SELECTMEN'S MEETING – March 1, 2010

Present: Richard Bielefield, John J. Strasser, Margo Connors

Jennifer Gaudette

Guests: Nick DeMayo, James Snyder

Correspondence was read and acted upon.

The Selectmen signed an Intent to Cut Wood or Timber for Gary G. Young Jr., Map 208, Lots 1 & 5.

The Selectmen signed Project Contracts with Atlantic Energy Solutions for light and fixture replacements at the Sugar Hill Meeting House and the Highway Garage. These contracts are a result of lighting audits performed on all town buildings. The Town will pay half the cost of the replacements and the payback on the garage is 1.8 years and the Meeting House is 1.9 years.

MODERATOR JAMES SNYDER met with the board to go over the 2010 Town Meeting Warrant prior to Town Meeting. Each article was discussed and decided as to whom would be speaking to the Article. Department Heads Glover, Wentworth and Clark will be available for questions. Clarification is needed on Article 17 in regard to the fire pond easement and the Administrative Assistant will ask Chief Clark for his opinion on a possible amendment to clarify. MR. DE MAYO asked about the fire pond easement and who owned the property. Paul Hayward is the owner of the property. He also inquired to whether the work on the fire pond would be put out to bid. It was noted the Chief Clark will be in charge of the work if the article passes and the board thought he would put it out to bid. Moderator Snyder noted that the polls will re-open at the end of the meeting for those who have not had a chance to vote. Mr. DeMayo asked if the Moderator would be starting Town Meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and Moderator Snyder noted that he would be opening the meeting and if the pledge was requested and the body of the meeting wants to have the Pledge that is their choice. Mr. DeMayo requested that the placement of the United States and the State of New Hampshire flags are properly placed on the stage. Mr. DeMayo asked if the thermal imaging camera is shared or does it belong to Sugar Hill. It was noted that the grant has been received and the camera will be the property of the Sugar Hill Fire Department.

MARGO CONNORS mentioned that she had been contacted about having an events board that could be put up to notify people of town events. It was discussed about having something that could hang from the sign in front of the Crapo Building or having a sandwich style board that could be moved to different locations.

MR. BIELEFIELD made a motion to accept the minutes of February 22, 2010, seconded by MS. CONNORS. The motion was approved unanimously.

MS. CONNORS made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:45 PM, seconded by MR. BIELEFIELD. The next scheduled meeting will be on Monday, March 8, 2010 at the Carolina Crapo Building at 5:30PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer P. Gaudette Administrative Assistant