

Dalton Select Board Meeting
Minutes of December 22, 2014

Present were Selectmen: Julia Simonds, Kathy Barden and Nancy McVetty, Selectboard Chairman.

Meeting called to order at 6:30 PM

Reading of the minutes from December 8, 2014. Julia Simonds moved to accept the minutes as written. Kathy Barden seconded the motion. The selectboard approved the minutes of the December 8, 2014 meeting (3, 0).

Carmen Menard from Passumpsic Savings Bank would like to be on the agenda for the 1/5/15 meeting first thing to go over the town's accounts and what the bank has done to collateralize the accounts. Board will meet with her at the requested time.

A section of the railroad bed was to have been purchased by the snowmobile club with State aid. The State will be purchasing the land instead of to be used as a part of the snowmobile trail. The board was sent a notice of objection asking if the Town of Dalton has any objection to the railroad bed being purchased for use as part of a state snowmobile trail. If the Town for some reason had an objection, a response was required by a certain date. The objection is negated now that the State is making the purchase. The Board believes that the State will be liable for taxes. The land was exempt from tax when the railroad owned the property.

The budget is nearing completion; there are just a few small line items to be reviewed. There will be a few increases some line items but the overall budget will be nearly the same as last year.

David Spreadbury, Christine Rouillard and Cory St. Cyr are interested in being on the Conservation Commission. The Selectboard will need a letter of recommendation from Nancy Comeau or Chick Ingerson, current members of the board, for appointment consideration by the Selectboard.


John Tholl has taken care of all of the needed paperwork for the police department. He covered an accident on 12/15/14 on Route 142. No other issues at this time.

Adjourned at 6:55 PM
Next meeting is January 5, 2015


Respectfully Submitted,

Louise Jordan, Administrative Assistant
Dalton Selectboard

Minutes approved by the Selectboard Members on 1/6/15.



Julia Simonds, Selectboard Member

Kathy Barden, Selectboard Member


Nancy McVetty, Selectboard Chairman

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