

REC'D	10-11-1975	AT 11:45 A.M.
ATT:	<i>[Signature]</i>	TOWN CLERK

TOWN OF DURHAM

Office of the Selectmen - Connecticut 06422

A. Reed Hayes,
First Selectman

Carl N. Otte,
Majority Selectman

Richard C. Parmelee, Jr.
Minority Selectman

MINUTES OF MEETING OF BOARD OF SELECTMEN

October 9, 1975

Present: Hayes
Otte
Parmelee

1. RESOLVED, that Mr. James Dean be, and he hereby is, appointed to the vacant position of alternate on the Zoning Board of Appeals, 1977 term.

Vote 2-0 Parmelee abstaining

2. The following small items of surplus property will be disposed of by sale to the highest bidder. Bids are to be submitted to the Selectmen's Office by Wednesday, October 22, 1975, at 4:00 P.M. Interested parties should contact the Selectmen's Clerk for directions. The items are used bricks, an old piano, one large timber (removed from the town hall), 12 feet of baseboard radiators, one used self-powered sander, and one used GMC truck.

Vote 3-0

3. The Selectmen will accept bids from individuals interested in providing weekly janitorial and maintenance service at the town hall. The schedule calls for complete vacuuming and dusting of both floors and cleaning and disinfecting the rest rooms once each week. All woodwork is to be lightly washed once monthly. Bids are to be expressed as a monthly figure to include the above work and in addition are to include an hourly figure for additional work which may be necessary from time-to-time, such as spring and fall window cleaning. Preference will go to those specifying regular working hours but all offers, particularly Saturday morning, will be considered. Questions should be directed to the Selectmen's Clerk (349-3625), and bids must be submitted by Wednesday, October 22, 1975 at 4:00 P.M.

Vote 3-0

TOWN OF DURHAM

Office of the Selectmen · Connecticut 06422

A. Reed Hayes,
First Selectman

Carl N. Otte,
Majority Selectman

Richard C. Parmelee, Jr.
Minority Selectman

MINUTES OF MEETING OF BOARD OF SELECTMEN October 9, 1975 PAGE TWO

4. RESOLVED, that \$300.00 be, and it hereby is, allocated for repair and reseeding of the Center Recreation Area softball field.

Vote 3-0

5. First Selectman's Report

The First Selectman has been officially notified by the Connecticut Department of Labor that Durham's application for an additional 6 month extension of the CETA program has been approved. The town's application was filed on September 5 and requested an extension of the program from December 31, 1975, to June 30, 1976, as well as an increase in the grant from \$57,981 to \$156,843. The latest application was approved by the Department of Labor, the Department of Finance and Control, and the Attorney General's Office. The total awarded to Durham since mid-1974 now stands at \$264,543.

Acting Town Engineer Ronald Westfort has submitted an unfavorable report on the new road being constructed in the Kismat residential development off Indian Lane. The principle problem is that certain drainage structures are not in conformance with the town road specifications. The First Selectman will notify the developer that the Selectmen disapprove and will not consider a petition to accept the road until full corrections have been made.

An inquiry from the Middlesex Chapter of the American Red Cross relative to the town's willingness to participate in an Elderly Transportation Program was acknowledged. The Red Cross is planning to expand medical transportation service to Durham elderly citizens, but a driver is needed. Durham will offer a CETA employee on a schedule not to exceed four hours a day as an assist to this worthwhile program. Further information is available directly from the Red Cross.

Work has started on the Maiden Lane Road Improvement Project and residents are urged to exercise due caution driving in the area and to detour around the section under construction whenever possible.

* * * *

A. Reed Hayes

A. Reed Hayes, First Selectman