

EDGARTOWN BOARD OF ASSESSORS MEETING 2-13-2017

PRESENT: Alan Gowell, Chairman of the Board; Donna L. Goodale and Laurence A Mercier, members of the Board; Jo-Ann Resendes, Principal Assessor; Ed Pierce, Data Collector/Office Assistant (arriving at 3:25PM) and C. Bonnell, Administrative Assistant

The Chairman brought the meeting to order at 3:05 PM.

After motion made and seconded, the minutes of the January 30, 2017 meeting were unanimously approved.

CORRESPONDENCE:

A letter from Kimberly Kane, Town Accountant was received regarding the signing of payroll and warrants. The Municipal Modernization bill requires boards, department heads and commissioners to sign payrolls and warrants. The Assessors sign the payroll and warrants now so there are no changes for this department.

PERMISSION TO ABATE:

Nothing at this time

NEW BUSINESS:

Jo-Ann reported that she submitted changes to the Administrative Assistant and Principal Assessor job descriptions to the Personnel Board. The Board discussed the retirement of Ed and Jo-Ann. There is not a date set for Ed's retirement. The Board has sent Jo-Ann a letter asking her to stay on later- probably another year.

The Department of Revenue (Steve McCarthy) will be here on Friday to meet with Jo-Ann and Ann Marie Cywinski (Tisbury) to prepare for the recertification.

The Board signed two revision of values- One parcel that was forgotten when the increases of value were made in the Herring Creek area and one house that did not get the addition added on for the tax bills.

After motion made and seconded, the following exemption were granted:

CPA- David Brennan

41 C-Wladymyr & Elfriede Rozen

18- Gloria Fisk

Veterans- Laurence A Langley-Joan Dunayer-Peter T. Bettencourt

The next meeting will be posted for March 20, 2017 at 3:00 PM.

At 3:30 Donna made a motion to go into executive session to discuss abatement applications and to not return to regular session when done. Mr. Gowell aye, Mr. Mercier aye, and Ms Goodale aye.

Respectfully submitted: