

TOWN OF GUILFORD SELECTMEN'S MEETING

February 6, 2018, 2018

- 1. Meeting called to order by Chairman Thompson at 7:00 PM. Present were selectmen Mike Dexter, Kent Burdin, Rick Lander and Peter Martell and guests Matt Holland, Dick Panciera and Clayton Griffin from the planning board, Jerris Miles, Fire Chief Jeff Libby, Arnie and Johann Halverson, and District #119 Representative Paul Stearns.**
- 2. Motion made and seconded to approve minutes. Unanimous.**
- 3. Balance sheets unavailable until budget finalized.**
- 4. Read MRC letter and Newsletter regarding delay in opening their new facility and alternative disposal sites.**
- 5. Read letter from FairPoint discussing their sale and name change to Consolidated Communications.**
- 6. Read thank you card from the family of Dottie Littlefield for remembering her by their donation to Lafayette Family Cancer Center, and a second card of thanks from Michelle Nichols.**
- 7. The County budget warrant was read and the return was presented for signatures. Guilford's share will be an additional \$11,282.00 for the 2018 year.**
- 8. The 2018 Spirit of America award recipient being will hopefully attend the March 19th annual town meeting. A plan was formed to get the designee to the meeting.**
- 9. A brief update was given on Leadership Maine's project progress. The survey has been completed and will now be distributed through various methods.**
- 10. The list of Fire Department Officers was presented for review. The Board appointed the slate as proposed by the department membership.**
- 11. The Piscataquis County Hazard Mitigation Plan has been updated. Following a motion and a second to accept, the update was approved and signed.**
- 12. Budget Committee reminder: February 12th at P.C.H.S at 7:00 PM.**

13. The delinquent tax rate for property taxes for 2018 was set at 8% with a return rate of 4% for those sums paid but returned through abatements.

14. A junkyard permit was received for Roland Cookson, Sr. and Roland Cookson, Jr. It was moved and seconded to approve the permit following Code Officer review and approval.

15. Patterson Bros. septic waste facility contract was approved for renewal following a motion and second.

16. Selectmen reviewed manager's draft budget for the 2018-2019 fiscal year.

17. Tree Growth renewal applications were signed.

18. There being no "Other Business", it was

19. Moved and seconded to adjourn at 8:10 PM.

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Clerk

Two advertised Public Hearings were held as scheduled with extremely low attendance. Both the Marijuana Moratorium and the Fire and rescue Billing Ordinance were explained and a few questions asked. These will be voted on at the annual town meeting, March 19th.