

**Minutes
Board of Selectmen Meeting
Center School
July 11, 2020**

Physically present at this meeting in the Technical Education Room at Center School were Thomas Ryan, Chair, Megan Birch-McMichael, Cortni Frecha, James Salvie and Ellen Sturgis.

Also present physically were Town Administrator William Wrigley, future Town Administrator Denise Dembkoski and Executive Assistant Maureen McKeon. Mr. Ryan called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

Mr. Ryan explained that according to the forecast, it appears the weather would hold. He said that if thunder came through there was a chance that the attendees outside might come into the building, if needed and a plan is in place, for the remainder of Town Meeting.

The future Town Administrator, Denise Dembkoski, was introduced and said she planned to stay for Town Meeting.

The Board said they were comfortable with all articles in the Warrant. The exception was that Ms. Sturgis wanted to discuss a new line item (#6) in Article 4 General Budget to fund consulting by Mr. Wrigley to assist the new Town Administrator during the transition into her new role. Mr. Wrigley stated that after his retirement, he will only be present as Ms. Dembkoski deems necessary.

There was a straw vote that determined Article 61, the NRSD Feasibility Study article, would be moved to the start of the Town Meeting.

There was a brief discussion regarding writing a letter thanking people who helped with Town Meeting. The Board voted unanimously to delegate the task for the Chair to complete.

Ms. Frecha moved that the Selectmen delegate Chairman Ryan to draft a letter to the people who helped at Town Meeting. Ms. Birch-McMichael seconded the motion and it was passed unanimously.

Adjournment

At 8:53 a.m. Ms. Sturgis moved to adjourn. Ms. Frecha seconded the motion and it was passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Maureen McKeon, Executive Assistant

Documents used at this meeting. Items can be found in the Selectmen's Office filed with meeting folder:
2020 Annual Town Meeting Warrant