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TOWN OF NEW BOSTON
SELECTMEN'S MEETING MINUTES

December 11, 1995

A regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Pimenta.

PRESENT: Michael S. Pimenta, Chairman
Darlene M. Goodin, Selectman
Gordon A. Carlstrom, Selectman
Todd I. Selig, Town Administrator

The Selectmen did not have an opportunity to approve the minutes of the December 4, 1995 Selectmen's Meeting.

Road Agent Lee Murray came before the Board of Selectmen for his monthly meeting. It was decided that delineators would be installed along the inside corner of the reconstructed Lyndeboro Road bridge by Hamel's Corner. Other issues discussed included: plowing the third driveway at the New Boston Cemetery, grading on Summit Drive, cleaning culverts, and fixing private plows which plow for the Town at the Highway Garage.

Robert Todd and Graham Pendlebury of the New Boston Forestry Committee met with the Selectmen at approximately 8:00 p.m. to discuss concerns surrounding the ballfield expansion project across from the Transfer Station on Old Coach Road, selective cutting for 1996, and classifying various Town-owned lots as Town Forests at 1996 Town Meeting. In addition, the Forestry Committee was asked to determine the possible benefits of purchasing a 46 acre parcel of land (Map 7, Lot 71) abutting the Lydia Dodge Lot which is for sale in New Boston.

Planning Board Chairman Brent Armstrong and Planning Coordinator Claire Dodge came before the Board at approximately 8:45 p.m. to discuss staffing in the Planning Office. The benefits of increasing the Planning Coordinator's regular work week to 35 or 40 hours per week were discussed. Some of the priorities which must be undertaken in the Planning Office include: incorporating cistern specifications into subdivision regulations; updating the master plan; review/update of non-residential site plan review regulations.

The Selectmen discussed the possibility of holding a special election to fill the late Roland Sallada's seat in the N.H. General Court at 1996 Town Meeting with the primary to be held on February 6, 1996.

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The Next Finance Committee meeting will be held this Thursday, December 14, 1995, in the Town Hall Conference Room at 7:00 p.m.

The Selectmen reviewed a letter from Mr. Stephen Skubik of Bennington, NH, regarding a traffic accident involving Mrs. Virginia Skubik and Road Agent Lee Murray. The matter was referred by the Board to Police Chief Jim McLaughlin for review.

The Board reviewed a letter from resident Leslie Nixon of 78 Ridgeview Lane, New Boston, in regard to the paving of additional roadways in New Boston.

The Board reviewed wage, salary, and benefit information for Town employees.

The Board reviewed and signed payroll and accounts payable checks.

Chairman Pimenta signed pistol permits.

The Board signed intent to cut forms.

The Board signed other miscellaneous correspondence and materials.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 11:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Todd I. Selig
Town Administrator