

SELECTBOARD SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

July 2, 2015

This special meeting was called to order by Zeke Goodband at 5:00pm at the Town Offices in Dummerston, Vermont.

Members present: Joe Cook, Steve Glabach, Zeke Goodband, Gurudharm Khalsa

No present: Jerelyn Wilson

Also present: Laurie Frechette, Pam McFadden

Steve moved to set the 2015 municipal tax rate at 0.2903, which would give a \$2176 "cushion". The motion died for lack of a second.

Joe moved to set the 2015 municipal tax rate at 0.2895 in accordance with the approved budget. That motion also died for lack of a second.

Steve then moved to set the municipal tax rate at 0.2899, which would give a \$1145 "cushion". Gurudharm seconded the motion; it passed 4-0.

The 2015 Municipal/General Fund Tax Rate was set at 0.0965, the Highway Fund Tax Rate at 0.1418, the Capital Plan Fund Tax Rate at 0.0516 and the Local Agreement Tax Rate at 0.0059 (a total of 0.2958). The 2015 Homestead Education Rate is 1.7382 and the Non-Residential Education Rate is 1.4886. Both of the education rates are set by the State of Vermont. The total residential tax rate for 2015 is 2.0340 and the total non-residential tax rate is 1.7844.

With no other business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 5:20pm.

Approved

Zeke Goodband, Chair

Gurudharm Khalsa, Clerk

Submitted by: Laurie Frechette, Selectboard Assistant