

TOWN OF DURHAM



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BOARD OF SELECTMEN'S MEETING

October 1, 1981

The October 1, 1981, meeting of the Board of Selectmen was called to order at 7:30 P.M. by First Selectman M. Foster Mather; present: Maryann P. Boord, Selectwoman; Gregory G. Curtis, Selectman. Townspeople: R. W. Moeller, T. Woolfe, M. Clark, W. Moore.

The minutes of the September 17, 1981, Board of Selectmen's meeting were approved: motion by M. Boord, seconded by G. Curtis, 3 ayes. Motion by M. Boord, seconded by G. Curtis to approve the minutes of the Interdepartmental Meeting of September 10, 1981; approved, 3 ayes. No questions raised on the weekly disbursements. No correspondence.

Motion by G. Curtis to appoint Jane Mauro, Karol Paduch, and Margaret Yeomans to the Jury Committee for one year; seconded by M. Boord, approved 3 ayes.

The easement to be granted to Powerhold, Inc. by the Board of Selectmen with town meeting approval was discussed. The runoff will involve only rain water into the brook.

The board expressed no problems with the Call to the Annual Town Meeting or the Agreement re Durham-Middlefield Water System.

Motion by F. Mather to move into Executive Session at 7:42 P.M. for the purpose of discussing personnel; seconded by M. Boord, 3 ayes. Present: Board of Selectmen and D. White. No votes taken. At 8:08 P.M. F. Mather moved to close Executive Session; seconded by M. Boord, 3 ayes.

The Board of Finance and Mark Spatuzzi joined the meeting. M. Spatuzzi gave his annual report on the Washington Trail Road Race and presented the First Selectman with a check for \$901.35:

953 registered runners at \$2 per ticket (some well-known runners were invited and their registration fee was waived)

income: \$18,094

expenses: \$2,976.85 total operating costs, including
\$100 donated to ambulance corps
\$ 76 for police
etc.

The pharmacy paid \$1,984.20; Hosting cost: \$992.65
One main problem emphasized by M. Spatuzzi is traffic control. Also he feels that the expense of traffic control should be

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borne by the town. The First Selectman said that skilled manpower is needed to run a detour around Main Street and this is very expensive. F. Mather advised a meeting between Len Baginski, M. Spatuzzi and him to review, coordinate, and solve this traffic dilemma.

In addition to the above G. Curtis suggested that the cemetery area not be cleared until at least 10:45 A.M. on Memorial Day.

In closing remarks the First Selectman said he felt the problems are solvable; expressed his appreciation for the \$901. He will work to have it all move smoothly.

R. W. Moeller: notified the Board of Selectmen of the need to fill a vacancy on the Zoning Board of Appeals created when Donald Umlauf moved out of town. No formal resignation has been received.

At 8:47 P.M., motion by M. Boord to adjourn, seconded by G. Curtis; approved 3 ayes.

Respectfully submitted,

D. White

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Secretary

