



Town of Hudson - Board of Selectmen

Minutes—December 16, 2019

78 Main Street 2nd Floor 7:00 PM

1. Call to Order:

Present were Mr. Durant, Mr. Duplisea, Mr. Lucy, Mr. Parent and Mr. Moses. Also present were Atty. Cipriano and Ms. Vickery.

2. Minutes to be Approved:

- a) Public session minutes – December 2, 2019

On a motion by Mr. Parent, seconded by Mr. Durant, the Board voted 3-0-1 to approve the public session minutes of December 2, 2019. Mr. Duplisea abstained.

- b) Executive session minutes – December 2, 2019

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Durant, the Board voted 3-0-1 to approve the executive session minutes of December 2, 2019. Mr. Duplisea abstained.

- c) Executive session minutes – December 9, 2019

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Duplisea, the Board voted 4-0 to approve the executive session minutes of December 9, 2019.

3. Meetings and Public Hearings - 7:00 PM:

- a) Selectmen to consider approval of an application from 99 West, LLC for Change of Officers and Change of Ownership Interest for the Ninety-Nine Restaurant located at 255 Washington Street.

On a motion by Mr. Durant, seconded by Mr. Lucy, the Board voted 4-0 to approve an application from 99 West, LLC for Change of Officers and Change of Ownership Interest for the Ninety-Nine Restaurant located at 255 Washington Street.

4. Licenses:

- a) Selectmen to consider approval of a change of d/b/a for an All Alcohol Package Store License from Liquor Junction to Hudson Super Liquors located at 10 Technology Drive.

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Durant, the Board voted 4-0 to approve a change of d/b/a for an All Alcohol Package Store License from Liquor Junction to Hudson Super Liquors located at 10 Technology Drive.

- b) Selectmen to consider approval of 2020 License renewals for all licensee's that have met their requirements.

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Duplisea, the Board voted 4-0 to approve all 2020 License renewals for all licensee's that have met their requirements.

5. Personnel:

- a) Selectmen to consider approval of the appointment of Albert Morel to the Hudson Historical Commission, effective January 1, 2020 and expiring December 31, 2022.

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Durant, the Board voted 4-0 to approve the appointment of Albert Morel to the Hudson Historical Commission, effective January 1, 2020 and expiring December 31, 2022.

- b) Selectmen to consider approval of the appointment of Gary Pelletier as Commissioner for the Fort Meadow Commission, effective January 1, 2020 and expiring December 31, 2022.

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Durant, the Board voted 4-0 to approve the appointment of Gary Pelletier as Commissioner for the Fort Meadow Commission, effective January 1, 2020 and expiring December 31, 2022.

- c) Selectmen to note the retirement of Dorothy Risser from the Zoning Board of Appeals.

On a motion by Mr. Duplisea, seconded by Mr. Durant, the Board voted 4-0 to note the retirement of Dorothy Risser from the Zoning Board of Appeals.

6. Contracts:

7. General:

- a) Selectmen to consider applying for, accepting and expending grant funding from the MA Department of Public Health to hire a regional shared public health nurse.

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Durant, the Board voted 4-0 to apply for, accept and expend grant funding from the MA Department of Public Health to hire a regional shared public health nurse.

8. Budget:

Mr. Moses gave the Board a brief summary of the budget for FY2021.

Department	Dept. #	Tab #	Amount Requested	Motion	Second	Vote
Board of Selectmen	1220	5	\$13,800	Lucy	Durant	4-0
Executive Assistant	1230	6	\$333,815	Lucy	Duplisea	4-0
Elections & Town Meeting	1231	6	\$50,184	Lucy	Durant	4-0
Legal Services	1235	6	\$164,000	Lucy	Parent	4-0
Town Buildings	1236	6	\$266,616	Durant	Lucy	4-0
Personnel Expense	1237	6	\$12,000	Lucy	Durant	4-0
Debt Service	7100	25	\$7,217,750	Parent	Lucy	4-0
Retirement / Pensions	9110	26	\$6,210,191	Durant	Duplisea	4-0
Group Health Insurance	9140	27	\$5,650,000	Duplisea	Durant	4-0
General Insurance	9141	28	\$415,385	Duplisea	Parent	3-0-1 Durant abstained
Town Clerk, Board of Registrars	1610	8	\$183,581	Durant	Duplisea	4-0
Building Inspections	2410	18	\$194,287	Durant	Lucy	4-0
Council on Aging	5410	21	\$308,343	Durant	Lucy	4-0
Board of Health	5100	20	\$203,381	Durant	Lucy	4-0
Veterans	5441	22	\$150,886	Durant	Duplisea	4-0
Moderator	1960	9	\$110	Durant	Parent	4-0
Finance Committee	1961	10	\$870	Lucy	Parent	4-0
Board of Assessors	1962	11	\$159,047	Lucy	Durant	4-0
Municipal Light Board	1967	13	\$3,900	Durant	Duplisea	4-0
Ft. Meadow Commission	1971	14	\$6,500	Lucy	Durant	4-0
Lake Boone Commission	1974	14	\$1,000	Durant	Parent	4-0
Historic District	1977	15	\$800	Durant	Lucy	4-0

Commission						
Hudson School Appropriation	---	---				

9. Citizens' Issues:

Brian O'Neil, 31 Parmenter Road asked who will be attending the EFSB hearing scheduled for the next morning. Mr. Moses stated he would be there as well as Atty. Legere. Mr. O'Neil asked if the Town plans on appealing the decision. Atty. Cipriano stated that this is premature.

Beth Loureiro, 11 Packard Street was before the Board again to discuss the idea of water/sewer abatements. The Board told Ms. Loureiro that they would pass along the information she gave them to the DPW Director and he would decide how to proceed.

10. Town Issues:

Mr. Parent stated that there is a cannabis delivery service website indicating the business is located in Hudson. After an investigation by the Hudson Police Department, and others, it has been determined there is no physical evidence this business is located in Hudson.

Mr. Duplisea informed the Board that flashing solar light for the intersection of Lewis/Main and Chestnut/Main have been funded and will be installed soon.

Mr. Durant noted the resignation of Joe Rodrigues from the Conservation Commission after almost 30 years of service.

11. Correspondence to be Noted by Clerk:

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Durant, the Board voted 4-0 to note the correspondence of its meeting of December 16, 2019.

12. Executive Session:

13. Adjourn:

On a motion by Mr. Durant, seconded by Mr. Lucy, the Board voted 4-0 to adjourn its meeting of December 16, 2019 at 8:40 PM.

Document List - December 16, 2019

Document	Location
Public session minutes – December 2, 2019	BOS Office
Executive session minutes – December 2 & 9, 2019	BOS Office
99 West Application	BOS Office
Change of d/b/a Hudson Super Liquors	BOS Office
Appointment memo – Morel, Pelletier	BOS Office
Public health nurse grant	BOS Office
Budget Summary and Message	BOS Office

2020 License Renewals	BOS Office
Route 15 ridership report for November	BOS Office
Fire department November leave report	BOS Office
Resignation letter from Joe Rodrigues	BOS Office
Letter from Gregory Opp regarding Eversource project	BOS Office
Letter from Atty. Joe Moreira regarding 47 Apsley Street	BOS Office