Select Board Meeting April 6 at 7pm at Hawlemont School

Called to order 7:15pm

In attendance Toby Gould, Beth Bandy, and Amy Wales, Bill Coli.

The Select Board prefaced that the purpose of the meeting was to discuss local options meals and rooms

- 1. The Select Board outlined what the change in meals tax is.
- 2. Question about available free cash.

  Budget: The Town's budget is considered healthy but not excessive. Reserves need to be around 20%. Coli asked what the free cash estimate was over the past few years.
- 3. Potential Rec Tax is a GF revenue source. For operating budget purposes.
- 4. Rooms tax do not apply to hotel/motel lodging tax b/c the tax applies. A B & B permitted by the BOH or a room is different that second home.
- 5. Well water testing requirement applies to all rentals. Must test. How do you know who the renters are?

Meeting Adjourned at 8:15pm

Respectfully submitted by Peg Dean 5/9/16

Draft minutes until approved by Select Board