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## **MEETING MINUTES**

August 29, 2022

**Board Members Present:** Geraldine Walter, Jessica Perotti and Beverly Gilbert

**Board Members Absent:** None

**Regional Resource Group Present:** Harald Scheid, from 9:15 am – 10:12 am

**Town Administrator Present:** Kathe Warden, from 10:42 am – 11:15 am

**Public Present:** None

The meeting is called to order at 9:15 am.

### **Reviewed:**

- There is a brief discussion regarding property values while the board allows time for residents that may have comments on any outstanding applications.
- As it appears there will be no one attending from the public, Jess **makes a motion** to go into Executive Session as discussions in open session may be detrimental to the town. Bev **seconds the motion**. Geri calls for a roll-call vote:
  - Geraldine Walter: aye
  - Beverly Gilbert: aye
  - Jessica Perotti: aye
  - All in favor. **Motion passes.** The board begins its Executive Session at 9:25 am.
- Jess **makes a motion** to return to open session. Bev **seconds the motion**. Geri calls for a roll-call vote:
  - Geraldine Walter: aye
  - Beverly Gilbert: aye
  - Jessica Perotti: aye
  - All in favor. **Motion passes.** The board returns to open session at 9:33 am.
- Chapter 61 applications: The board asks Harald the status of the Chapter 61 applications for FY 2023. Harald says he will take a look at the file before he leaves Town Hall today.
- Bev has some questions for Harald regarding the tax rate setting schedule for FY 2023. Harald says he will provide an updated schedule by the end of the day. Harald dismisses himself from the meeting at 10:12 am.
- Review and approval of meeting minutes: Following their review of the minutes for the meeting held August 19, 2022- including the Executive Session, Bev **makes a motion to approve**. Geri **seconds the motion** with the condition that the wording be changed from "disagree" to "contest" in the first paragraph. Bev and Jess agree. Bev clarifies the Executive Session portion of the meeting will not be released to the public. Jess and Geri agree. Geri calls for the vote. All in favor. **Motion passes.**
- Motor Vehicle abatements: The board processes an outstanding application from the last meeting.
- Adjournment: Bev **makes a motion** to adjourn. Jess **seconds the motion**. All in favor. **Motion passes.** The meeting is adjourned at 12:29 pm.