

TOWN OF DURHAM

Connecticut 06422



BOARD OF SELECTMEN'S MEETING February 22, 1979

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. Members present: Gregory Curtis, First Selectman; Betty C. Wakeman, Selectwoman. Also present: Donna White, Ona McLaughlin, Linda Dean, Roger Kleeman.

David Lavine: \$50,000 will be added to the CETA allocation; contact Olive Sheehan.

The bids were opened:

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| 1) Stephen Slaker Equipment Co. | plow: 3,137 | |
| P. O. Box 746 | hitch: 3,528 | |
| Wallingford, CT | sander: <u>4,982</u> | |
| | 11,647 | |
| 2) Magovern Co. | plow: no bid | |
| | hitch: no bid | |
| | sander: no bid | |
| 3) R. W. Thompson Co. | plow: 3,214 | a) 9,618 |
| Newington, CT | hitch: 3,617 | b) 10,425 |
| | hopper, | c) 7,449 |
| | spreader, | |
| | sander: 4,142 | |

+ 3 pkg. bids

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| 4) Deephouse Equipment Co. | pushframe: 3,180 |
| Berlin | spreader: 6,678 |

+ combination prices

These will be reviewed by Bob Reilly for a report to the Board of Selectmen.

Motion to approve minutes of the last meeting. 2-0

Financial. 2-0

Correspondence: a) Dept. of Public Safety: Francis E. Behrens, Jr. is now a certified Deputy Fire Marshal and has been sworn in.

Budget items:

Board of Selectmen budget

First Selectman's salary	13,000	36,599	2-0
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Board members' salaries	1,900		
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New item: 45 meetings @ 12.00 for minutes

voted for presentation to the Board of Finance

Town Hall Maintenance Budget is up \$8,900 to \$9,506	2-0
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increased usage, unexpected repairs, neglected areas, added expenses

added expenses because of remodeling

Welfare Budget	\$8,000	
Administrator's Exp.	100	
Salary	<u>1,248</u>	2-0
	9,646	

Tree Warden budget - change of policy - to remove from Roadside Dept. and establish as separate service - 2 CETA men could be assigned. Question of medical and benefits for tree warden was raised. Budget for tree warden was passed - 2-0

Mrs. Dean & Mr. Kleeman asked questions followed - discussion about the CETA money and how it would be allocated.
Correspondence: b) letter from Jos. J. Munno, Jr., Guire Road - re: rain damage to his property. Mr. Curtis will respond to his letter.
c) Middlesex County Transportation letter about a previous request for a support letter on a grant application signed by Linda Jodoin.

Public Inspection Day on Sunday, March 4th 1-3 P.M. Town Garage House just prior to the vote on the purchase.

Other budgets were discussed. Mr. William Moore, Treasurer, came in to sign checks. Mr. Richard Parmelee appeared before the board to discuss police protection and to register his objection to the proposal of a \$10,000 salary for a head constable. He also asked clarification of Mr. Magnotta's P.E. status. A: He is expected to get his certification this year. Mr. Parmelee raised some objections to the way the town was handling his problems with his septic system.

The Board went into Executive Session at 10:15 P.M. to review four salaries - all anniversary raises were approved for J. West, R. Hartnett, J. Morris, and Dane Monroe. 2-0

End of Executive Session 10:25 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Betty C. Wakeman

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