

BOARD OF ABATEMENT OF TAXES MEETING MINUTES

March 17, 2025

Pursuant to Title 24, Sections 1533-1536 a meeting of the Board of Abatement of Taxes was held at the Dummerston Town Office on March 17, 2025.

Members present:

Selectboard – Todd Davidson

Listers – Charlotte Annis, Stephan Mindel

Justices of the Peace – Betsy Bates, Zeke Goodband, Ruth Hoffman, Paul Normandeau, Lew Sorenson

Town Clerk – Laurie Frechette

Treasurer – Christopher Brown

Tax Payer (not present) – William J. Pittard for Estate of Janet Meynell - Parcel #000580

Meeting called to order at 3PM by clerk, Laurie Frechette. Charlotte moved to elect Paul Normandeau as Chair. It was seconded by Todd and the motion passed by voice vote. Laurie moved to elect Ruth as Vice-Chair. It was seconded by Zeke and passed by voice vote.

The Board reviewed the letter from Mr. Pittard requesting to have the penalty and interest from February 25, 2025 abated for the property at 908 Stickney Brook Road. Ms. Meynell recently passed away and the bank account used for the payment of her property taxes had been closed three days before the tax collection date.

Below are the calculations for the requested abated amount:

\$ 15.46 (interest) to be abated

\$123.71 (penalty) to be abated

\$139.17 total to be abated

Laurie moved to abate the total of \$139.17 of penalty/interest. It was seconded by Zeke and the motion passed by a 9-1 vote.

Todd moved to adjourn the meeting at 3:29PM, it was seconded by Zeke and the motion passed by voice vote.

Respectfully submitted: Laurie Frechette, Clerk _____

Paul Normandeau, Chair _____