

# TOWN OF LIBERTY

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## MINUTES LIBERTY BOARD OF SELECTMEN OCTOBER 3, 2016 7:00 PM

In attendance: Melinda Steeves (1<sup>st</sup> Selectman); Carrie Peavey (2<sup>nd</sup> Selectman); Henry Hall (3<sup>rd</sup> Selectman); Denise Glick (Town Administrator); Betsey Davis (Treasurer); Hannah Hatfield (Deputy Treasurer); Kathy Reynolds & Betsey Cody (Bangor Savings); Dana Phillipi, Richard King & Bill Gillespie (Public)

1. Open Meeting 7:03 p.m.
2. Approve Minutes
  - a. Minutes of the September 26, 2016 meeting were reviewed and approved with changes and additions.
3. Public Comment:
  - a. Kathy Reynolds, and Betsey Cody, Bangor Savings, presented the Town's banking plan to the Board. Liberty previously had a REPO account that allowed for a Repurchase Swap, but changed for every transaction. This type of account automatically moved funds in order to protect balances under FDIC. In November 2015 we switched over to an ICS account, an Insured Cash Vehicle that allowed for up to 500 free transactions. This new account requires regular monitoring of balances, there is no automatic transfer. The current interest rate is .41/APR. Betsey Davis, Treasurer, is in the process of setting up an online account that will allow her to monitor balances daily and make transfers as appropriate.
  - b. Dana Phillipi spoke to the issue of the no parking stenciling on Main St. He was concerned that the Board had not voted to go forward with this action, and asked how it would be enforced. Gillespie said he remembered that the board had indeed agreed to stencil the road with no parking signs as the uphill side of Main already had standing parking signs. Gillespie added that he remembered that Tammy Reynolds, Road Commissioner, was instructed by the Board to do

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the stenciling from Liberty Tools down. Phillipi said he did not remember the vote on stenciling and he was not in agreement that Tammy should have gone forward with the work.

- c. Bill Gillespie, Fire Chief: requested that the Board consider his request to use donations to purchase Direct TV service for the Fire House. He explained that it would allow for monitoring of weather events; provide firefighters with entertainment during long call-outs; and entertain the children of firefighters during meetings. After discussion, no action was taken.
4. Warrant Reviewed and Approved
5. Old Business
6. New Business
  - a. Denise advised that Heidi Blood, Animal Control Officer, had been in the office to report that the sheep problem on Sherman Rd. had been resolved.
7. Other Business
  - a. The Board discussed their tour of the Town Cemeteries with Handy Sandy.
8. Meeting Adjourned at 8:50PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Denise Glick  
Town Administrator