

1. OPEN FORUM-No items

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

2. Annual 9/11 walk- Adam Royle

Adam spoke to the BOS to request permission to once again hold the annual remembrance walk at Bicentennial field on 9/11

~MOTION to approve by Mr. Ryan, 2nd by Mr. Welch passed 3-0.

Chairman:
Edward F. Kimball
Vice Chairman:
Larry J. Ryan

Selectmen:
Lawrence J. Chaffee
Michael P. Johnson
Korey M. Welch

Town Administrator:
Allan R. Chiocca

Executive Assistant:
Susan M. Ide

3. Appointments

Council on Aging - Alternate

Agnes Smith – 165 Howard Street

~MOTION to approve by Mr. Ryan, 2nd by Mr. Welch passed 3-0.

Zoning Board of Appeals – Alternate one year term expires 2016

Daria Rindone – 440 Summer Street

~MOTION to approve by Mr. Ryan, 2nd by Mr. Welch passed 3-0.

NEW BUSINESS

4. Transfers

| FROM ACCT NAME /NUMBER | TO ACCT NAME/NUMBER | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Group Insurance 0191451515080 | Medicare 0191651515030 | \$ 13,600.00 |
| Group Insurance 0191452515080 | Youth Director Salary 0154251511001 | \$ 611.00 |
| Group Insurance 0191453515080 | Veterans Benefits 0154357578000 | \$ 15,000.00 |
| Group Insurance 0191454515080 | Utilities - Electricity 0119650521100 | \$ 45,000.00 |
| Group Insurance 0191455515080 | Legal 0115153530200 | \$ 12,500.00 |
| Group Insurance 0191456515080 | Selectmen Advertising 0112253534100 | \$ 500.00 |
| Group Insurance 0191457515080 | Traffic Control 0129353531214 | \$ 900.00 |
| Town Reports 0119553531000 | Demolition 0112258581060 | \$ 500.00 |
| | | \$ 88,611.00 |

Town Accountant Hart reviewed the transfers with the BOS.

~MOTION to approve by Mr. Ryan, 2nd by Mr. Welch passed 3-0.

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT & CORRESPONDENCE

- Announced the old Water Dept. Building on East Water Street has been taken down.
- Announced progress in negotiations with the Town Unions.
- Informed the BOS of a meeting regarding doubles poles with the utilities.
- Town Hall Plaza designs and grass area to the left plans are taking shape.
- Welcome Jeanne Blaney as the new Youth Commission Director.
- Indicated progress is being made with final punch list for the Senior Center. There were issues as a result of the contractor going bankrupt.
- A Southfield update with Kyle Corkum will be scheduled for September.

- The final report for the status of the Underground Storage Tanks at the Fire Dept. has been submitted.
- Welcome Dave Wooley to the position of Deputy Fire Chief.
- Congratulated Bill Ferguson upon his retirement from the Deputy Chief position.

SELECTMAN'S COMMENTS

Chairman Kimball read: *Comments and opinions expressed by individual members do not necessarily reflect the views of all of the BOS and are the opinions and comments of only the individual member.*

Mr. Welch ~He is hoping everyone is enjoying a safe and happy summer.

Mr. Ryan ~He congratulated everyone involved with the Veteran's Memorial Fundraiser.
 ~Discussed the recent changed in trash haulers and that only 4 people showed up at the BOH meeting.
 ~Congratulated Deputy Fire Chief Ferguson upon his retirement.

Mr. Kimball ~Asked for patience with the new trash contract.
 ~Discussed his recent Globe editorial regarding voting rights.
 ~Asked to schedule a report from P3 regarding the recent Building Study.
 ~Announced Kyle Corkum of LStarLand & Southfield would be appearing before the BOS with an update in the early fall.
 ~Urged progress be made on items funded at the May Town Meeting.
 ~Wished everyone a safe summer.

~MOTION to adjourn by Mr. Ryan, 2nd by Mr. Welch, passed 3-0.

Meeting ended at 7:19 p.m.



Allan R. Chiocca
 Town Administrator



Larry J. Ryan, Vice-Chairman
 for the Rockland Board of Selectmen

The listings of matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.