The Town of Hudson, MA

Selectmen's Minutes 10/16/2017

Town of Hudson - Board of Selectmen

Minutes – October 16, 2017 78 Main Street 2nd Floor 7:00 PM

Call to Order:

Present were Mr. Parent, Mr. Durant, Mr. Quinn, Mr. Lucy, Mr. Duplisea and Mr. Moses. Also present was Ms. Santos.

• Minutes to be Approved:

Public Session Minutes - September 25, 2017

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Quinn, the Board voted 5-0 to approve the public session minutes of September 25, 2017.

• Meetings and Public Hearings - 7:00 PM

- Licenses:
- Personnel:

Selectmen to consider approving the appointment of Kelli Calo as Public Health Director for the Town at a grade of M8, S1, effective October 17, 2017.

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Quinn, the Board voted 5-0 to approve the appointment of Kelli Calo as Public Health Director for the Town at a grade of M8, S1, effective October 17, 2017.

Selectmen to consider approving the appointment of Timothy Landry as an Auxiliary Fire Fighter at a rate of \$11.00 per hour, effective October 17, 2017.

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Quinn, the Board voted 5-0 to approve the appointment of Timothy Landry as an Auxiliary Fire Fighter at a rate of \$11.00 per hour, effective October 17, 2017.

Selectmen to consider approving the appointment of Brandon Johnson as W-2 Laborer for the DPW at a rate of \$20.87 per hour, effective October 17, 2017.

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Duplisea, the Board voted 5-0 to approve the appointment of Brandon Johnson as W-2 Laborer for the DPW at a rate of \$20.87 per hour, effective October 17, 2017.

Contracts:

General:

Selectmen to consider adoption and the Town of Hudson Hazard Mitigation Plan 2017 and authorize the Chairman to sign the Certificate of Adoption.

On a motion by Mr. Lucy, seconded by Mr. Quinn, the Board voted 5-0 to adopt the Town of Hudson Hazard Mitigation Plan 2017 and authorize the Chairman to sign the Certificate of Adoption.

Selectmen to consider approving the rescheduling of the BID hearing to Monday November 13, 2017 at 7PM.

On a motion by Mr. Duplisea, seconded by Mr. Lucy, the Board voted 5-0 to approve the rescheduling of the BID hearing to Monday November 13, 2017 at 7PM.

Selectmen to consider authorizing the Chair to cast an MAPC ballot.

On a motion by Mr. Quinn, seconded by Mr. Durant, the Board voted 5-0 to authorize the Chair to cast an MAPC ballot.

• Citizens' Issues:

Joseph Cunha, 1 Cherry Street spoke in regard to several emails he has sent to the Selectmen regarding excessive noise and partying at the residence located at 16-18 Grove Street. He asked what they could do to help the residents in the neighborhood. Mr. Parent stated that he has forwarded all Mr. Cunha's emails to the Police Chief. Mr. Moses said he has spoken to Captain DiPersio regarding this but did not want to comment further on their strategies. Mr. Lucy said the Police need to do much more to help the neighbors. One of the tactics the Police will use will be to park on Grove Street during the night hours.

Mr. Cunha asked that they take an additional step and create an ordinance designating "problem zones".

• Town Issues:

Mr. Duplisea noted the cooperation from the DPW during the bridge closing was complimented by DOT supervisor Scott Calan.

Correspondence to be Noted by Clerk:

On a motion by Mr. Parent, seconded by Mr. Duplisea, the Board voted 5-0 to note the correspondence of October 16, 2017.

• Executive Session:

Selectmen to conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel and/or seek advice of counsel, where an open meeting may have detrimental effect on the legal position of the public body and the chair so declares.

Selectmen to discuss status of 15 Broad Street with regard to pending litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares.

Adjourn:

The Board voted 5-0, by roll call, to enter into executive session, not to return to public session.

Document List – October 16, 2017

Document	Location
Public session minutes – 09/25/17	BOS Office
Appointment memos: Kelli Calo, Timothy Landry, Brandon Johnson	BOS Office
Hazard Mitigation Plan	BOS Office
BID rescheduling memo	BOS Office

MAPC Ballot	BOS Office
Letter regarding Recycling Dividends Program grant	BOS Office
Invitation to Hudson's Veteran's Day Parade	BOS Office
Letter from Hudson Elks regarding recent damage to sprinkler heads	BOS Office
Notice from Mass Lottery Commission	BOS Office
Letter from Chief Burks regarding Activation Fund Grant	BOS Office
Decennial Census information	BOS Office
Email regarding unleashed dogs at Gates Pond	BOS Office
Proposed budget hearing schedule for FY 2019	BOS Office
Confidential correspondence from Atty. Cipriano	BOS Office