

EDGARTOWN BOARD OF ASSESSORS MEETING 11-28-2016

PRESENT: Alan Gowell, Chairman of the Board; Donna L. Goodale and Laurence A Mercier, members of the Board; Jo-Ann Resendes, Principal Assessor and C. Bonnell, Administrative Assistant

The Chairman brought the meeting to order at 3:15 PM.

After motion made and seconded, the minutes of the October 24, 2016 meeting were unanimously approved.

CORRESPONDENCE: Nothing at this time

PERMISSION TO ABATE: Nothing at this time

NEW BUSINESS:

Jo-Ann reported to the Board that the FY18 growth and final values have been approved. She will be working on the Recap this week to prepare for the tax hearing on December 5, 2016 at 4:00 PM at the Selectmen's meeting.

The Board reviewed the October sales.

Jo-Ann told the Board that the Selectmen have requested a transfer from the overlay account for \$400,000. Jo-Ann will review the pending ATB cases and the overlay balances, to see if this is a reasonable request and report to the board at the next meeting.

The next meeting will be held on December 5, 2016 at 3:30 PM to vote on a transfer to overlay surplus. At the same time they will discuss the FY18 budget request.

The Board again discussed the hiring of a data collector for cyclical inspections. The money appropriated annually for reval funds includes money for temporary help for those inspections. That project should be started early next year if possible.

Jo-Ann noted that RRC had sent a letter with a quote for work for FY18. She has let them know that there will be an RFP for recertification year work. Jo-Ann will contact RRC to see what their quote covers, as it may be lower than the amount spent for the FY15 business personal property work (last reval year).

After motion made and seconded, the meeting was adjourned at 4:17 PM.

Respectfully submitted: