

TOWN OF ESSEX
SELECTBOARD SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
Friday January 22, 2021

SELECTBOARD: Elaine Haney, Chair; Vince Franco; Dawn Hill-Fleury; Patrick Murray; Andy Watts

ADMINISTRATION and STAFF: Evan Teich, Unified Manager; Tammy Getchell, Assistant to the Manager; Sarah Macy; Finance Director / Assistant Manager

OTHERS PRESENT: Bruce Post; Ken Signorello; Irene Wrenner

1. CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Haney called the Essex Selectboard to order at 12:01 PM.

2. AGENDA ADDITIONS/ CHANGES

There were no additions or changes to the agenda.

3. AGENDA APPROVAL

With no proposed agenda changes, an approval was not necessary.

4. PUBLIC TO BE HEARD

a. Comments from Public on Items Not on Agenda

Ms. Wrenner said she was concerned with the lack of democratic process in recent weeks and the one-sided information presented on official Town venues.

5. BUSINESS ITEMS

a. Adjust date and warn second Public Hearing on FY2022 General Fund Budget

Mr. Teich said that due to warning requirements, the date set at the last Selectboard meeting to hold a second public hearing on the municipal budget is off by one day. If the meeting date stays as is on February 1, it would only be informational and no action could legally be taken.

DAWN HILL-FLEURY made a motion, seconded by PATRICK MURRAY, that the Selectboard change the date of the second public hearing on the FY22 General Fund budget from February 1, 2021 to Thursday January 28, 2021. The motion passed 5-0.

6. ADJOURN

VINCE FRANCO made a motion, seconded by DAWN HILL-FLEURY, to adjourn. The motion passed 5-0 at 12:09 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Tammy Getchell
Recording Secretary

Approved this _____ day of _____, 2021
(See minutes of this day for corrections, if any)

Vince Franco, Clerk, Selectboard