

Williamsburg Board of Selectmen
141 Main Street, Room 201
Thursday, November 10, 2016, 7:00 p.m.
Agenda – Revised*

7:00 Call to Order

Public and Public Officials

1. Members of public – topics for future discussion (note that Open Meeting Law guidelines recommend that all topics of public interest be posted on the agenda before a full discussion and decision)
2. Tax Classification – public hearing (7:00) – possible vote to determine if all classes of property will be taxed at the same rate
3. Appointment – Planning Board – Christopher Flory – term to 2020 – possible vote to appoint
4. Highway – Bill Turner
 - a. Regular report
 - b. *Snow Plow Contractor – Don Lawton – possible vote to accept
5. Animal Control Officer – Shayla Howe
 - a. Regular report
 - b. Appointment – Field Driver – Shayla Howe – term to 2017 – possible vote to appoint
6. *Planning Board – Jim Locke – Valley View Road
7. *Hilltown Land Trust – Sally Loomis – letter of support – possible vote to authorize

New Business

8. Commons Co-Working lease – possible vote to renew
9. *Community Development Strategy – possible vote to approve
10. South Main Street pole location
11. Purple Heart Town
12. Licenses – Late Closing and Live Entertainment – possible votes to approve
 - a. Live entertainment – Beaver Brook Lounge, 183 Main St., Haydenville
 - b. *Late Closing and Live Entertainment – American Legion Post 236, 5 Bridge Street, Haydenville
13. Senior and Veterans' Volunteer Tax Relief program report
14. Holiday observances and Select Board meeting schedule for 2017
15. Personnel review process
16. Constable role
17. Town Offices – heat
 - a. Heat in Town Collector's office – possible vote on funding
 - b. *Thermostat settings
18. Designate person to sign warrant when board not available – possible vote
19. Town Administrator's report

- a. *Veterans' Day program
 - b. Fire Station floor
 - c. Warrant for 11/30 payments
 - d. Ice rink update
 - e. *Police Chief Wickland return from leave
 - f. *Police Chief Wickland contract renewal
 - g. *Trees at Town Offices
 - h. *Tree stump grinding
 - i. *Dog at Fort Hill Road
 - j. *Deer Haven Trust
 - k. *Shooting on Village Hill Road
 - l. *Meeting with Finance Committee Wed. 11/6 at 5:30
20. Correspondence
21. Minutes – 11/7 – possible vote to approve minutes
- a. Update on minutes of 10/13
22. Any other business
23. Warrant

Correspondence

- Copy of letter from MassDOT about Mountain Street
- Copy of letter from Northampton Mayor Narkewicz to Lt. Governor about Mountain St
- *Regional Legislative Summit moved from Nov. 19 to Dec. 3, Florence 8:30 a.m.
- Rosenberg report – Stan Rosenberg newsletter
- KP Law Update – Recent Changes to Chapter 40A
- Mass Highway Association newsletter

Financial position:

- Free Cash, current, as of 7/1/16, from MDOR: \$749,583.00 (plus \$177,864 encumbered)
- Stabilization Fund, current, as of 7/1/16, from Town Accountant 8/18/16 (not yet confirmed by Treasurer): \$1,449,110.87