

TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Budget Committee
16 School Street
Allenstown, New Hampshire 03275

Minutes of Budget Committee Meeting on February 2, 2010

Dave Eaton, Chairman of the Budget Committee, opened the meeting at 7:05 PM.

Present at the meeting: Penny Touchette, Sandy McKenney, Fern Bissonnette, Carl Caporale, Roger Lefleur, Lisa Komm, Jerry McKenney, and Jon Richardson.

Excused Absent: Mike Frascinella and Kate Walker

Absent: Ben Pepper. Don Chaput Sted Holton

Others present: Andrea Martel, Lynn Bissonnette, and Fire Chief Dan Hart.

Dave discussed reviewing the minutes at the next meeting. All members agreed.

Dave read Article 19 as amended at the Deliberative Session. It was amended to have a part a) and a part b) regarding the purchase or leasing a pumper truck for the Fire Department. -Roger made a motion to approve the warrant article as amended. Jerry seconded the motion. Motion discussed.

- Chief Hart explained that he called the leasing company to find out how much the lease payments would be and they said \$35,001.60 per year.
- Roger explained that Attorney Bedard spoke with Department of Revenue Association (DRA) and had a discussion with them regarding the legality of the amended warrant article. DRA stated they were uneasy on the changes that were made.
- Roger explained the difference between voting yes and/or no of each section what the end result would be.

Motion passed with 1 no by Sandy McKenney.

Dave thanked all the members for a good budget year.

Next meeting will be announced at a later date.

Penny made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Roger. Meeting adjourned at 7:20 PM.