

Dennis Board of Selectmen  
Tuesday, January 22, 2013, 6:00PM  
Dennis Town Hall, Hearing Room  
485 Main Street, So. Dennis, MA  
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Attendees: Board of Selectmen; Paul McCormick, Heidi Schadt, Sheryl McMahon and Alan Tuttle  
(Wayne Bergeron was absent) Town Administrator Rick White, Assistant Town Administrator Sandra Fife and Wendy Pells Recording Secretary.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

#### ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

Village Garden Club request to place signs in gardens

**Motion:**

**Sheryl McMahon moved to grant permission to place the signs and to send a letter of support to OKHRHDC and to the Zoning Board of Appeals. Heidi Schadt seconded. The Board of Selectmen voted 4-0-0.**

Review Joint Dispatch Proposal, Sherriff James Cummings

Alan Tuttle asked if the expanded Dispatch Center could remain where it is.

Sherriff James Cummings stated that they are looking at a feasibility study as the property is currently owned by the federal government. The upgrade would allow us to help find people who are on cell phones as it provides a GPS service. It would also allow us to know where the nearest ambulance is at any given time.

Alan Tuttle inquired as to whether or not the Towns would have any input in the administration.

Sherriff Cummings stated that that the Towns keep coming to the County for dispatch services this is why we have runs out of room.

Special Sherriff Jeff Perry explained that the Chiefs do not want the Sherriff's Office to run the day to day operations. He added that right now the State pays for the majority of the expenses. We need to do what is right for the tax payer. The employees currently are State employees. The employees retirement does not come out of his budget Sherriff's budget.

Sheryl McMahon stated that this is going to be a lengthy process.

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Appointment to Barnstable County HOME Consortium

**Motion:**

**Sheryl McMahon moved to appoint James Kyrimis as the Dennis Representative to the Barnstable County HOME Consortium for a term to expire 1/31/2015. Alan Tuttle seconded. The Board of Selectmen voted 3-0-0.**

Capital Committee Recommendations

Chairman Bill Savicki introduced the Capital Outlay Committee. He then provided the attached power point.

**Motion:**

**Heidi Schadt moved to accept the report. Sheryl McMahon seconded. The Board of Selectmen voted 4-0-0.**

Exempt Seasonal Position from taking Conflict of Interest training

**Motion:**

**Sheryl McMahon moved to exempt the following positions: Laborer/ Operator, Laborer, Ranger, Starter, Horticulturist/Laborer. Alan Tuttle seconded. The Board of Selectmen voted 4-0-0.**

Budget Overview Presentation – Town Administrator

Rick White presented the attached budget over view in a power point presentation.

CONSENT AGENDA

Accept resignation from Library Board

Accept donation to Dennis Public Library

**Motion:**

**Sheryl McMahon moved to accept the resignation from Nancy Curley with many thanks and to accept \$715.00 in donation to the Dennis Public Library in memory of John D. Buckley. Alan Tuttle seconded. The Board of Selectmen voted 4-0-0.**

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## MINUTES

*12/4/2012*

**Motion:**

**Heidi Schadt moved to approve the minutes. Alan Tuttle seconded. The Board of Selectmen voted 4-0-0.**

*12/18/2012*

**Motion:**

**Sheryl McMahan moved to approve the minutes. Heidi Schadt seconded. The Board of Selectmen voted 4-0-0.**

*1/8/2013*

**Motion:**

**Sheryl McMahan moved to approve the minutes. Alan Tuttle seconded. The Board of Selectmen voted 4-0-0.**

8:20 PM

**Motion:**

**Heidi Schadt moved to adjourn. Sheryl McMahan seconded. The Board of Selectmen voted 4-0-0.**