

TOWN OF MILLBURY
BOARD OF SELECTMEN MINUTES

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March 9, 2021

6 PM

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Present: Mary Krumsiek, Katie McKenna, Scott Despres, Chris Naff, David Delaney, Sean Hendricks, and the Town Clerk

Zoom: Paul Lawson, Lisa Redmond, jwalsh, Justine

6 PM Regular Session

Pledge of Allegiance

PFAS (polyfluoroalkyl) Update- Paul Lawson & John Walsh

*See Attached

Chairman Krumsiek asked about the Oak Pond well?

Paul stated there is a pilot study being done on a small scale to filter the water. A building will be constructed in front of the well and will be used to filter the water once the PFAS is removed then it will be pumped back into the well. It will be the same as Jacques.

Discussion & Vote on Goals & Objectives for Police Chief Lewos

Some of the Boards suggestions were create a multi-faceted hiring plan to help reduce overtime, update departmental policies & procedures, create strong residential relations, maintain & enhance communication with the Board. Also remove the dept from Civil Service.

Appointment Kevin Surdam to the Historical Commission

Motion to appoint Kevin Surdam to the Historical Commission by Selectman Despres, 2nd by Selectman Delaney and on roll call vote with Selectman Krumsiek, Selectman McKenna, Selectman Despres, Selectman Naff and Selectman Delaney all in favor, the following vote was approved 5-0.

Discussion & Vote on Support Letter for the Massachusetts Preservation Grant

Motion to authorize the Chair to sign a support letter for the Massachusetts Preservation by Selectman Despres, 2nd by Selectman McKenna and on roll call vote with Selectman Krumsiek, Selectman McKenna, Selectman Despres, Selectman Naff and Selectman Delaney all in favor, the following vote was approved 5-0.

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Discussion & Vote on Town Manager's Outside Employment

Sean stated he does Real Estate refinancing closings. They are mostly in the evening or on weekends and not during work hours. He has no obligation to do a set number of them and he uses his own laptop.

Motion to approve the Town Manager's Outside Employment as long as it does not interfere with the day to day duties with the Town of Millbury by Selectman Despres, 2nd by Selectman Delaney and on roll call vote with Selectman Krumsiek, Selectman Despres, all in favor, Selectman Naff Opposed, Selectman McKenna Abstained, the following vote was approved 3-1-1.

Management Update

*See Attached

Chairman Krumsiek asked for a copy of the legal counsel request for services form be sent to the Board.

Review & Approve Previous Minutes

Motion to approve the Minutes of January 26, 2021 with the correction of David being present by Selectman McKenna, 2nd by Selectman Delaney and on roll call vote with Selectman Krumsiek, Selectman McKenna, Selectman Despres, Selectman Naff and Selectman Delaney all in favor, the following vote was approved 5-0.

Dates to Remember

*See Attached

Roundtable Discussion and Citizens Feedback

Selectman Delaney stated he is aware of 10 individuals and two families that are homeless. They are life long residents and they are struggling. He was wondering about what we can do to help them? The Board asked if they can get a report from the Housing Authority.

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7:34 Adjourn Meeting

Motion to adjourn the meeting by Selectman McKenna, seconded by Selectman Delaney and on a roll call vote with Selectman Krumsiek, Selectman McKenna, Selectman Despres, Selectman Naff and Selectman Delaney, all in favor, the following vote was approved 5-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Amy Fleming, Secretary

Mary Krumsiek

Katie McKenna

Scott Despres

Chris Naff

David Delaney

These Minutes were approved at the April 13, 2021 Board of Selectmen Meeting. Signatures will be affixed after the State of Emergency.