

Bridport Select Board Meeting

Date: January 29, 2018

Location: Bridport Town Office's

Attendance: Joan Huestis (Chair), Leonard Barrett, Earl Audet, Matt Lawton, Tim Howlett, Valerie Bourgeois, Irene Zaccor

General Public present: Robert Coffey

The meeting was reconvened from recess by Chair Joan Huestis at 5:55 p.m.

Discussion on 2018 Budget continued. Much discussion about replacing versus repairing 2012 Dodge 1 ton truck. Motion made by Joan Huestis and seconded by Matt Lawton to buy a new truck. Motion failed – 1Y 3N 1 Abstention

Several changes were made to the 2018 budget. Bob Coffey spoke about reserve monies and budget.

Article 32 for Warning to read: “Will the Legal Voters authorize the Select Board to spend up to **\$23,500** for the purpose of painting the Salt Shed, Hearse House and Masonic/Community Hall (with repairs), replacing the lights at the Town garage through the Efficiency Vermont Program and for purchasing a new stove and refridgerator for the Masonic/Community Hall using accumulated reserves for all projects?”

Joan Huestis recessed the meeting at 7:45 p.m. to be continued for final article approval once Bob Coffey finishes Audit details. SB will meet NLT end of week.

Respectfully submitted,

Irene Zaccor