

#### **Town of Weston, Connecticut**

# Board of Selectmen Meeting Agenda December 7, 2023 at 7:30 pm Weston Town Hall Meeting Room and via Zoom

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- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Public Hearing: Support Service Fee in the Land Use Fee Ordinance Section 70-2 of Chapter 70, Fees, of the Code of the Town of Weston
- 4. Discussion and/or Decision regarding the Support Service Fee in the Land Use Fee Ordinance Section 70-2 of Chapter 70, Fees, of the Code of the Town of Weston
- 5. Discussion and/or Decision to appropriate a down payment from the General Fund to replace fire engine 7
- 6. Interview Marylou Jamieson for possible appointment to the Beautification Committee
- 7. Discussion and/or Decision to reappoint Donna Anastasia as Town Clerk for a term expiring December 31, 2027
- 8. Discussion and/or Decision to Appoint Douglas Ries to the Parks and Recreation Commission for a term ending December 31, 2025
- 9. Discussion and/or Decision to Appoint Jonny Cruz to the Veteran's Affairs Committee for a term ending June 30, 2025
- 10. Discussion and/or Decision to Appoint Deborah Low to the Board of Ethics effective January 1, 2024 for a term ending December 31, 2025
- 11. Discussion and/or Decision to refer the plan for the Weston Center Intersection and Pedestrian Improvements LOTCIP Project to the (1) Planning and Zoning Commission for a report pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 8-24; and (2) the Conservation Commission for review and approval of a permit for the plan.
- 12. Discussion and/or Decision on the Fiscal Year 2025 Budget Development Calendar
- 13. Approval of Tax Refunds
- 14. Approval of Minutes from the November 16, 2023 Regular Board of Selectmen Meeting
- 15. Adjournment



To: Board of Selectmen

From: Richelle Hodza, Land Use Director

Date: November 15, 2023

Re: Adoption of the Revised Support Service Fee (§70-2 of the Weston Town Code)

The proposed amendments to this Ordinance were adopted by the Board of Selectmen on October 21, 2021. However, it was recently discovered that the post-adoption notice procedures outlined in Section 4.4 of the Town Charter did not happen. As a result, this request is presented to you again. Thank you!

The Board of Selectmen adopted the Town's current land use fee ordinance on July 1, 2006. §70-2 of the Weston Town Code contains provisions for a Support Service Fee. The Support Service Fee permits the Planning & Zoning Commission, the Zoning Board of Appeals, and the Conservation Commission to engage the services of an outside consultant to evaluate and review an application with the costs of the review paid by the applicant. The Support Service Fee section of the land use fee ordinance expired on June 30, 2021. The Board of Selectmen last extended the Support Service fee on June 22, 2017 for the period of July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2021.

The Support Service Fee is a valuable tool for the land use boards, albeit a tool that they have utilized a limited number of times. I recommend that §70-2 of The Weston Town Code, Support Service Fee, be extended without an expiration date. The Town Attorney agrees with this recommendation. Additional revisions are proposed so the Support Service Fee is consistent with Section 2(b) of Public Act 21-29, permitting municipalities to charge land use board applicants the cost of reasonable fees associated with any necessary review by consultants.

#### History

In the fifteen years since the Support Service Fee was adopted, the Town's Conservation Commission has voted to require the fee five times. The most recent time was in November 2011 to engage Todd Ritchie, P.E. and Michelle Ford, Registered Professional Soil Scientist of GHD, Inc. to review an application to remediate wetlands violations on a site on Smith Ridge Road. The Commission approved the remediation plans and included permit conditions drafted by Mr. Ritchie. Mr. Ritchie also conducted site visits with staff, the Commission and the owner's land-scape architect to assure compliance. The independent review resulted in a successful remediation project. The Planning & Zoning Commission and the Zoning Board of Appeals have never utilized the Support Service Fee.

#### Section 70-2. Support Service Fee

- A. The Weston Planning & Zoning Commission, the Weston Zoning Board of Appeals, and/or the Weston Conservation Commission may require the services of outside consultants WITH EXPERTISE IN LAND USE to evaluate or supplement application materials. Technical areas subject to such services REVIEW include, but are not limited to, soil studies, water studies, traffic studies, building plans, engineering studies, surveys, etc. ARCHITECTURE, ENGINEERING, TRAFFIC, STORMWATER MANAGEMENT, SEWAGE DISPOSAL, WATER SUPPLY AND SIMILAR SYSTEMS.
- B. The decision to require the Support Service Fee shall be by affirmative vote of no fewer than five members of the Planning and Zoning Commission, or no fewer than five members of the Conservation Commission, unless there are only four members qualified to vote then a unanimous vote is required. The decision to require the Support Service Fee shall be by affirmative vote of no fewer than four members of the Zoning Board of Appeals. The fees for any outside consultant(s) shall be borne entirely by the applicant and shall be deposited with the Town prior to review of such application.
- C. The applicant shall deposit 150% of the estimated cost of REASONABLE FEES ASSOCIATED WITH ANY NECESSARY review of such application by such outside consultant(s), based on a preliminary estimate determined by a qualified party or expert, prior to review of such application. Upon completion of the technical review by the outside consultant(s), the Town shall determine the costs incurred for the review and refund the excess monies ANY AMOUNT OF THE FEE REMAINING AFTER PAYMENT OF ALL EXPENSES FOR SUCH TECHNICAL REVIEW, INCLUDING ANY INTEREST ACCRUED, to the applicant NOT LATER THAN FORTY-FIVE (45) DAYS AFTER COMPLETION OF THE TECHNICAL REVIEW. The applicant will not be responsible for any costs incurred for THE technical assistance REVIEW which exceed 150% of the collected estimate FEES. The effective date of this section of this section of the ordinance shall be July 1, 2008. This section of the ordinance shall expire on June 30, 2021, unless sooner extended by specific vote of the Board of Selectmen.

Adopted by Board of Selectmen

Effective Date

Expired

Amended

June 3, 2008

July 1, 2008

June 30, 2021

[April or May, 2023

Note: By vote of the Board of Selectmen on 5-7-2009, the support service fee was extended to 6-30-2011. By vote of the Board of Selectmen on 5-23-2011, the support service fee was extended to 60-30-2013. By vote of the Board of Selectmen on 6-10-2013, the support service fee was extended to 6-30-2017. By vote of the Board of Selectmen on 6-22-2017, the support fee was extended to 6-30-2021.



#### Samantha Nestor <snestor@westonct.gov>

#### [EXTERNAL] Fwd: Contract revised

2 messages

Terry Blake <car2@wvfd.com>

Mon, Nov 27, 2023 at 11:27 AM

To: Craig Cohen <ccohen@wvfd.com>, Samantha Nestor <snestor@westonct.gov>
Cc: John Pokorny <jpokorny@westonct.gov>

Good morning,

Attached is an updated version of the contract from Firematic for Engine 7.

Terry

Terrence Blake Deputy Fire Chief Weston Vol. Fire Department 54 Norfield Road Weston CT. 06883 203-222-2647

Begin forwarded message:

From: Jeff Horn < jhorn@firematic.com>

Date: November 27, 2023 at 11:19:08 AM EST

To: Terry Blake <car2@wvfd.com>

Subject: Contract revised

Hello Terry

I'm sorry about this mistake in the first contract of the build time. See attached for the contract with the corrected number of days to build the truck. All other paperwork should be fine seeing this document is the only one that stated build times

Have a great day

Jeff Horn

Service Manager/Truck Sales

914-417-2848 P

860-601-3667 C

jhorn@firematic.com



#### **CONTRACT**

**THIS AGREEMENT**, made by Firematic Supply Co., Inc., East Yaphank, NY, first party and Town of Weston, 56 Norfield Rd Weston, CT 06883, by its authorized representative, second party.

#### WITNESSETH:

**First.** The said first party hereby agrees to furnish the apparatus and equipment according to the specifications referenced in Bid 1620 and to deliver the same as hereinafter provided.

**Second.** The first party agrees that all material and workmanship in and about said apparatus and equipment shall comply with said specifications. In the event there is any conflict between Customer Specifications and the Firematic Proposal, the Firematic Proposal will prevail. The standard Pierce Manufacturing Warranty will apply.

**Third.** This contract for fire apparatus conforms with all Federal Department of Transportation (DOT) rules and regulations in effect at the time of contract signing, and with all National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) guidelines for Automotive Fire Apparatus as published at the time of contract signing, except as modified by customer specifications. Any increased cost incurred by first party because of future changes in or additions to said DOT or NFPA standards will be passed along to the customer as an addition to the price set forth below, upon written approval of the second party.

**Fourth**. The said apparatus and equipment shall be ready for delivery from Appleton WI within about 1440 days after receipt and acceptance of this contract at the first party's office at East Yaphank, New York. Delays due to strikes, failures to obtain chassis, materials or other causes beyond its control not preventing, and shall deliver to said party of the second part at Weston Fire Dept

Due to global supply chain constraints, any delivery date contained herein is a good faith estimate as of the date of this order/contract, and merely an approximation based on current information. Delivery updates will be made available, and a final firm delivery date will be provided as soon as possible.

**Fifth**. A competent serviceman shall upon request, be furnished by first party to demonstrate said apparatus for second party and to give its employees the necessary instructions in the operation and handling of said apparatus.

Sixth. The second party hereby purchases and agrees to pay for said apparatus and equipment, the sum of:

| One (1) new Pierce PUC pumper. Includes 1 factory trip with 3 members                         | \$ | 1,256,220.00    |
|---|----|-----------------|
| Includes \$30,000 in tool mounting<br>Prepay discount if \$600,000.00 paid net 30 of contract |    | \$ (102,229.00) |
| Total   | ā, | \$ 1,153,991.00 |

Payment shall be made directly to first party at its, East Yaphank, New York, office. Under no circumstances shall payment be made to any other party except Firematic Supply Co, Inc.



Any representation that payment is authorized to be made to another party is in violation of this agreement. Net payment is due upon acceptance at the Fire House of the second party.

Payment is due upon delivery and acceptance.

**Seventh.** In case the second party desires to test the apparatus, such test shall be made within ten (10) days after arrival at destination and a written report of such test forthwith delivered to the first party at its principal office at East Yaphank, New York. If no such test is to be made, or if no such report be made by the second party within ten (10) days after arrival, then said apparatus and equipment shall be considered as fully complying with customers specifications.

**Eighth.** It is agreed that the apparatus and equipment covered by this contract shall remain the property of the first party, until the entire contract price has been paid.

**Ninth.** This contract to be binding must be signed and approved by an officer of Firematic Supply Co, Inc., or someone authorized by it to do so. This contract and specifications take precedence over all previous negotiations and no representations are considered as entering into this contract except as are contained herein or in the specifications attached hereto. This contract cannot be altered or modified except by mutual written agreement signed by the parties.

**Tenth.** If the Producer Price Index of Components for Manufacturing [www.bls.gov Series ID: WPUID6112] ("PPI") has increased at a compounded annual growth rate of 5.0% or more between the month Pierce accepts our order ("Order Month") and a month 14 months prior to the then predicted Ready For Pickup date ("Evaluation Month"), then pricing may be updated in an amount equal to the increase in PPI over 5.0% for each year or fractional year between the Order Month and the Evaluation Month.

The seller will document any such updated price for the customer's approval before proceeding and provide an option to cancel the order without charge if the updated price isn't accepted.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the said parties have caused these presents to be executed and the second party has caused its seal to be affixed and attested by its authorized representatives dated on this day of 11/21/2023

| FIREMATIC SUPPLY CO, INC. | Town of Weston |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| Ву                        | Ву             |
| Date of Acceptance        |                |
|                           |                |

# Weston Volunteer Fire Department Capital Procurement Plan Fiscal Years 2024-2045

| Description               | Actual Cost<br>2023-24 | Actual Quote<br>2024-25 | Estimate<br>2025-26 | Estimate<br>2026-27 | Estimate<br>2027-28 | Estimate<br>2028-29 | Estimate<br>2029-30 | Estimate<br>2030-31            | Estimate Estimate 2031-2032 2032-2033 |     | Estimate E | Estimate Estimate<br>2034-2035 2035- |       | Estimate<br>2036-2037 | Estimate<br>2037-2038     | Estimate Estimate 2038- |     | Estimate Es<br>2041- | Estimate E | Estimate<br>2044-2045       | Estimate<br>2045-2046 |
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| Rescue 5 (2003)           | \$1,140,000            |                         |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                                |                                       |     |            |                                      |       |                       |                           |                         |     |                      | S1         | 51,450,000                  |                       |
| Engine 7 (2001)           |                        | \$1,153,991             |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                                |                                       |     |            |                                      |       |                       |                           |                         |     |                      |            |                             | \$1,400,000           |
| Engine 1 (2005)           |                        |                         |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     | \$1,250,000                    |                                       |     |            |                                      |       |                       |                           |                         |     |                      |            |                             |                       |
| Engine 2 (2018)           |                        |                         |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                                |                                       |     |            |                                      |       | Ψ/                    | \$1,300,000               |                         |     |                      |            |                             |                       |
| Engine 3 (2009)           |                        |                         |                     |                     | 07                  | \$1,250,000         |                     |                                |                                       |     |            |                                      |       |                       |                           |                         |     |                      |            |                             |                       |
| Engine 4 (2010)           |                        |                         |                     |                     |                     |                     | \$1,300,000         |                                |                                       |     |            |                                      |       |                       |                           |                         |     |                      |            |                             |                       |
| Truck 6 (2004)            |                        |                         | 000'065             |                     |                     |                     |                     |                                |                                       |     |            |                                      |       |                       |                           |                         |     |                      |            |                             |                       |
| Truck 8 (2015)            |                        |                         |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     | \$95,000                       |                                       |     |            |                                      |       |                       |                           |                         |     |                      |            |                             |                       |
| SCBA (2021)               |                        |                         |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                                |                                       |     |            |                                      | 97    | \$700,000             |                           |                         |     |                      |            |                             |                       |
| SCBA Compressor<br>(2011) |                        |                         |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |                                | \$125,000                             |     |            |                                      |       |                       |                           |                         |     |                      |            |                             |                       |
|                           | 51,140,000             | \$1,153,991             | 000'06\$            | 0\$                 | \$0                 | \$0 \$1,250,000 \$1 |                     | ,300,000 \$1,345,000 \$125,000 | \$125,000                             | \$0 | \$0        | \$0                                  | \$0\$ | 000,007               | \$0 \$700,000 \$1,300,000 | 80                      | 0\$ | \$0                  | \$0\$      | \$0 \$1,450,000 \$1,400,000 | \$1,400,000           |

Engine 7 was due to be replaced 22/23. Quote current as of November 2023

Total projected over next 20 years is \$10,113,991 OR \$505,700 per year on average

Current time from order to delivery is 3-4 years

NFPA 1901; Standard for Automotive Fire Apparatus: To maximize fire fighter capabilities and minimize risk of injuries, it is important that fire apparatus be equipped with the latest safety features and operating capabilities. In the last 10 to 15 years, much progress has been made in upgrading functional capabilities and improving the safety features of fire apparatus ranner than 15 years old might include only a few of the safety upgrades required by the recent actions of the WFA fire department apparatus standards or the equivalent Underwriters Laboratories of Canada (ULC) standards. Because the changes, upgrades, and fine runing to NFPA 1901 have been truly significant, sopecially in the area of safety, fire departments should seriously consider the value for risk) to fine fighters of Keeping fire apparatus more than 15 years old in first-line service.

| Marylou Alexis Jamieson   |  |                     |
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| Position Interested In? (Check all that apply)  |  | St                  |
| Beautification Committee  | e<br>V                                   |                     |
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| Email   |  |                     |
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| Participation requires that you are a registered voter in the To Weston?  | own of Weston. Are you a registered      | d to vote in        |
| Yes   | a  |                     |
| Political Party Affiliation: Per state statute and town charter, t representation   | his information is required to ensu      | re minority party   |
| Republican Party  | 4.                                       |                     |
| Describe your interest and what you would like to contribute  | to this Board/Commission/Commit          | tee                 |
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| My husband has been on the board for several years. We are both mejoining him on the committee to move the goals of the committee Hahn retires in June. My husband and I have planted over 2800 fliget our hands dirty.   | ee forward. We have offered to cocha     | ii when Claudia     |
| Please include a brief bio or email your resume/CV to executi   | iveassistant@westonct.gov                |                     |
| My husband and I have lived in Weston 41 years and have raised<br>and committees in Weston over the years as well as volunteering<br>high school where I was instrumental in developing the college re<br>assessment appeals in Weston. I am an avid gardener, and I appr | presentative visits. I recently was elec | ted to the board of |
| Any additional information you would like us to know  |  |                     |
| I am a licensed realtor with Coldwell Banker and Westport since 2   | 2004 where I have represented both b     | uyers and sellers.  |

**Full Name** 

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Thank you,
Town of Weston, Connecticut

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Position Interested In? (Check all that apply)

Parks & Recreation Commission

Phone

Email

Participation requires that you are a registered voter in the Town of Weston. Are you a registered to vote in Weston?

Yes

Political Party Affiliation: Per state statute and town charter, this information is required to ensure minority party representation

Republican Party

Describe your interest and what you would like to contribute to this Board/Commission/Committee

I am interested in helping to promote extracurricular activities - primarily sport oriented - within our town. I tend to have the ability to find and present creative solutions to problems and sometimes bring to light problems that may arise in projects. I have Enjoyed working with a group whose primary goal is to promote health and happiness to the people (kids included) of this town. I feel my experience as a "problem solver" in the construction industry will assist and benefit the commission.

Please include a brief bio or email your resume/CV to executiveassistant@westonct.gov

I graduated from Downingtown Sr high school in Downingtown Pa. I Attended Clemson Univ 1981 thru 1985. I have lived in Ct since 1985 including Bridgeport, Stratford, Trumbull, and since 2007 lived in Weston with my wife Lynn. I have been working in Weston since 1991. Our daughter Sophia (12) is involved with softball, basketball, and band - previously also tennis and swimming. I am currently a licensed new home, home improvement, and pool contractor, in business since 1989.

Any additional information you would like us to know

I am currently on the softball BOD. I have worked with the parks and rec department, commission and the BOS on field improvements to Morehouse farm park, which are currently underway,

Thank you,

**Town of Weston, Connecticut** 

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| Full Name  |  |   |
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| Johnny Cruz  |  |   |
| Weston Address   |  |   |
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|  | is:  |   |
| Position Interested In? (Check all that apply)   |  |   |
| Veterans Affairs Committee   | ge 19  |   |
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| Participation requires that you are a registered voter in the Town of  | Weston. Are you a registered to vote in Weston?  |   |
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| Yes  | is required to ensure minority party   |   |
| Political Party Affiliation: Per state statute and town charter, this inforepresentation   | ormation is required to ensure millority party   |   |
| Unaffiliated (no party affiliation)  |  |   |
| Describe your interest and what you would like to contribute to this   | Board/Commission/Committee   |   |
| As a current member of the Air Force, I feel I have valuable insight on the programs. Additionally, I have a vested interest in caring for the people whearn more about the pulse of the veteran population in Weston, and hope found that often times veterans have trouble explaining situations they've | who have paved the way for what I do today. I would like to be fully foster the development of a veteran community. I have | * |
| Please include a brief bio or email your resume/CV to executiveassi  | stant@westonct.gov   |   |
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| I recently moved to Weston, in May of 2020, from New York. I work for the currently on a full time military tour. I have served on several councils acrorovide a resume and my military biography.   |  |   |
| Any additional information you would like us to know   | α  |   |
| Thank you,<br>Town of Weston, Connecticut  |  |   |
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| Deborah Low  |
| Weston Address   |
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| Position Interested In? (Check all that apply)   |
| Board of Ethics  |
| Phone  |
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| Email  |
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| Participation requires that you are a registered voter in the Town of Weston. Are you a registered to vote in Weston?  |
| Yes  |
| Political Party Affiliation: Per state statute and town charter, this information is required to ensure minority party representation  |
| Democratic Party   |
| Describe your interest and what you would like to contribute to this Board/Commission/Committee  |
| My husband and I moved to Weston in 2022 after having lived nearby for 35 years. My career was in education and positions included Superintendent of Schools, Assistant Superintendent, and High School Principal. I worked in Wilton and Ridgefield. After retiring, I was elected to the Wilton Board of Education in 2017 and served as Chair from 2019-2022. I believe my background and experience provides a good foundation from which to assess concerns that would come before the Board of Ethics. |
| Please include a brief bio or email your resume/CV to executiveassistant@westonct.gov  |
|  |
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| I will email my resume.  |
| Any additional information you would like us to know   |
| Thank you, Town of Weston, Connecticut   |
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#### **DEBORAH LOW**

#### WESTON, CONNECTICUT 06883

EMAIL: 1

.. CELL PHONE:

**EDUCATION** 

University of Michigan

1981-87

Enrolled in Doctoral program in Educational foundations, Policy, and Administration; School of Education. Completed all course work, exams, dissertation research.

State University of New York at Binghamton

MAT in English

1979

State University of New York at Binghamton

BA in English

1973

**ELECTED OFFICIAL EXPERIENCE** 

Chair, Wilton Board of Education

2019-2022

Member, Wilton Board of Education

2017-2019

PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Superintendent of Schools, Ridgefield Public Schools

2007-2015

Ridgefield, CT

District executive leader for high-performing suburban district of 5,400 students; improved infrastructure for strategic planning, data-based decision-making, special education services, personnel management, technology framework, and policy review; program initiatives include full day kindergarten, improved math and reading instruction, increased attention to student social and emotional needs, increased high school instructional time and new courses; community and parent outreach; comprehensive security plan; annual budget development and financial management during recession; \$85M budget and 700 staff members

#### Assistant Superintendent, Wilton Public Schools

2004-2007

Wilton, CT

K-12 program leadership; budget development; technology planning; staff training; curriculum development; district assessment; staff evaluation

Principal, Wilton High School

Wilton, CT

1998-2004

Overall program leadership; front-line operations and management; curriculum oversight; parent and community relations; building projects; high school assessments; staff evaluation

| Administrator | for | Secondary | Curriculum |
|---------------|-----|-----------|------------|
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1994-1998 Wilton, CT Secondary curriculum leadership; budget development; technology and program planning

#### Associate Principal, Wilton High School

1988-1998

Wilton, CT

Daily building operations; master schedule development; program assessment; staff recruitment and evaluation

#### Dean of Students, Wilton High School

1987-1988

1986-1987

2001-2004

Wilton, CT

Student activities; student discipline and attendance; staff evaluation; student support services

| Field Placement Coordinator                 |
|---|
| School of Education, University of Michigan |
| Ann Arbor, Michigan                         |
| Student teaching placement and coordination |

| TEACHING EXPERIENCE English teacher, Community High School Ann Arbor, Michigan   | 1977-1986 |
|--|-----------|
| Language Arts teacher, West Junior High School<br>Binghamton, New York   | 1976-1977 |
|  | $\times$  |
| RELATED EXPEIENCE Executive Board, Connecticut Association of Public School Superintendents (CAPSS)                    | 2011-2014 |
| Board of Directors, Connecticut Association of Public School<br>Superintendents (CAPSS)                                | 2009-2011 |
| President, Southern Fairfield County Superintendent group,<br>Connecticut Association of Public School Superintendents | 2009-2011 |
| Mentor, Administrator Aspirant Program Connecticut Principal's Center and Cooperative Educational Services             | 2001-2003 |
| President, Fairfield County Association of Secondary Principals  | 2001-2002 |
| Secretary, Fairfield County Association of Secondary Principals  | 2000-2001 |

President, Wilton Association of School Administrators



Incorporated 1787
Office of First Selectwoman Samantha Nestor

To:

Members of the Planning & Zoning Commission

From:

Samantha Nestor, First Selectwoman

Subject:

Town Center Intersection and Pedestrian Safety Improvements (LOTCIP Funded)

Date:

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I submit on behalf of the Board of Selectmen a referral for a report seeking the Planning & Zoning Commission's positive report under Connecticut General Statutes Section 8-24 for improvements associated with the Town Center Intersection and Pedestrian Safety Improvements Project including the sale of a portion of town-owned property to the Connecticut Department of Transportation (CT DOT) for right-of-way purposes.

The project includes improvements in the Town Center:

- 1. Intersection of Weston Road (Route 57) and School Road: The construction of an exclusive northbound right turn lane, a southbound bypass area and improved traffic signal operations.
- 2. Lords Highway from the playing field next to School Road to Old Hyde Road: The addition of approximately 2,000 linear feet of 5' wide sidewalks in this area will provide students who currently walk on the grass shoulder or edge of the narrow road with a safer pedestrian experience.
- 3. Norfield Road from Town Hall Complex to Norfield Church: The addition of approximately 600 linear feet of 5' wide concrete sidewalks along the northern side of Norfield Road will provide sidewalk connections from the Town Hall Complex and Library to the adjacent Norfield Church.

This project will provide a safe and inviting pedestrian environment in and around the Weston Town Center, which includes Town Schools, Municipal Buildings, the Town Library and other destinations. The State awarded the Town a Local Transportation Capital Improvement Program Grant in the amount of \$1.85 million to cover 100% of the construction costs. The Town is responsible for designing the project which has been initiated with SLR Consulting, Inc. A copy of the Roadway and Sidewalk Plans from the 30% Design Plan Set is attached. Construction is anticipated for Spring 2024.

The proposed sale of town-owned property to the CT DOT includes the sale of a portion of both lot Map ID 22-6-27 (5 School Rd) and lot Map ID 22-6-28 (56 Norfield Rd). The land would be deeded to the CT DOT for right-of-way purposes to accommodate the new turning lanes along Weston Rd, CT Route 57 (a state-owned roadway). The total area to be deeded to the CT DOT is approximately 6,617 square feet comprised of one area north of School Rd approximately 1,688 square feet, and one area south of School Rd, approximately 4,929 square feet. A copy of the preliminary right-of-way map is attached.

The Board of Selectmen seeks a positive CGS Section 8-24 report from the Planning & Zoning Commission for 1) improvements associated with the Town Center Intersection and Pedestrian Safety Improvements Project and 2) the sale of a portion of town-owned property to the Connecticut Department of Transportation for right-of-way purposes.

#### Attachments:

30% Design Plans (Roadway and Sidewalk Plans Sheets 21-28) Preliminary Right-of-Way Map

# TOWN CENTER & PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS

NORFIELD ROAD, AND LORDS HIGHWAY WESTON ROAD, SCHOOL ROAD,

WESTON, CONNECTICUT

LOTCIP PROJECT NO. 1457-001 SLR PROJECT NO. 141.11811,00022 PRELIMINARY DESIGN JUNE 2023

### GENERAL NOTES

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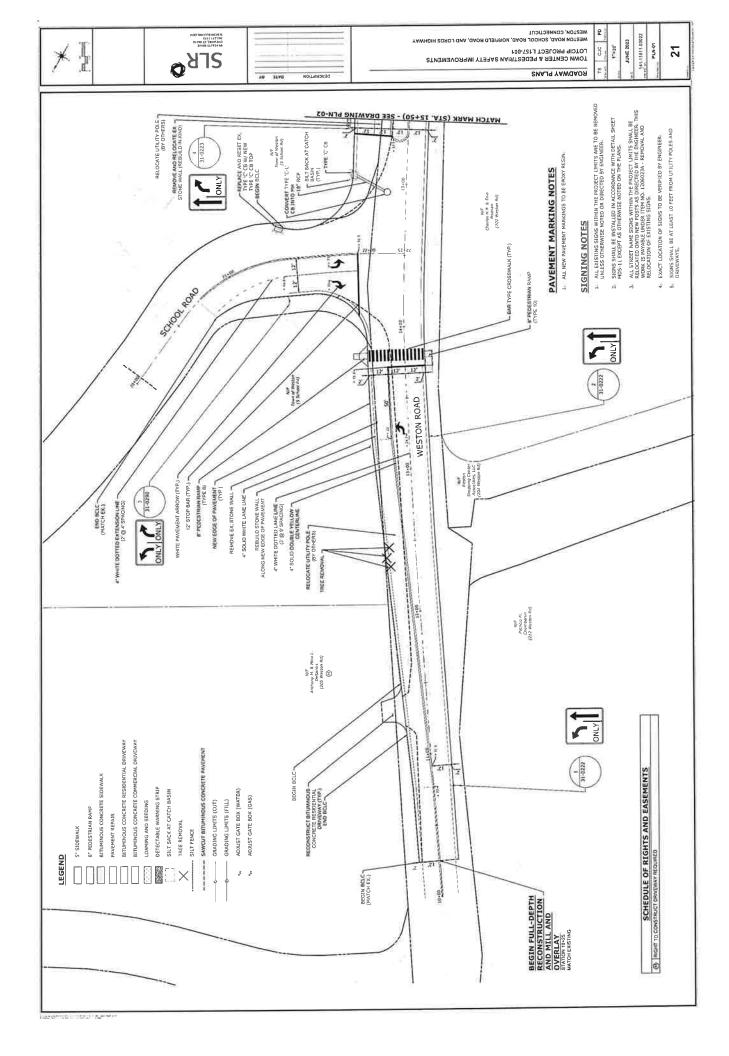
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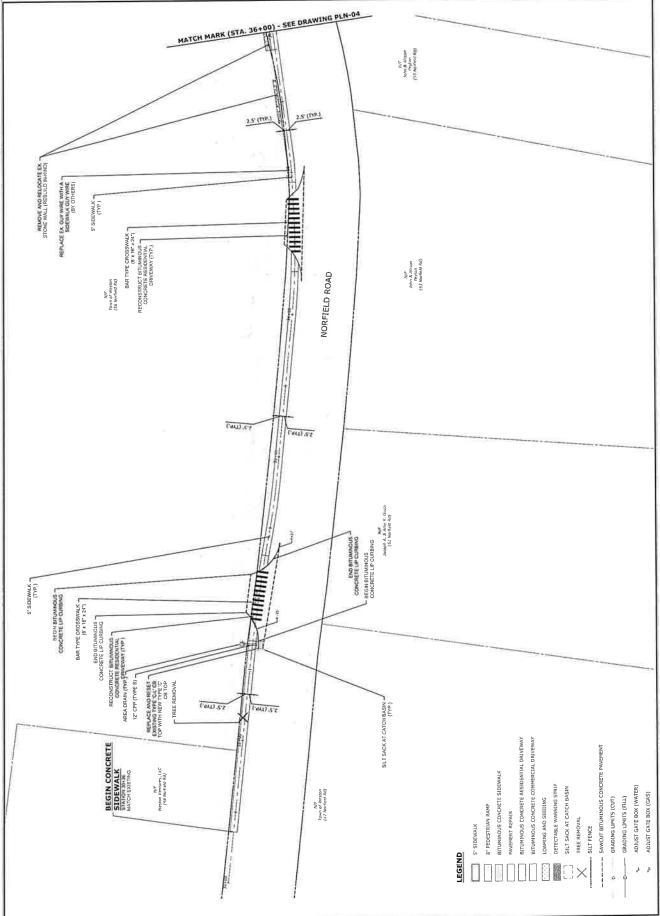
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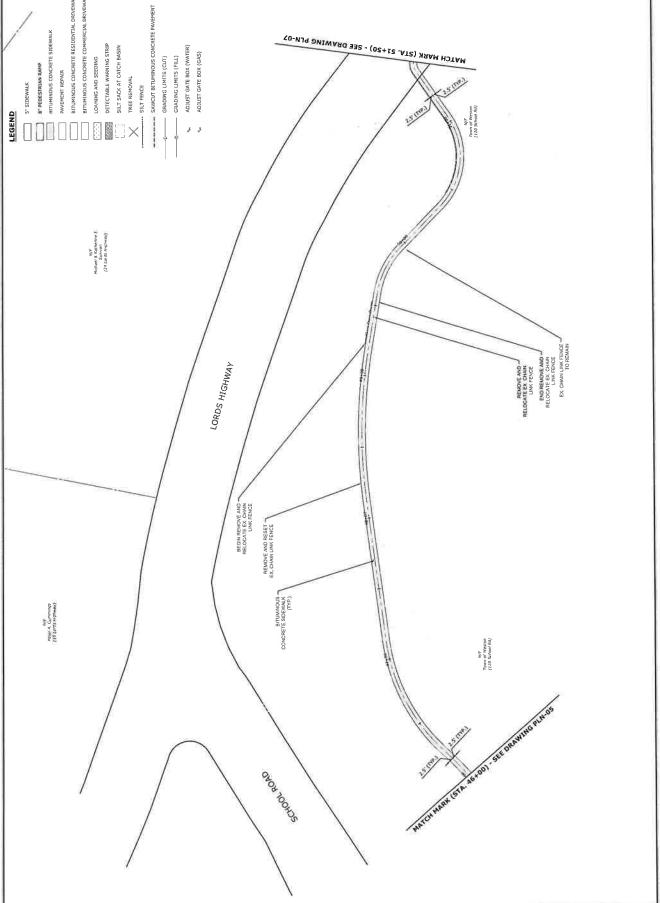


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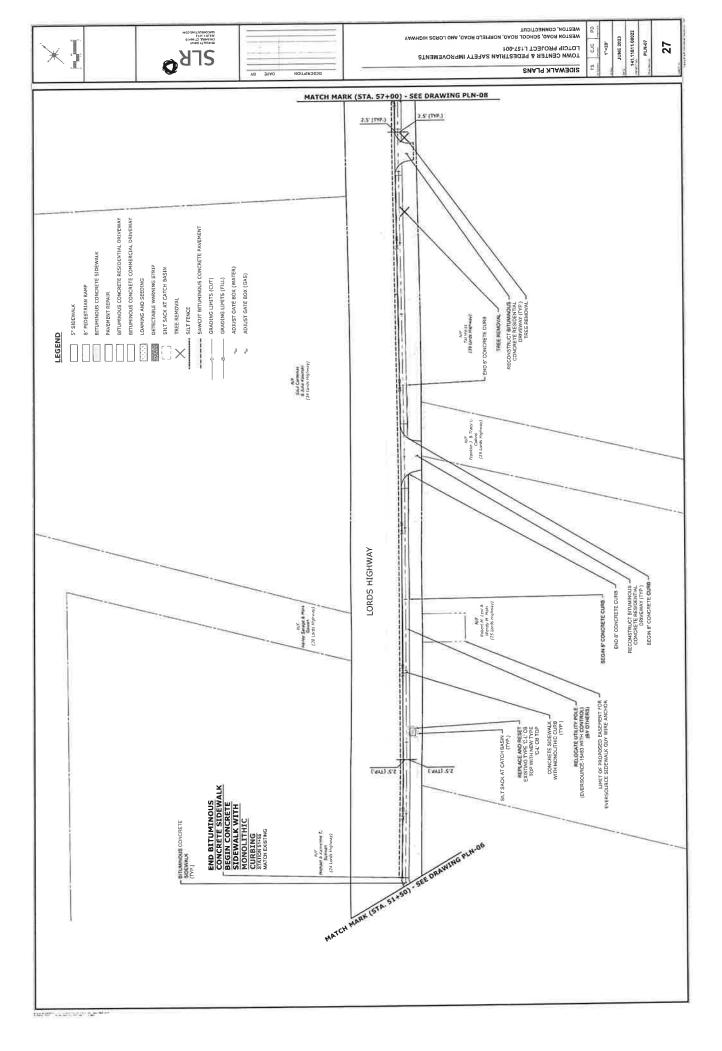
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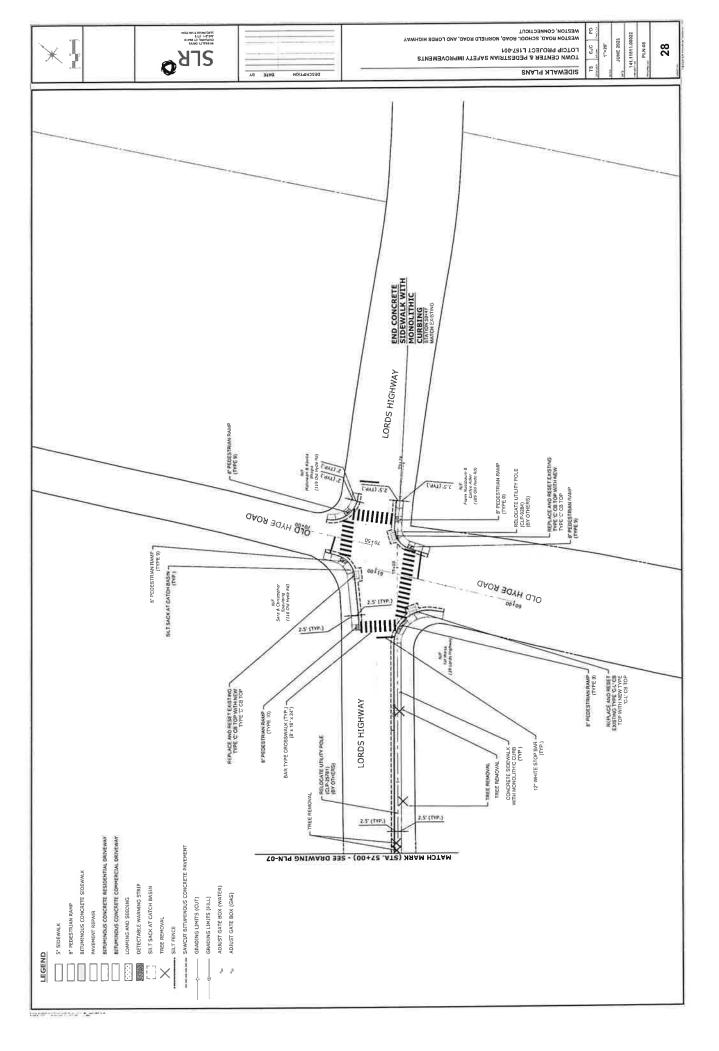
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#### BUDGET DEVELOPMENT CALENDAR FISCAL YEAR 2024-25 BUDGET

| Nov. 28, 2023                 | Budget package/forms sent to departments                                   |
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| Dec. 28, 2023                 | Departments submit budget requests via email to Darcy at                   |
| ,                             | executiveassistant@westonct.gov by Noon (Charter requires                  |
| ₹                             | submission by Jan. 14)   |
| Jan. 8 through Jan. 12, 2024  | Departments meet with First Selectwoman, Town Administrator &              |
|                               | Finance Director for a review of initial budget requests                   |
| Week of Jan. 15 <sup>th</sup> | Select departments (TBD) meet with First Selectman, Town                   |
|                               | Administrator & Finance Director for the purpose of follow up              |
|                               | discussions  |
| Feb. 2, 2024                  | Board of Selectmen receives proposed budgets from the Board of             |
|                               | Education (Charter requires by Feb. 3 <sup>rd</sup> )                      |
| Feb. 9, 2024, 6:00 pm         | Board of Selectmen receives First Selectwoman proposed budget              |
|                               | books (Charter requires by Feb. 10 <sup>th)</sup>                          |
| Feb. 14, 2024, 6:00 pm        | Board of Selectmen reviews Board of Education proposed budget.             |
| Feb. 15, 2024, 6:00 pm        | Board of Selectmen reviews the First Selectwoman's proposed                |
|                               | budget   |
| Feb. 26, 2024, 6:00 pm        | Board of Selectmen votes on and transmits First Selectwoman's              |
|                               | budget including any alterations as proposed, as well as the Board         |
| l)                            | of Education budget (Charter requires by March 1 <sup>st</sup> ). Board of |
|                               | Selectmen also nominates moderator for the ATBM.                           |
| March 4, 2024                 | Board of Selectmen proposed budget books sent to the Board of              |
|                               | Finance  |
| March 6, 2024, 6:00 pm        | Board of Finance reviews Board of Education budget request                 |
| March 12, 2024, 6:00 pm       | Board of Finance reviews Board of Selectmen budget request                 |
| March 14, 2024, 6:00 pm       | Board of Finance continues reviews of Board of Education's budget          |
|                               | request and Board of Selectmen's Budget, if necessary                      |
| March 22, 2024                | Town Clerk to publish notice of public hearing on budget (Charter          |
|                               | requires 10 days prior to public hearing)                                  |
| April 2, 2024, 6:00 pm        | Board of Finance holds public hearing on budget request (Charter           |
| -                             | requires this meeting be held at least two weeks prior to ATBM)            |
| April 4, 2024, 6:00 pm        | Board of Finance budget deliberation meeting                               |
| April 8, 2024, 6:00 pm        | (if necessary) Board of Finance budget deliberation meeting                |
| April 19, 2024                | Town Clerk to publish and post notice of Annual Town Budget                |
|                               | meeting (Charter requires at least five days prior to meeting)             |
| April 24, 2024, 8:00 pm       | Annual Town Budget meeting at Weston High School Auditorium                |
| May 4, 2024, 12-8:00 pm       | Annual Town Budget Referendum at Weston Town Hall                          |
| May 6, 2024                   | Board of Finance meets to set mill rate                                    |

This schedule was adopted by the Board of Selectmen on \_\_\_\_\_and is subject to change For the latest schedule, visit <a href="https://www.westonct.gov/government/municipal-departments/finance">https://www.westonct.gov/government/municipal-departments/finance</a>

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#### **Town of Weston, Connecticut**

### Board of Selectmen Meeting Minutes November 16, 2023 at 7:30 pm Weston Town Hall Meeting Room and via Zoom

- 1. Call to Order: First Selectwoman Samantha Nestor called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm. Also in attendance were Selectman Anthony Pesco, Selectman Kerem Dinlenc, Executive Assistant Darcy Barrera-Hawes, Director of Public Works and Facilities Larry Roberts, Commission for the Arts member Marc Fontaine, Douglas Ries, Johnny Cruz, Deborah Low, and members of the public. First Selectwoman Nestor welcomed Selectman Tony Pesco and Selectman Kerem Dinlenc to their first meeting as members of the Board of Selectmen.
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance: Selectman Pesco and Selectman Dinlenc led in the Pledge of Allegiance.
- 3. Interview Marylou Jamieson for possible appointment to the Beautification Committee: Postponed
- 4. Interview Douglas Ries for possible appointment to the Parks and Recreation Commission: The Board of Selectmen interviewed Douglas Ries for the possible appointment to the Parks and Recreation Commission.
- 5. **Interview Jonny Cruz for possible appointment to the Veteran's Affairs Committee:** The Board of Selectmen interviewed Johnny Cruz for possible appointment to the Veterans Affairs Committee.
- 6. **Interview Deborah Low for possible appointment to the Board of Ethics**: The Board of Selectmen interviewed Deborah Low for a possible appointment to the Board of Ethics.
- 7. Reappointment of Tree Warden, Tom Failla, for a term ending June 30, 2024: <u>Selectman Pesco made a to reappoint Tom Failla to the position of Tree Warden for a term ending June 30, 2024.</u> Selectman Dinlenc seconded the motion. <u>Motion passed unanimously.</u>
- 8. Reappointment of Tax Collector, Cathleen Neblett, for a term ending June 30, 2025: Selectman Dinlenc made a motion to reappoint Cathleen Neblett as Tax Collector for a term ending June 30, 2025. Selectman Pesco seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.
- 9. Reappointment of Town Treasurer, Richard Darling, for a term ending June 30, 2025: <u>Selectman Pesco made a motion to appoint Richard Darling as Town Treasurer for a term ending June 30, 2025. Selectman Dinlenc seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.</u>
- 10. Reappointment of Emergency Management Director and LEPC Chair, Sgt Joseph Miceli, for an indefinite term: <u>Selectman Pesco made a motion to reappoint Sgt Joseph Miceli as Emergency Management Director and Local Emergency Planning Committee Chair for an indefinite term. Selectman Pesco seconded the motion.</u> Discussion took place regarding the term ending date. <u>Motion passed unanimously</u>.

- 11. Discussion and /or Decision to re-establish the position of Assistant Transfer Station Operator from January 1, 2024 through June 30, 2024: Discussion took place with Larry Roberts, Director of Public Works and Facilities, it was stated than an appropriation would not be required to fund this position in this fiscal year. Selectman Dinlenc made a motion to approve re-establishing the position of Assistant Transfer Station Operator from January 1, 2024 through June 30, 2024. Selectman Pesco seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.
- 12. Discussion and/or Decision to approve a supplemental appropriation of \$3,000 for the Commission for the Arts: Discussion took place with Marc Fontaine of the Commission for the Arts regarding the request for a supplemental appropriation for the holiday music festival and tree lighting to be held November 30, 2023. Selectman Pesco made a motion to approve a supplemental appropriation of \$3,000 for the Commission for the Arts. Selectman Dinlenc seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.
- 13. Authorization of the First Selectwoman to execute the certified resolution for the 2023 Small Town Economic Assistance Program (STEAP) Grant for \$428,240: Discussion took place with Larry Roberts regarding the STEP Grant for the Department of Public Works roof solar panel project. Selectman Dinlenc made a motion to execute the certified resolution to accept the 2023 Small Town Economic Assistance Program Grant for \$428,240. Selectman Pesco seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.
- 14. Discussion and/or decision to set a public hearing date for a proposed Support Service Fee Ordinance §70-2 of Town Code: First Selectwoman Nestor discussed the Support Service Fee Ordinance. Selectman Pesco made a motion to set a public hearing date of December 7, 2023 at 7:30 pm for the adoption of the Support Service Fee Ordinance, Town Code Section 70.2 Selectmen Dinlenc seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.
- 15. Discussion and/or decision to set the Board of Selectmen meeting calendar for 2024 per Section 4.3 of the Town Charter: Selectman Dinlenc made a motion to set the 2024 Board of Selectmen meeting calendar for the first and third Thursday of every month at 7:30 pm. Selectman Pesco seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.
- 16. Discussion and/or decision to elect from the BOS a Selectman who, in the temporary absence of the First Selectman, shall act as First Selectman per Section 5.2 of the Town Charter: <u>Selectman Dinlenc made a motion to elect Tony Pesco as Acting First Selectman per Town Charter Section 5.2. First Selectwoman Nestor seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.</u>
- 17. Adjournment: <u>Selectman Pesco made a motion to adjourn.</u> <u>Selectman Dinlenc seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.</u> Meeting adjourned at 8:31 pm