

Selectmen's minutes of work session January 27, 2020

Members present: Mark Newman, Brian O'Rourke, George Riley, Joanne Grybosh
Dolores Harasyko, Admin. Asst.

Called to order at 6:20 p.m.

Joanne reviewed the following budgets:

Revised Town Manager budget

DPW, discussed whether it was necessary for the road superintendent to take the Public Contracting Overview Course. The selectmen decided that it is not necessary for both the Town Manager and superintendent to take the same course.

Joanne will purchase a basic cell phone and use hot spots with a municipal rate.

Budgets still outstanding:

The three Stabilization Accounts

School Committee salary

The School Budget

Moderator, Selectmen decided to level fund

Audit, Selectmen decided to level fund

Highways and Bridges Salary

Technology

Joanne commented on how well she was working with Finance Chair Kathy Jacobs.

Discussed the levy limit, Joanne will continue to work with the Assessors and Jim Padolak.

Joanne reviewed the conversation she had with Eric Jesner, Business Manager for the school. There are 2 budget meetings coming up that she will attend. They are on Feb. 2 & 26.

Brian is going to be away on Feb. 10 and would like the selectmen to move the meeting to Tuesday that week. All agreed. They will invite Eric Jesner to come to that meeting.

Motion by Brian, second by Mark, passed unanimously to accept the above completed budgets.

Meeting adjourned at 6:50 p.m.

Mark Newman

Brian O'Rourke

George Riley