

**TOWN OF WEBSTER**  
*Office of Selectmen*  
945 Battle Street/Rte. 127  
Webster, NH 03303

Webster Board of Selectmen's Meeting – June 1, 2009

7:07 P.M. Roll Call – Present: Chairman Thomas Mullins, Selectman David Klumb and Selectman George Hashem

The Board signed the payroll check and vendor manifests as well as the following for Administrative Assistant Judith Jones:

- Selectman Hashem made a motion to accept the minutes of May 18, 2009; seconded by Selectman Klumb and unanimously approved; and
- Two Intent to Cut: Royall Victor, III – Map 5-50 and James H. Roberts, III – Map 3-19.

Financial Administrator Wendy Pinkham distributed the monthly budget reports to the Department Heads. She requested that the Board take a vote on those proposed changes to the budget made by Selectman Hashem on May 4, 2009. She noted that the Fire Chief has shifted some of the money between line items, but the total increase was the same at \$7,500. Selectman Hashem made a motion to accept those changes proposed on May 4, 2009 with the minor changes made by Fire Chief Adam Pouliot; seconded by Selectman Klumb and unanimously approved.

An Action Bulletin was received today from the NH Municipal Association regarding the Gas Tax V Toll Increase proposal being considered by the State. The Senate plan is to increase drivers' license fee by \$10 car registration fee by \$15 with \$20 of the total going into the Bridge Betterment Fund; The House proposes to increase the Gas Tax each year for three years enabling the Highway Fund to be solvent. The Board agreed to write a letter to Representative Senator Harold Janeway to strongly oppose the Senate Finance Committee highway proposal and strongly support the House proposal. This will be faxed to Senator Janeway's office as soon as possible.

Lieutenant Philip Mitchell advised that Police Chief Brian Milano was on a call, and that he did not have the Police Report, and may not be able to attend tonight's meeting. Chairman Mullins inquired as to whether the Chief would have some paperwork for the Board tonight. Lieutenant Mitchell advised that if he didn't make the meeting tonight, he would bring it in the morning.

Deputy Fire Chief Jon King advised there was nothing unusual to report from the Fire Department.

Selectman Klumb read a draft of the letter to be sent to Senator Janeway's office regarding support of the gas tax. The Board approved the letter to be faxed.

Chairman Mullins recommended that the policies to be reviewed from the May 18<sup>th</sup> meeting be tabled until June 8, 2009 when Chief Milano would probably be available.

7:26 PM. Selectman Klumb made a motion to recess this meeting until Monday, June 8, 2009 at 7:00 P.M.; seconded by Selectman Hashem and approved.

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Thomas S. Mullins  
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David E. Klumb

George K. Hashem