

## Town of Chatham

February 2, 2016

Attendance: Jason Eastman, Martin Novia, Bob Dutton, Michael Marston, William Perry, Tricia Pitman, and William Briggs

Martin Novia and Bob Dutton asked the Board to renew their license to sell pistols and revolvers. License number 002 was issued. It will expire on February 2, 2019

Michael Marston and Martin Novia addressed the Board concerning the tax increase for 2015. They asked what would happen if ten more families were to move into town. It was explained that it was really a question for the school board but Bill Perry tried to answer their questions to the best of his ability.

There will be a hearing on Monday, February 22 at the town office at 6:30 pm. The hearing will be posted and a notice will be placed in the paper.

The Board will also have another meeting prior to the town meeting to discuss the petitioned warrant article that was given to the Board by Chris Lewey. Bill Perry tried to contact Mr. Lewey but Mr. Lewey was out of town. Bill will also contact the NH Municipal Association as soon as possible to help clarify some questions that the Board has regarding this article.

Ron Briggs gave the Board some information on town hall usage. The Board will look at this information in a future meeting.

Tom Riley advised the Board that once the Town house met life safety standards then public or private functions could be held there as long as no running water would be needed for the function.

The Board intends to come up with a 10 year plan for the Library as soon as they can.

Suburban sent more information for the Board to have on the heating system for the town house. This information will be stored with the rest of the information at the town house.

Jason will start the heating system the day before Election Day.

The Conway Humane Society sent a letter requesting a warrant article be put into the town report. They did not have a petition nor did they actually send the amount of the request or the warrant article itself. The request was denied.

The DOT sent information regarding paving of the roads for 2016.

The NHDES sent information regarding water testing for the Cold River Camp (AMC).

The Board signed the contract with Rod Wood and Associates for the year 2016. The contract can now be sent to the DRA.

The Board signed vouchers.

Meeting Adjourned.  
Respectfully Submitted,  
Patricia Pitman