

BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING
February 27, 2017

MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

SELECTMEN IN ATTENDANCE:

Roland C. LePage, Joanne Andrews and John M. Medici.

ATTENDEES:

- Dottie Richard, Judy LePage, Ricky Richardson, Charles Pellegrino, Bob Richardson, Laura May, Ron Phinney, Tawny Mann, Ricky Richardson, Mike Ward, Cindy Smith, Derek Welch, Cheryl Kentos. 3 unknowns.

CALL TO ORDER:

Sonny called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m.

FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS:

- **A Motion was Made and Seconded to accept the 2017 Warrant Ballot Articles 3 thru 15** as presented by the Treasure, with the few exceptions that were voted on by the Budget Committee earlier in the evening. **All were in favor.**
- In Regards to Article 11, Cheryl Kentos wanted to inform the constituents that last year St. Matthew's helped to feed 851 families. They handed out 83 turkey baskets for thanksgiving, and they receive anywhere from 68 to 80 family's per month. As a reminder, if you want to donate to a food pantry, donate directly to the pantry. If they have to go to Good Shepherd for the food, they have to pay for the food. If the food is donated directly they don't have to pay for it. They would also like to thank all organizations for their donations.

MINUTES:

- **Motion made and seconded to accept** the Meeting Highlights of February 21, 2017. **All were in favor.**

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

- Fire Department – Mike Mclean stated: The New Ambulance is in, the company is taking it back for some touch ups, and they have asked if they can take it to a Fire/EMS show. It will be back in a week or so. The Fire Truck will be a few months late, International Chassis is behind by a couple of months. Chris is giving us a bigger engine, the Cummins 370 instead of the 350 at no extra cost to the town. We should receive it in June.

- Joanne Andrews – Transfer Station: DEP did an inspection last week and they questioned the mattress that was in the burn pile. Joanne said they got put there by the snow plow drivers because they were in their way, but they would not be being burned, they would be moved back where they were supposed to go. Also the household waste area is supposed to be covered, it currently is not. Joanne has this project in her 5 year plan, and is working on a solution for that. For now she has it picked up weekly to keep from having any problems with pest and critters.

SCHEDULED SPEAKERS:

- Derek Welch – Derek inquired into the way the select board handled the process of his termination last week. Derek said he spoke with an attorney after reading his contract and he disputes the decision to pay other contractors out of his pay, and his attorney advised him that the selectmen can't do that. Chairman LePage told Derek that they would speak with their attorney and get back with him.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Chairman LePage signed the abatement letter for assessing.

NEW BUSINESS:

- After looking at the Annual Report Selectmen Medici noticed a few errors. **Motion was made and seconded to approve the Report after the errors are corrected. All were in favor.**
- **Motion was made and seconded to approve the Warrant for the annual Town Meeting. All were in favor.**
- Selectmen will address the letter from Karen Hockney later.
- Road Commissioner, Bob Richardson wanted to remind the selectmen about towns that post the orange road signs, in order to enforce the rules on the signs the town must have enacted it into the ordinance on it.

OTHER BUSINESS:

- **A Motion was made and seconded to accept the mail folder. All were in favor.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Joanne Read the Announcements.

WARRANTS:

- **Motion was Made and Seconded** to accept the warrants as presented. **All were in favor.**

HEARING OF CITIZENS:

MEETING ADJOURNED:

- **Motion made and seconded** to adjourn the meeting. **All were in favor.** The Meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

End of Broadcast

Respectfully submitted,

Tawny Mann
Secretary
Board of Selectmen

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SEE RECORDING**
“Limerick Selectmen’s Meeting”
February 27, 2017
By Scott Pomerleau