

**TOWN OF JAFFREY
Jaffrey, New Hampshire**

**BOARD OF SELECTMEN
Meeting Minutes
June 11, 2012**

Present: Chairman LaBrie, Selectman MacIsaac, Selectmen Batchelder, Town Manager Hartman

Absent: Sue Richard, Adm. Assistant

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman LaBrie called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

MEETING MINUTES APPROVAL

None

PUBLIC HEARING

None

APPOINTMENTS

None

REGULAR BUSINESS

1) Payroll and Vendor Manifests

On a motion by MacIsaac, seconded by Batchelder, the payroll and vendor manifests were approved (3-0).

2) Selectmen's Reports

LaBrie

Selectman LaBrie reported on the most recent meeting of the HDC. The HDC has determined that signage recently installed at the Monadnock Inn was installed without the commission's approval as required. The HDC will be contacting the inn to remove the signs and begin the process of making an application to the HDC for signage.

MacIsaac

Selectman MacIsaac noted that he, the Public Works Director and the Town Manager would be attending a meeting regarding the deferral of state assistance grants at the NHMA on June 13. The NHMA has asked all of the communities affected by the deferrals to attend the meeting and participate in the formulation of a plan to address the

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issue with the state legislature.

Batchelder

None

3) Town Manager's Report

The town has been offered a gift of property that is located immediately adjacent to the beach. The gift has been offered by Stephanie MK. Bjork, in memory of her father, Robert C. Martin. The Board agreed to accept the gift and asked that a thank you letter be written to Ms. Bjork. Approved (3-0).

4) Request for Abatements

a) #12-38 – Jaffrey Center Village Improvement Society – Land on Thorndike Pond Rd/Sandra Best – Map229/Lot20 – Property Tax in the amount of \$783 was approved (3-0).

b) #12-39 – Jane Torrey – 401 Main Street – Map228/Lot36 – Water Abatement in the amount of \$69.00 and Sewer Abatement in the amount of \$49.75 were approved (3-0).

c) #12-40 James C. Moore – 12 Eastwood Drive – Map257/Lot19 – Water Abatement in the amount of \$3,297.52 was approved (3-0).

5) Request

a) First Church in Jaffrey request permission to put up a sign one week in advance to their August 1st Fair was approved (3-0).

b) Request permission for First Church in Jaffrey, in cooperation with the Jaffrey Center Village Improvement Society, planning an outdoor concert on Sunday, August 19th and would like to use the Jaffrey Center Common at 3:00 pm to 4:30 pm was approved (3-0).

6) Notice of Intent to Cut Wood or Timber

a) #12-233-25-T – Map230/Lot3.5 & 3.6 – Paul R. Swenson – signed

7) Veteran's Exemption

a) Joseph Manning – Veteran's Exemption – resides in Rindge and is eligible to apply in Rindge and not Jaffrey was approved by Board (3-0).

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8) Request from TEAM Jaffrey

a) TEAM Jaffrey asking permission for the use of the bandstand for the Jaffrey Summer Concerts on the Common during July and August and also permission for a 50/50 raffle at each of the Summer Concerts was approved (2-0). Batchelder abstained.

OTHER BUSINESS

None

NON-PUBLIC SESSION

None

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion by Batchelder, seconded by MacIsaac to go back into Public Session, the meeting adjourned at 7:22 p.m. (3-0).

Submitted:

Sue Richard
Administrative Assistant

Attest:

Chairman LaBrie
Board of Selectmen

