

# Selectmen's Meeting Summary

#### October 30, 2019

C	Chairman Ken Ross-Raymond	Present	
S	electman John W. Herbert	Present	
S	electman Jim Hoyt	Present	
Т	Cown Administrator Margaret Warren	Absent	
Ν	/IRI Consultant Jim O'Mara	Present	
Ν	Junicipal Assistant Jill Colardeau	Present	

**Visitors:** Marcia Murphy, Gayle Landry, Bill MacDuffie, Jr., Sharon MacDuffie. Chair Ross-Raymond opened the meeting at 5:30 PM.

### New Business:

• Payroll - Bookkeeper Sullivan is requesting authorization from the Board of Selectman to change the way payroll is processed. She is requesting a policy whereby all employees be paid bi-weekly with timesheets due by Tuesday at 9 AM effective January 1<sup>st</sup> 2020.

The only exceptions would be the Selectmen who are paid quarterly and the Fire Department incentive pay which is paid annually. Selectman Hoyt made a motion to accept a new policy to pay all town employees bi-weekly with the exception of the Selectmen and the Fire Department and the effective date as of January 2020. Selectman Herbert seconded. All voted in favor. Jim O'Mara from MRI noted the Town would need to obtain permission from the NH Department of Labor for any employee currently being paid weekly to be paid bi-weekly.

- Accept Treasurer and Deputy Treasurer resignations Chair Ross-Raymond made a motion to accept resignations from Treasurer Sweeney and Deputy Treasurer MacDuffie. Selectman Herbert seconded. All voted in favor. Chair Ross-Raymond thanked Treasurer Sweeney and Deputy Treasurer MacDuffie for their service.
- Accept Town Clerk resignation Chair Ross-Raymond made a motion to accept Town Clerk Rollins resignation. Selectman Herbert moved the motion which was seconded by Selectman Hoyt. All voted in favor.
- Jim O'Mara from MRI noted TA Warren submitted a three-page transition plan for the new Town Administrator Rollins. Chair Ross-Raymond noted the new Town Administrator Rollins has the transition plan to review.
- Secretarial Position at the Fire Department TA Rollins will be able to continue with those duties. Fire Chief MacDuffie noted he and deputy Chief Nixon had a brief conversation and Fire Chief MacDuffie noted he would like the secretarial position to be separate from the Town Office. Chair Ross-Raymond noted they would talk about this during the non-public session.

## **Old Business:**

- Accept one bid received for Transfer Station Lighting Chair Ross-Raymond made a motion to accept the lighting bid of \$7,200 from Scott Sweat to extend hours at the Transfer Station. Selectman Herbert moved the motion which was seconded by Selectman Hoyt. All voted in favor.
- Salisbury's EOP 2020 update under the FEMA EMP Grant Chair Ross-Raymond made a motion to accept the EMPG grant of \$8,000 which is a 50/50 town-in-kind match. Selectman Herbert moved the motion and was seconded by Selectman Hoyt. All voted in favor. Fire Chief MacDuffie will need to sign the grant.

# **Public Comments:**

• Tax Collector Landry requested the payroll periods for the new year.

Chairman Ross-Raymond made a motion to adjourn at 6:15 PM. Selectman Herbert seconded. All voted in favor.

Non-public Session: At 6:15 PM a motion to enter a non-public session per RSA 91-A:3: II (a) and (b) was made by Chair Ross-Raymond, seconded by Selectman Hoyt. All voted in favor.

Selectman Herbert moved to seal the non-public session minutes. Seconded by Selectman Hoyt.

**Roll Call Vote:** 

Ken Ross-Raymond -  $\underline{\checkmark}$  John W. Herbert -  $\underline{\checkmark}$  Jim Hoyt -  $\underline{\checkmark}$ 

Selectmen returned to a public session at 6:50 PM. Selectman Herbert made a motion to adjourn at 6:50 PM. Selectman Hoyt seconded. All voted in favor.

NEXT MEETING: November 6, 2019 at 6 PM - 2020 Budget Prep continues.

Respectfully submitted: Jill Colardeau, Municipal Assistant

Meeting Summary reviewed and accepted at the November 20, 2019 meeting.

Selectmen, Town of Salisbury