

Selectmen's Office

Durham Town Hall

DURHAM

CONNECTICUT 06422

Board of Selectmen Meeting
November 9, 1972

The Board of Selectmen approved a new design for a letterhead created by Mrs. Dulcianne Vye. Subject to verification of cost, one ream will be printed by the Colonial Press.

The new dog pound is finished and in operation on the property of and under the supervision of the new Dog Warden, Mr. Bruce Rau, Strawberry Hill, Durham. Tentative plans were discussed for a future open house when the public might view the new facility.

The Board received, and accepted with regret, a letter of resignation from the Pay-Scale Study Committee from Mrs. Natalie Church, due to pressure of personal affairs. Mrs. Peter Heyl, previously designated an alternate, was appointed to the vacancy. The vote was 2-yes, 0-no.

Mrs. Althea Parmelee, Hazel Burr and Robert Cox, Sr., were appointed to the Jury Committee for Durham for the year November 1, 1972, to October 31, 1973.

The Board of Selectmen was notified of receipt of a letter from State Building Inspector, B.E. Cabelus regarding the examination for Building Inspector recently taken by Mr. Edward DeTour. No action.

The Board of Selectmen noted the receipt of a letter from Dr. Charles Chace, Health Officer, pointing out reservations concerning the appointment of Edward DeTour as Assistant Health Officer, on grounds of lack of tact and lack of direct training or experience in the area. Dr. Chace indicated a preference for the appointment of Mr. Crescimano who is currently serving Middlefield in this capacity and apparently could also serve Durham without conflict.

Copies of the revision of the proposed new road ordinances will be sent to the members of the Road Committee and to the Planning Commission for review. Any suggestions or comments should be sent to the Selectman's Office by Saturday, November 25th.

The Board noted that the regular second meeting of November will not be held due to the Thanksgiving holiday. A special meeting is called for Thursday, November 30, 1972.

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(Selectmen's Meeting, continued)-

First Selectman, Ira Kerschner reported on the Revenue Sharing Conference he attended on November 2, 1972. A representative of the U.S. Treasury Department was present, and described various aspects of the grants. A separate fund must be established for accounting purposes, money should be spent on capital, non-recurring expenses and may not be spent on programs already benefitting from other federal grants or operating expenses. Monies may be invested. First payment is due in December, 1972, for the 1st six months of 1972. The second payment will be in January, 1973 for the second six months of 1972, and then quarterly beginning in April, 1973. Total would be \$17680 for 1972.

Joel Davis registered objection to the use of the Lions Club Skating Rink Parking Area for a "Turkey Shoot" activity on Sunday, November 2, 1972.

November bills were approved and checks signed.

The meeting adjourned at

Joel N. Davis