NEW DURHAM BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Monday, November 18, 2019

6:00 P.M. – Regular Business Meeting

New Durham Town Hall, 4 Main Street, New Durham, NH

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order 6:00 p.m.
- II. Appointments / Announcement
 - A. 6:00 p.m.- Police Department- Recognition for Outstanding Service Officer Taylor Griffin
 - **B. 7:00 p.m.- Public Hearing-** Provisions of RSA 231:163 & 43:2, for the purpose of considering amending all existing pole licenses to include language regarding taxation pursuant to RSA 72:23 and acknowledging the licensee's statutory obligation to move the licensed pole, conduit and equipment upon order of the Town.
- III. Public Input (15 minutes)
- IV. Agenda Review
- V. Town Administrator's Report
 - A. Acknowledgement of Resignation-Taylor Griffin
 - **B.** Consent Signature Manifest 11/4/19 to 11/18/19
 - C. Purchase Order Library Replacement Furnace
 - D. Purchase Order Ballfield Irrigation Repairs Lakes Region Pump & Irrigation
 - **E.** Purchase Order Bituminous Asphalt Pike Industries
 - F. Request for Promotional Hiring Austin Valladaras (PT Officer to FT Officer)

VI. New Business

- **A.** 2019 Tax Rate Setting
- **B.** Nomination for Appointment to Ethics Committee Brad Lipe
- C. Tax Payment Arrangement Map 252, Lot 034
- **D.** David Bickford vs. Town of New Durham Failure to Perambulate Town Boundaries
- E. 2020 Budget Review Budget Committee Changes & Revenue Update
 - 1. 4195 Cemeteries
 - 2. 4415 Health & Other Agencies
 - 3. Revenues

VII. Old Business

- A. Electronic Devices Communications Policy
- **B.** Meeting Schedule

Monday, December 9, 2019 6p

VIII. Review and Approval of Minutes.

- a. October 23, 2019 Meeting Minutes
- b. October 28, 2019 Meeting Minutes
- c. November 4, 2019 Meeting Minutes

IX. Non-public Session- Request for Non-Public [RSA 91-A:3, II (a)(b) & (c)]

- a. Matters related to (RSA 91-A:3, II (a)(b) & (c))
- b. November 4, 2019 Nonpublic Meeting Minutes
- X. Adjournment

TOWN OF NEW DURHAM

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AT BOARD MEETING

The primary purpose of the Board of Selectmen's meeting is to conduct the business of the Town. Public meetings shall be open to everyone. The Board reserves the right to meet and to adjourn or recess a meeting at any time. The Board also reserves the right to enter non-public session at any time, in accordance with the provisions of RSA 91-A: 3.

POLICY: Public participation in the Board's regular meetings is a privilege that the Board may allow in order to hear town related business. At the same time, in order to assure that it may conduct its meetings properly and efficiently, the Board adopts the following procedures and rules pertaining to public participation at Board meetings.

PROCEDURES AND RULES:

- 1. Public Input may or may not be scheduled on the agenda. If Public Input is on the agenda, then Public Input will not exceed 15 minutes unless extended by vote of the Board. Each speaker is limited to 5 minutes.
- **2.** Public Input will be allowed only for town-related business.
- **3.** The Board will not consider employee/personnel matters, or matters which if discussed in public would likely affect adversely the reputation of any person. Either of these matters may be directed to the Town Administrator during regular business hours.
- **4.** The Chair of the Board conducts Public Input and receives the public commentary. The Chair will call on those wishing to be heard and only that person may provide commentary to the Chair
- **5.** Persons who have been recognized by the Chair to provide commentary must state their name(s), address and the issue(s) that they wish to be heard on. Persons should speak directly to the issue, as concisely and completely as possible. Those who have not been recognized by the Chair shall not direct commentary to the Board.
- **6.** When addressing the Chair, all speakers are asked to conduct themselves in an orderly and non-disruptive manner. Obscene, unduly repetitive, disruptive, discriminatory, criminally harassing or criminally threatening statements will not be tolerated from anybody in attendance at the meeting.
- 7. The Board will make no decisions during Public Input.
- **8.** Once Public Input is finished, there will be no further commentary to the Board by individuals in the audience.
- 9. The audience may not talk with one another during the Board of Selectmen's meeting.
- 10. Any person whose conduct is in violation of this policy and who has caused an actual disruption of the meeting will be warned by the Chair that they must cease and desist such behavior. Should their behavior continue causing an actual disruption after due warning, they will be asked to leave the meeting room. If they do not leave, then the Chair will contact or authorize someone else to contact law enforcement and request that they be removed from the meeting room and/or arrested for disorderly or other illegal conduct, to the extent applicable.