TOWN OF DURHAM

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BOARD OF SELECTMEN'S MEETING
July 7, 1983

The Board of Selectmen's Meeting of July 7, 1983, was called to order at 7:35 p.m. by Selectwoman Maryann P. Boord. Present: Gregory G. Curtis; Absent: M. Foster Mather.

Motion by G. Curtis to correct the minutes of the June 16, 1983, meeting as follows: Instead of "...for which he will share the building cost." (page 1, in reference to Mr. Smith) should be "In the past the building cost has been offered to be shared by Lowe and Clementel." Motion to approve as corrected by G. Curtis, seconded by M. Boord; 2 ayes.

M. Boord advised G. Curtis that F. Mather and H. Robinson both question the Family Day road closings and so the matter is being returned to the Family Day subcommittee.

The Board discussed and reviewed Judge Baldwin's decision re Simon Farm. So noted on Page 7 "If this order is complied with or the compliance put in operation, the case can proceed to a hearing in damages." G. Curtis objected to the vagueness of the directives to reactivate the pumping materials and supply lines...wondering how expensive and extensive that could be. M. Boord noted that the tests the town must make on the quality of water upon the complaint of a plaintiff could involve considerable testing. G. Curtis remarked that he thought it was a reasonable solution to rehook the system but took strong exception to the judgement that this matter is the town's fault.

Comments G. Curtis:

1) wants a proposal prepared for the 1984-1985 budget to provide either central air conditioning or window units for the town hall.

2) requested that the First Selectman be advised that J. R. Taylor has requested the Board of Finance to carry over $1,000 to do the cemetery road and $1,000 to recondition the monuments in the old cemetery from the 1982-1983 budget into fiscal year 1983-1984. The work is presently underway but billing will come later.

Comments M. Boord:

1) reported John Gudelski's request to have Harvey Road graded to the end. Discussion followed re status of old town roads. The Board wishes to discuss the matter at the next Selectmen's meeting.

The Board discussed establishing a summer meeting schedule and decided to leave the matter up to the First Selectman.

Motion by G. Curtis to adjourn at 8:05 p.m., seconded by M. Boord; 2 ayes.

Respectfully submitted,
Donna White

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