BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING MINUTES TOWN OF EPPING, NEW HAMPSHIRE November 17, 2021



ATTENDANCE

Chairman Mike Yergeau; Selectmen Joe Trombley, Tom Gauthier and John Cody, Town Administrator Gregory C. Dodge. Selectman Bob Jordan and Executive Secretary Joyce Blanchard were excused.

CALL TO ORDER

Following the Budget Committee meeting, Chairman Mike Yergeau called the meeting to order at 10:45 PM.

MANIFEST – POLICE CRUISER

Chief Michael Wallace had previously submitted purchase order #368 in the amount of \$31,137 for the purchase of a new patrol car with Irwin Motors at the November 15, 2021 meeting of the Board of Selectmen. The purchase order was approved but the police department needed the check in order to take delivery. A manifest was presented to the Board for \$31,137 payable to Irwin Motors.

Motion by Selectman John Cody to approve the manifest in the amount of \$31,137 made payable to Irwin Motors. Seconded by Selectman Tom Gauthier. Motion carried 4-0.

TAX WARRANT – 2ND BILLING

The second billing tax warrant was presented to the Selectmen for approval. The new rate having been set at the November 15, 2021 meeting.

Motion by Tom Gauthier to approve the second billing tax warrant. Seconded by Selectman John Cody. Motion carried 4-0.

FIRE DEPARTMENT BUDGET

At the November 15, 2021 meeting of the Board of Selectmen and at the request of Chief Don DeAngelis the Board approved a reduction in the part-time line of \$9,500 due to a miscalculation. The next day it was discovered that the original number was correct and the Chief was asking to have the \$9,500 restored in his budget.

Chairman Mike Yergeau made a motion to not restore the \$9,500 to the fire budget but there was no second.

Motion by Selectman Tom Gauthier to restore \$9,500 to the fire department budget (part-time line). Seconded by Selectman John Cody. Motion carries 3-1 with Chairman Mike Yergeau voting nay.

ADJOURN

Motion by Selectman John Cody to adjourn. Seconded by Selectman Joe Trombley. Motion

carried 4-0. Meeting adjourned at 10:55 PM. Respectfully Submitted, Gregory C. Dodge Town Administrator Mike Yergeau, Chairman Joe Trobley, Vice-Chairman Tom Gauthier, Selectman John Cody, Selectman Note: Selectman Bob Jordan was excused.

Date: November 29, 2021

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