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Minutes
Board of Selectmen's Meeting
November 30, 1972

Considerable discussion was held with town residents attending the meeting concerning roads which are recognized by the town in preparation for a town meeting which the Selectmen are considering for the purpose of formally defining the roads of the town.

New Road Specifications for the Town of Durham were reviewed prior to final approval. New Specifications have been under development for six months, and the Planning and Zoning Commission, the Road Committee, and the Town Engineer have participated in addition to the Board of Selectmen.

The Board had previously determined that existing Road Specifications did not adequately meet the requirements of a growing town and voted to undertake the development of new stringent road standards, requiring roads of the highest standards.

A final draft of the new standards received preliminary approval from the Board of Selectmen. Final approval will be given at the next meeting of the Board.

Preliminary discussions were held regarding the possible role of the Town in promoting greater recycling of glass, paper, cans, and other materials. Further study will be undertaken.

A proposal from First Connecticut Bancorp, Inc., through Laurel Bank & Trust Co., regarding professional money management and more advantageous investment of idle town funds was discussed by the Board. This proposal, in addition to other proposals received by December 22, 1972, will be reviewed by the Board prior to making a final decision at its December 28th meeting.

The current budget for the Town of Durham provides for ten new street lights to be installed in the town this fiscal year. The placement of the ten lights for this year will be established at the December 14 Meeting of the Board.

It was moved and RESOLVED by the Board of Selectmen that parking on all town roads shall be prohibited from December 1, 1972 until March 15th at any time of the day, and further that any automobiles illegally parked will be towed at the owner's expense. The vote was 3-yes, 0-no.

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The Department of Transportation has written claiming no responsibility for the poor sight line at the corner of Tuttle Road and Route 68. The Board of Selectmen disagrees and will press the matter further.

The meeting adjourned at 11:00 P.M.

A. Reed Hayes
Selectman