

**Minutes of Selectmen's Meeting, Town of Freedom, NH 03836**  
**Monday, November 5, 2018**

Present: Leslie R. Babb, Ernest F. Day, Jr., Alan G. Fall, Selectmen; Police Chief Josh Shackford; Transfer Station Manager Justin Brooks, Fire Chief Rob Cunio, Administrative Assistant Janice Zecher, Carol Stansell, Larry Claveau

Meeting was called to order at 6:30pm manifests were signed and mail was reviewed.

Les reviewed the process followed to arrive at a final tax rate.

Public Comment: Carol Stansell spoke on behalf of the Supervisors of the Checklist. She said that for security reasons, the state will no longer allow the Supervisors to use the computers in the office. The Supervisors of the Checklist purchased a new laptop and Carol is requesting access to the wireless internet connections, or to have the town purchase a laser printer for the Supervisors so they can use the wireless connection at the Town Hall. The selectmen will look into options and get back to the Supervisors of the Checklist.

Department Heads: Rob Cunio gave his report regarding calls for the last week. He has almost all of his shifts covered for his vacation. Police Chief Josh Shackford reviewed calls for the police department. Transfer Station Manager Justin Brooks said the compactor has been serviced and that they have had 4 loads of scrap metal picked up.

Les announced the new tax rate at \$12.93 which is .03 down from last year. Selectmen voted unanimously to accept the new tax rate.

An abatement request was reviewed. Motion was made by Ernie, seconded by Les to grant the abatement. Alan was in favor.

Alan said he had received an email about the condition of Freedom Point Road. He drove it before the meeting but did not find any significant issues. Ernie said he drove it as well and came to the same conclusion.

The position of Deputy Health Inspector is open. Les volunteered for the position. Motion was made by Ernie to accept, seconded by Alan.

There being no further business before the board, a motion to adjourn was made by Alan, seconded by Ernie. Meeting was adjourned at 7:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Janice Zecher

**BOARD OF SELECTMEN**

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**Leslie R. Babb**

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