

**TOWN OF WENTWORTH NEW HAMPSHIRE
OFFICE OF THE SELECTMEN**

**Minutes
February 10, 2009 Meeting**

Present: Palmer Koelb, Francis Muzzey, Randy Morrison and Janet Woolner

Also Present: Police Chief Kevin Kay, Ellie Murray, Gini Gove, Kevin & Kathleen Mack
Richard Sharon, Theresa & Mark Evans, Carol Friedrich, Katy and Russ Blodgett

Palmer moved to open the meeting at 6:05 pm, seconded by Randy and approved.

Chief Kevin Kay advised Selectmen he would review the parking ordinance and speed limits for the town roads.

Ellie asked Selectmen if they would increase the speed limit to 30 MPH on East Side.

Randy moved to approve the February 3, 2009 minutes and non-public minutes, seconded by Palmer and approved.

Selectmen signed a letter to the BTLA, and the Ballot Selection letter.

Selectmen abated a \$10 Inventory Penalty for Richard Sharon M/L 10-05-01.

Kevin Mack talked to the Selectmen about the building on his property that had burned. Francis explained the property is taxed as of April even though the building had burned. The Mack's believe that their property is assessed higher than value and Francis suggested that they file for an abatement and the town will discuss this with the assessor.

Selectmen requested Adrienne Lowe come to next weeks Selectmen's meeting to discuss the Event Application for the band concert.

Mark and Theresa Evans discussed a payment plan with the Selectmen for the Evans Rd property. Francis moved to accept the payment plan as presented, seconded by Palmer and approved. Francis advised the Evans to file another abatement for the No Dorchester Rd property even though the taxes are not current.

Selectmen authorized the \$37.00 penalty refund for McDonald M/L 11-04-36.

Randy moved to go into non-public session at 7:45 PM, seconded by Palmer and approved by Francis per RSA 91-A:3, II (c) to discuss matters which if, discussed in public would likely affect adversely the reputation of any person. Randy moved to come out of non-public session at 7:58 pm, seconded by Francis and approved by Palmer. The Pease property was discussed. No decisions were made.

Randy moved to go into non-public session again at 8:00 PM, seconded by Francis and approved by Palmer per RSA 91-A:3, II (c) to discuss matters which if, discussed in public would likely affect adversely the reputation of any person. Randy moved to come out of non-public at 8:12 pm, seconded by Francis and approved by Palmer. Selectmen reviewed a complaint about an employee by a town resident. Selectmen will request additional information from the resident.

Carol Freidrich advised the Selectmen that the County Jail construction and will now be cut in size and that the facility and will be more efficient. A wood chip furnace is planned for the heating. Carol said the letter writing campaign by the Selectmen worked.

Randy moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:55 pm, seconded by Palmer and approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Janet E. Woolner

Minutes accepted by _____, _____, and _____