

Town of North Stonington Board of Selectmen Meeting North Stonington New Town Hall Conference Room January 28, 2020 6:00 PM

MINUTES

Call to Order: 6:00pm, First Selectman Mike Urgo, Selectman Bob Carlson, and Selectman Nita Kincaid in attendance.

Pledge of Allegiance

Public Comments and Questions on Non-Agenda Items

- 1. Fiscal 2020-2021 Budget Discussion
 - a. The Board reviewed the budget submissions by all departments/boards/commissions included in general government, capital and redemption of debt.
 - Motion by First Selectman Urgo to change the Election & Town Meeting:
 Operating Expense (B21.02) to \$25,000, 2nd by Selectman Kincaid, Approved
 3-0-0
 - c. Motion by First Selectman Urgo to remove the paid staffing expenditure proposed for Public Safety: Volunteer Fire Company (B26.01), 2nd by Selectman Carlson, Approved 3-0-0
- 2. Hewitt Farm 1750s Farmhouse RFP
 - a. First Selectman Urgo presented an RFP for painting at the house at Hewitt Farm. Discussion followed.
 - b. Motion by Selectman Carlson to approve the RFP with minor revisions as discussed, 2nd by Selectman Kincaid, Approved 3-0-0
- 3. Water-Sewer Post Card Discussion/Action
 - a. First Selectman Urgo led a discussion of the postcard regarding the water and sewer project in the planning stages for the town. Selectman Kincaid will work on the creation of the postcard.
- 4. State of the Town Future Meeting Discussion
 - a. First Selectman Urgo led a discussion on a potential State of the Town meeting to provide updates to the community at the end of February. An

interactive online portion was also discussed. February 27^{th} at 6:00pm is the tentative date.

5. Appointments

- a. Motion by Selectman Kincaid to appoint Walter Mathwich, David (DJ) Noyes,
 Toula Balestracci, Gary Annino and Elaine Boissevain to the School Building
 Repurposing Committee, 2nd by First Selectman Urgo, Approved 3-0-0
- b. Motion by Selectman Carlson to appoint William Mason and Paul Buehler to the Affordable Housing Committee, 2nd by Selectman Kincaid, 3-0-0

6. Minutes

a. January 14, 2020 Meeting: Motion by Selectman Kincaid to approve the minutes as presented, 2nd by Selectman Carlson

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn at 7:45pm by First Selectman Urgo, 2nd by Selectman Carlson

Public Comments on agenda items will be permitted throughout the meeting. All public comments are limited to 2 minutes.

Respectfully submitted,
Christine Dias