



**Select Board Minutes
Tuesday September 5, 2017 - 6 pm
Holland Town Hall
27 Sturbridge Road
Holland, MA**

Present:

Bettina Schmidt - Chair

Lawrence Mandell - Member

Kelli A. Robbins, Esq., Executive Secretary

Absent: Elias Gillen - Member

Call to Order:

Ms. Schmidt called the meeting to order at 6PM

Approval of Minutes

Motion 090517-1, Mr. Mandell to approve the August 15, 2017 minutes as written. 2nd Ms. Schmidt. So Voted

New Business:

Outreach Worker Position

Ms. Deborah Tierney, Outreach Worker came before the Select Board with the result of the process to hire a new Outreach Worker in light of her upcoming retirement. The Committee consisted of Cyndi Harris, COA, Lt. S. Patrick Swain and Ms. Tierney. The Committee received 6 applications, 3 warranted interviews. Of the three the chosen for interview, Mr. Allen Percy's skills and background most closely conforms with the job's needs. Therefore, the Committee recommends Allan Percy to be the new Outreach Worker.

Motion 090517-2. Mr. Mandell to appoint Mr. Allan Percy as the new Outreach Worker. 2nd Ms. Schmidt. So voted.

Community Center Director Position

Ms. Schmidt was part of the committee to interview and recommend a Community Center Director. The committee consisted of Christine Haller of the COA, Jessi McCarthy, Library Director and Ms. Schmidt. Five applications were received. Of the applications received, two applicants were chosen for interviews. The committee is recommending Brenda Palmer as the new Community Center Director.

Motion 090517-3, Mr. Mandell to appoint Brenda Palmer as Community Center Director. 2nd Ms. Schmidt. So voted

Announcements:

The following are seeking members

Conservation - 1 members

Zoning Board of Appeals - 1 member OPEB - 2 members

Bylaw Committee - 1 member

Capital Planning Committee - 1 member not affiliated with any other boards or committees

Counsel on Aging - 1 member

Public Access –

None

Motion 090517-4 Mr. Mandell to adjourn. 2nd Ms. Schmidt. So voted.

Meeting closed 6:04 PM