

Board of Selectmen's Meeting
August 16, 2012

Present: First Selectman Gayle Weinstein; Selectman David Muller; Selectman Dennis Tracey; Town Administrator Tom Landry; Administrative Assistant Judy DeVito;

This meeting was recorded and videotaped. Copies are available in the Selectmen's office. The meetings are available for viewing online via the Town's website.

Ms. Weinstein called the meeting to order at 7:30pm

Pledge of Allegiance

Discussion/decision regarding the appointment of Cathryn J. Prince to fill a vacancy on the Veterans Affairs Committee for a term to expire December 31, 2012-Cathryn said that she has lived in Weston for 11 ½ years. She has been involved in supporting veterans for about five years by adopting platoons. Her Dad is a Vietnam veteran, so veteran's issues have been very important to her personally.

Mr. Tracey moved to appoint Cathryn Prince to fill a vacancy on the Veterans Affairs Committee for a term to expire December 31, 2012. Mr. Muller seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

Discussion/decision regarding the reappointment of David Coprio to the Building Committee for a term to expire June 30, 2014-Mr. Coprio said he has been on the Building Committee since 1981. He is a builder and a construction consultant and enjoys being on the committee. He gave the Selectmen some background on the school building project.

Mr. Tracey asked if Mr. Coprio thought that the Building Committee was functioning in a way that was beneficial to the Town at this point. Mr. Coprio said he thinks that the committee functions very well, especially since the advent of the new construction to the school. Everyone on the committee is related in some way to the building industry and they work well as a group.

Mr. Muller moved to appoint David Coprio to the Building Committee for a term to expire June 30, 2014. Mr. Tracey seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

Discussion/decision regarding the reappointment of Andi Luciano Fine to the Commission for the Arts for a term to expire June 30, 2014- Andi was unable to attend the meeting.

Discussion/decision regarding the appointment of Michiel Zegers to the Conservation Commission to fill the vacancy (Howard Aibel) for a term to expire December 31, 2013. Mr. Zegers has lived in Weston a total of 20 years. He used to work for an environmental firm so he has done some environmental work. A lot of what he did was involved asbestos work, environmental site audits, and they did a water quality study for water pollution through the New York City area. He has an affinity for the environment and this is a nice option to do something to give back to the Town.

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Mr. Tracey moved to appoint Michiel Zegers to fill the vacancy on the Conservation Commission for a term to expire December 31, 2013. Mr. Muller seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

Open Items

Updates

Grants- Gayle Weinstein- No new news

Regionalization- She had a conversation with Bill Brennan the First Selectman in Wilton who is going to talk to his people and get back to her. She hopes to have some information for the Selectmen sometime in September.

Windows and Doors project at Weston Middle School-

Any other business to come properly before the meeting-None

Discussion/approval of the Board of Selectmen's meeting minutes of August 2, 2102.

Mr. Muller moved to approve the minutes of the August 2, 2012 Board of Selectmen's meeting. Mr. Tracey seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

At 7:43pm Mr. Tracey moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Muller seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted

Judy M. DeVito
Administrative Assistant
Approved 9/6/12