

BARRE TOWN SELECTBOARD MEETING AGENDA
March 16, 2009

P.I.L.O.T. Budget Review

6:30 p.m.

1. Call to order 8:00p.m.
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Consider approving minutes from meeting of March 9, 2010.
4. Announcements
5. Receive guests (for non-agenda items).
6. Consider appointing Barre Town Service Officer.
7. Consider approving weekly accounts payable warrant
8. Miscellaneous
9. 'Round the Table
10. Adjourn

BARRE TOWN SELECTBOARD MINUTES
March 16, 2009

The duly warned meeting of the Barre Town Selectboard of March 16, 2009 was held at the Barre Town Municipal Building, Selectboard Room, Lower Websterville at 8:00 p.m.

The following members were in attendance: Jeffrey Blow, Marion Fish, Jeff Newton, William Wolfe, and Jeffrey Gagne.

Attendance for the regular meeting included: Town Manager Carl Rogers, Town Clerk-Treasurer Donna J. Kelty, and Town Management Intern Kelly Murphy.

CALL TO ORDER

Blow called the meeting to order at 8:00 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Those present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

MINUTES

On a motion by Wolfe, seconded by Newton, the Selectboard voted unanimously to approve the Selectboard Meeting Minutes of March 9, 2010.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The Fire Department and its Auxiliary are sponsoring a rabies clinic n Saturday, March 20, 2010 from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. at the South Barre Fire Station. Dogs and cats will be vaccinated. Out-of-town pets are welcome. The Town Clerk will be there to license Barre Town dogs. The deadline to license dogs is April 1, 2010.
- The winter street parking ban will end on April 1, 2010.
- Every ten years the U.S. Census Bureau sets out to count every person residing in the United States. Residents are counted through mailings, phone calls, and door to door visits. In the 2000 Census, 72 percent of households that received a mailing mailed it back. 2010 Census mail back participation rates are being tracked as we speak. Forms will be issued throughout the month of March. For more information on the Census visit www.2010census.gov.
- The Wilson Depot is open for trash collection Tuesdays and Saturdays from 8:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. The contactor is working inside the fenced depot and is offering full service.
- Do your part to help maintain the roads during mud season by limiting heavy deliveries such as oil, building supplies, large household purchases and by consolidating trips back and forth.
- Reminder: HS-122 Homestead Declaration forms are due by April 15, 2010 to the Vermont State Tax Department. Filing this form identifies you as resident homeowner, a designation for educational property tax purposes. In Barre Town this means a lower education tax rate. Be sure to file on time to avoid penalty.
- Notice: The Board of Recreation is till looking for a member to fill a vacancy.

GUESTS - None

APPOINT TOWN SERVICE OFFICER

Background: On or before April 15th, annually, the Selectboard must appoint a Town Service Officer. As cited in Vermont State Statute the Town Service Officer is to receive applications for assistance, to investigate, make designations of eligibility for assistance, grant from funds advanced for emergency general assistance and to perform other duties, including such investigations, under the welfare code as the Commissioner may direct. In past years the Town Manager was appointed and is willing to serve again.

On a motion by Wolfe, seconded by Fish, the Selectboard voted unanimously to appoint Carl Rogers as the Barre Town Town Service Officer.

WEEKLY ACCOUNTS PAYABLE WARRANT

On a motion by Gagne, seconded by Newton, the Selectboard voted unanimously to approve the accounts payable warrant.

MISCELLANEOUS

On a motion by Wolfe, seconded by Gagne, the Selectboard voted unanimously to approval and authorize signing a 2nd Class 2010 Alcohol & Tobacco License for Quarry Hill Quick Stop.

METER PURCHASE

The Town Manager stated the last time BOD sampling of the three businesses in Town was completed the equipment was rented which is very costly. Forcier & Aldrich and the Town Engineer are recommending the Town purchase their own "portable" flow meter. Two quotes were obtained; ISCO (\$4,625) and HACH (\$5,776.59). It is recommended the Town purchase the ISCO meter from NE Environmental Equipment.

On a motion by Gagne, seconded by Newton, the Selectboard voted unanimously to purchase the ISCO flow meter at a cost of \$4,625 from NE Environmental Equipment.

'ROUND THE TABLE

Gagne stated Green Up is May 1, 2010. For more information or to volunteer visit BTVGreenup.com.

Blow informed the viewing audience the meeting is short tonight at the Town Budget Committee is working on the FY 2010-2011 Budget. Meetings are held on Tuesday evenings, 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at the Municipal Building, downstairs conference room.

ADJOURN

On a motion by Fish, seconded by Newton, the Selectboard voted unanimously to adjourn at 8:07p.m.

Donna J. Kelty, Town Clerk- Treasurer

Selectboard Chair

Barre Town Selectboard