

**HAMPTON BOARD OF SELECTMEN
SELECTMEN'S MEETING ROOM
JANUARY 9, 2007 – 6:00 PM**

PRESENT: Virginia Russell-Russell, Chairman
Ben Moore, Vice-Chairman
Rick Griffin
James Workman
Bill Lally
Mark Gearreald, Interim Town Manager
Maureen Duffy, Administrative Assistant

REGRETS:

Chairman Virginia Bridle-Russell called the meeting to order at 6:00PM.

2007 WARRANT – SELECTMEN RECOMMENDATIONS

Shall the Town of Hampton vote to amend Chapter 2, Article 6 “Sewage Use and Construction Ordinance” by adding the following words to Section 2:603 (b) -- the “or municipal storm sewer system” and “connection to municipal storm drain system shall require the prior written approval of the Director of Public Works” -- so that it reads:

It shall be unlawful to discharge to any natural outlet or municipal storm sewer system within the Town of Hampton, or in any area under the jurisdiction of said Town, any wastewater or other polluted waters, except where suitable treatment has been provided in accordance with subsequent provisions of this Ordinance. Connection to municipal storm drain system shall require the prior written approval of the Director of Public Works.

Mr. Moore MOTIONED to place the above article regarding amending the Sewage Use and Construction Ordinance on the 2007 warrant. **Mr. Workman SECONDED.**

VOTE: UNANIMOUS FOR

Article 30

“...to raise and appropriate \$8,000.00 in their 2007 Budget for the support of Seacoast Mental Health Center, Inc.”

Mr. Moore MOTIONED to recommend Article 30 regarding funding for the Seacoast Mental Health Center. **Mr. Griffin SECONDED.**

VOTE: UNANIMOUS FOR

Article 31

“...raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Dollars for the purpose of funding New Generation Shelter...”

Mr. Moore MOTIONED to NOT recommend Article 31 regarding funding for New Generation Shelter. **Mr. Griffin SECONDED.**

VOTE: UNANIMOUS FOR

Article 32

“...raise and appropriate \$840,000 for constructing a sidewalk on Mill Road, North from the intersection of Ann’s Lane to the North Hampton Town Line?”

Mr. Moore MOTIONED to NOT recommend Article 32 regarding funding a sidewalk on Mill Road. **Mr. Griffin SECONDED.**

VOTE: UNANIMOUS FOR

Article 33

“...raise and appropriate through petitioned warrant article, the sum of \$40,000 for support of the “free care” the Seacoast Visiting Nurse Association...”

Mr. Griffin MOTIONED to recommend Article 33 regarding funding for the Seacoast Visiting Nurses. **Mr. Moore SECONDED.**

VOTE: UNANIMOUS FOR

Article 34

“...raise and appropriate the amount of #100,000 to renovate the old Town Hall, making the necessary repairs and improvements to turn it into a Senior Center...”

Mr. Lally MOTIONED to NOT recommend Article 34 regarding funding renovations for a Senior Center. **Mr. Griffin SECONDED.**

VOTE: UNANIMOUS FOR

Article 35

“...Rockingham Community Action and at least 25 registered Hampton voters, shall the Town of Hampton raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000.00 to defray the costs of services provided to low and moderate income Hampton residents...”

Representatives from Rockingham Community Action (RCA) came before the Board. They informed the Board of the many different programs that they offer to help the needy. In 2006 RCA helped close to 3,000 Hampton residents who needed assistance (i.e. electric, heating fuel, Head Start Program) and took advantage of the

services available. Approximately 80% of RCA's funding is restricted money from the federal government and approximately 20% is unrestricted donations.

Mr. Moore MOTIONED to recommend Article 35 regarding funding for Rockingham Community Action. **Mr. Griffin SECONDED.**

VOTE: UNANIMOUS FOR

Article 36

"...raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 as requested by ~~of~~ Families First Health and Support Center..."

Mr. Moore MOTIONED to NOT recommend Article 36 regarding funding for *Families First Health and Support Center*. **Mr. Griffin SECONDED.**

VOTE: UNANIMOUS FOR

Article 37

"...raise and appropriate the sum of \$43,000 for the purpose of providing full larviciding of the mosquito breeding areas..."

Mr. Moore MOTIONED to recommend Article 37 regarding funding larviciding mosquitos. **Mr. Workman SECONDED.**

VOTE: UNANIMOUS FOR

Article 38

"...raise and appropriate the amount of \$4000 for Lamprey Health Care Senior Transportation Program..."

Mr. Griffin MOTIONED to recommend Article 38 regarding funding for the Lamprey Health Care Senior Transportation Program. **Mr. Moore SECONDED.**

VOTE: UNANIMOUS FOR

Article 39

"The Great Bay Chapter of the American Red Cross... financial support of \$1,000.00..."

Mr. Lally MOTIONED to recommend Article 39 regarding funding for The Great Bay Chapter of the American Red Cross. **Mr. Workman SECONDED.**

VOTE: UNANIMOUS FOR

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Workman MOTIONED to adjourn at 6:30PM. **Mr. Moore SECONDED.**

VOTE: UNANIMOUS FOR

Chairman