



## TOWN OF HOPEDALE

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### BOARD OF SELECTMEN

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#### Regular Minutes

March 5, 2018

Call to order 7:00 pm – Draper Room

Chairman Wesley called the meeting of the Board of Selectmen to order at 7:00 p.m. in the Draper Room at Town Hall.

Present: Selectman Thomas Wesley, Selectman Louis Arcudi, Selectman Brian Keyes, Town Administrator Steven Sette, Executive Assistant Susan Brouwer, members of the public and Videographer Jeff Ellis were present.

Chairman Wesley began the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

A. Public Comment on Agenda Items

None

B. Consent Items

1. Approval of February 20, 2018 Regular Minutes

Chair Wesley passed over the minutes of February 20, 2018

C. Appointments and Resignations

D. New Business

1. Vote to authorize Chair to sign extension of Inter-Municipal Agreement for Regional Dispatch Services Between the Towns of Hopedale and Upton for an additional 3-year period MSDV to approve the Board to sign extension of Inter-Municipal Agreement for Regional Dispatch Services Between the Towns of Hopedale and Upton for an additional 3-year period commencing July 1, 2018.

Selectman Wesley– Aye; Selectman Arcudi–Aye; Selectman Keyes–Aye

2. Request from the Hopedale Friends of Elders in conjunction with the Hopedale Community House to sponsor a Community Shredding Day on Saturday April 14th; for a five (5) hour period in the Town Hall parking lot.

Sally Decelles stated the Friends of Elders would like to use the Town Hall parking lot for a shredding day on Saturday April 4. The Board of Selectmen have no issue with the Friends using the Town Hall parking lot. The Board suggested the Friends may want to consider

using the school parking lot as visibility may be better. Ms. Decelles thanked the Board and stated that she will bring the suggestion to the Friends and will let the Board know which location they would use. In addition, the Friends will be accepting donations for the shop.

MSDV to approve the Hopedale Friends of Elders in conjunction with the Hopedale Community House to sponsor a Community Shredding Day on Saturday April 14<sup>th</sup> from 8 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in either the Town Hall parking lot or High School parking lot.

Selectman Wesley– Aye; Selectman Arcudi–Aye; Selectman Keyes–Aye

E. Old Business

1. Continuation of discussion with representative from Hopedale Country Club regarding liquor license violation for failure to file a Board of Director application change (Attorney Joseph Antonellis)

Attorney Antonellis was present stating he completed the application and turned in to Susan on the date and time requested. A minor change was needed and Attorney Antonellis submitted the change the same day. The HCC is requesting the change of HCC Board of Director's application be approved by the Board of Selectmen and forwarded to the ABCC

MSDV to approve the change of HCC Board of Director's application with no changes made to the hours of operation or premise

Selectman Wesley– Aye; Selectman Arcudi–Aye; Selectman Keyes–Aye

F. Public and Board Member Comments

1. Administrator Sette would like direction for the Field Committee to see if the Board of Selectmen would like to appoint or do a joint appointment with the Parks Commission. Board members favored having the Board of Selectmen review and appoint this committee.
2. Selectmen Wesley would like to remind the residents that the Boy Scouts will be coming through the neighborhoods this coming weekend to collect can goods and other nonperishable food items.

G. Correspondence and Informational Items

H. Requests for Future Agenda Items

I. Administrator News

1. Administrator Sette has received applications for the Urban Renewal Committee and sent them to the Jason MacDonald, Chair of the committee so the Housing Authority can review and make their recommendations.
2. Administrator Sette would like to thank the Police, Fire and National Grid liaison who assisted during the storm. They also would like to thank the residents for helping each other out during the storm. Administrator Sette stated the towns of Hopedale, Mendon and Upton had a lot of tree damage and power outages. Board members recommended placing the number for National Grid on the front page of the website when a storm of this magnitude is imminent.

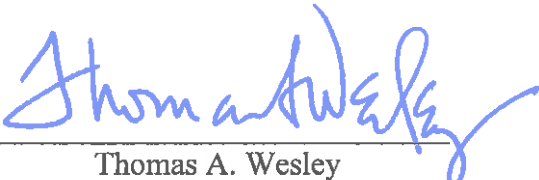
J. Executive Session

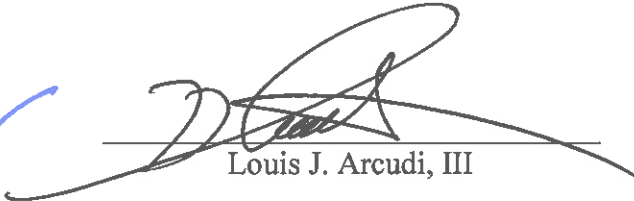
1. Discussion of possible land acquisition


Chair Wesley– I am requesting a motion to allow this board to now enter Executive Session and not to reconvene in regular session, under M.G.L. c.30A, § 21(a) Reason (6): to consider the purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property, because I as chair declare that an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the negotiating position of the Town. RCV Selectman Wesley– Aye; Selectman Arcudi–Aye; Selectman Keyes–Aye

K. Adjournment

With no further business before them, the Board of Selectmen adjourned their regular meeting at 7:38 p.m.

  
Thomas A. Wesley

  
Louis J. Arcudi, III

  
Brian R. Keyes

Hopedale Board of Selectmen

\*MSDV – Moved, Seconded, Discussed and Voted

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