Town of Hawley, Massachusetts Minutes of Selectmen's Meeting – January 12, 2016

Present: John Sears, Bob Maclean – Board (Phil Keenan, absent) Virginia Gabert – Administrative Assistant Pam Shrimpton, Rick Kean, Bob and Brandon Root, Hussain Hamdan

The meeting was called to order at 7:30pm.

1. Review and signing of treasury warrant – warrant 2016-16 and 2016-16 payroll were reviewed and signed.

2. Review of prior meeting minutes – Minutes from December 1 & 15 were reviewed and accepted. Minutes from December 29 were not ready yet.

3. Update from Communications Committee – Rick provided a report – initial estimated cost for design and build of wireless system is \$312,000, but the Committee anticipates revisions.

4. Update from Personnel Committee – Three applicants have contacted the Committee. One from Brattleboro and one from Chicopee were eliminated due to reluctance to consider a candidate with a long commute. One applicant from Plainfield will be interviewed.

5. Any other business not reasonably anticipated prior to posting agenda

- a) Schofield Class III license renewal discussed and approved.
- b) Rick reported that the Communications Committee is in the process of transferring ownership of the Hawley.com domain from Jason to the Town. Rick will draft a letter from the Committee and Selectboard thanking Jason for establishing and hosting the website.
- c) Discussed the need to follow up on Tri-Town Landfill test schedule revision.
- d) Toby Gould is the new Selectman in Charlemont. He will be overseeing the ambulance issue.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:07pm.

Respectfully submitted, Virginia Gabert, Administrative Assistant

Minutes accepted by Board of Selectmen:

John Sears

Philip Keenan

Robert MacLean