BOARD OF SELECTMEN

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MEETING MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 15, 2023

PRESENT: Mr. David Pierce; Chairman, Mr. Roland Sickenberger; Vice-Chairman and Mr. Eric von Bleicken; Clerk

Opened the Meeting at 5 PM

BOARD OF SELECTMEN – FY 2024

The Board met this evening to review their FY 2024 budget. The following recommendations were made:

Physicals	Up 2%
Town Admin Salary	Up 2% ($76,500)
Postage	Up 2%
Computer Tech – Support Services	Up 2%
Legal	Up 2%
Maintenance	UP 2%
Telephone/Internet	Up 2%
Town Reports	Up 2%
Municipal Lighting	Up 2%
Memorial Day	Up $1,000.00

The budget will be sent to the Advisory Committee and will expect to meet with them at an upcoming meeting to discuss further.

TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE

At the request of Interim Town Clerk, Heather Gough, the board discussed her concerns that she expressed over some matters that pertain to that office. With all board members being aware, the following motion was made: Motion to contact the State to see if an audit of the office can be done made by Mr. von Bleicken; second: Mr. Sickenberger – unanimous.

Motion to Adjourn made by Mr. von Bleicken; second: Mr. Sickenberger – unanimous at 6:15 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Rebecca Acerra

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Executive Secretary

Eric von Bleicken

Eric von Bleicken, Clerk

3-7-23

Date Approved