Town of Woodstock Board of Selectmen Special Meeting Thursday, November 16, 2017 4:00 PM – Room A

MINUTES

PRESENT: D. Mitchell Eaffy, Chandler Paquette, Allan D. Walker, Jr.

OTHERS PRESENT: Todd Anderson, Linda Bernardi, Joni Cullan, Denise Earle, Delia

Fey, Karen Fitzpatrick, Christine French, Diane Miller, Judy

Walberg, Julie Woodland

1. Call to Order

First Selectman Walker called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

2. Approve the Minutes of the November 2, 2017 Regular Board of Selectmen's Meeting

Paquette moved to approve the minutes of the November 2, 2017 Regular Board of Selectmen's meeting. **Motion carried unanimously.**

3. Approve Reappointments to Various Boards and Commissions for the Term of November 22, 2017 through November 19, 2019

Eaffy moved to approve the reappointments to various boards and commissions for the term of November 22, 2017 through November 19, 2019 as listed below. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Agent for the Elderly – Connie Maynard

Arboretum Committee - William Brower

Judith Gries

Marian Hallowell

Chad Hart

Andrea Krofina Philippa Paquette Danielle Payne Iride Pearce (Alt.)

Marilyn Pomeroy (Alt.)

Beautification Committee - Judith Gries

Charlotte Davis

Marian Hallowell

Chad Hart

Iride Pearce Marilyn Pomeroy Mary Larson Seney Linda Goodbrand

Burning Official – Richard Baron

Russell Dowd David Elliott Timothy Young

<u>Charter Communications</u> – Nancy Gale

Constable – Joseph McGrady

James Bellerose Roy Bradrick Dennis Hebert Stewart Morse John Swan Janet Szpyrka

Fire Marshal - Richard Baron

<u>Flood & Erosion Control</u> – Lee Wesler

Mark Parker

<u>Green Energy</u> - James Stratos

Judy Walberg

Open Space Land Acquisition – Dawn Adiletta

Crystal Adams Syd Blodgett George French Roger Gale Glen Lessig

Timothy Monahan Stewart Morse Mark Parker Jeffrey Stefanik

Quasset School Advisory - Myra Pratte

Beverly Brazeal Elaine Lachapelle Michael Bernardi Edmond Seney

Recreation Commission - Otto Anderson

Sarah Bentley

School Facilities Upgrade Committee -

Michael Bernardi Michael Dougherty Brian Musumeci Jeremy Serwer Viktor Toth

<u>Town Historian</u> - Jeffrey Stefanik

Tree Warden - William Rathbone

Veterans Advisory - Glen Boies

Everett Cowley Russell Dowd Everett Shepard Todd Smith

4. Consider the Appointment of Todd Anderson as a Member of the Conservation Commission for the Term of November 16, 2017 through March 31, 2022

Walker thanked Todd Anderson for coming to the meeting and for his willingness to volunteer on the commission. Mr. Anderson said he has been to two of their meetings and felt that his background of environmental science could be valuable to the commission.

Paquette moved to appoint Todd Anderson as a member of the Conservation Commission for the term of November 16, 2017 through March 31, 2022. Motion carried unanimously.

5. Accept the Resignation of Douglas Porter as the Woodstock Representative to the Northeast District Department of Health Board of Directors Effective November 16, 2017

Eaffy moved to accept Douglas Porter's resignation as Woodstock's representative to the Northeast District Department of Health Board of Directors effective November 16, 2017. A letter will be sent to him thanking him for being actively involved for the past twenty years. **Motion carried unanimously.**

6. Tax Rebates

Eaffy moved to approve the following tax rebates:

- Honda Lease Trust in the amount of \$18.06
- VW Credit Leasing LTD in the amount of \$78.13
- JP Morgan Chase Bank in the amount of \$121.50
- JP Morgan Chase Bank in the amount of \$183.37
- JP Morgan Chase Bank in the amount of \$244.75

Motion carried unanimously.

7. Correspondence and Announcements

Walker joked that he wanted to have one more meeting because their faithful audience member Diane Miller wasn't at the last meeting. The Selectmen thanked her for her interest in what was happening in town and for her input.

8. Citizen's Comments

As this was both Mitchell Eaffy and Allan Walker's last Board of Selectmen's meeting, the staff that were at the meeting came to wish them well. Judy Walberg thanked Mitchell Eaffy for his 20 years of leadership as a Selectman and Allan Walker for his ten years of leadership as First Selectman. Everyone shared how much they would miss them. To Chan, they said they looked forward to another two years with him as a Selectman.

Mitchell responded by saying that what saddens him the most is that there will be a change in the relationships he has enjoyed with everyone. He stated they have all been there for him and he will always be grateful for that.

Allan thanked everyone again for their kind words.

9. Adjournment

Paquette moved to adjourn at 4:14 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted, Joni Cullan, Recording Clerk