MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2012

Board of Selectmen Present: Ralph Patuto, Chairman; Robert Hogan, Vice-Chairman; Walter Zenkin; Michael Runyan; Daniel Grattan

Also Present: John Petrin, Town Administrator; Thomas Hickey, Assistant Town Administrator

Pledge of Allegiance/Moments of Reflection

The General Session of the Board of Selectmen (BOS) was called to order at 7:00 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence for the members of the armed forces.

206 Approval: Committee Appointment/Conservation Commission

Town Administrator John Petrin (T.A. Petrin) said the Conservation Department had recommended William Boivin be considered for the position of Conservation Commission member. He appointed Mr. Boivin to the position and requested the BOS waive the standard 15-day waiting period.

Motion: Selectman Zenkin moved to waive the standard 15-day waiting period for the appointment of William Boivin as Conservation Commission member. Seconded by Selectman Grattan and approved. (5-0-0)

Former Conservation Commission member, Gretchen Carey, was thanked for her service to the town.

207 Approval: Mount Hope Christian School

Walk-a-Thon, October 27, 2012

Mount Hope Christian School submitted a request to hold a Walk-a-Thon on Saturday, October 27, 2012 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. to raise funds for the school, with 150-200 people expected to participate and walkers will be on public sidewalks. The Board of Selectmen (BOS) reviewed the walking route, and a concern was expressed that walkers may block streets causing police details to be called to the site. It was recommended approval be conditional on the receipt of an opinion from the Police Department.

Motion: Selectman Hogan moved to approve Mount Hope Christian School’s Walk-a-Thon to be held on Saturday, October 27, 2012 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. with the condition that comments and recommendations be received from the Police Department. Seconded by Selectman Zenkin and approved. (5-0-0)

The BOS recommended that all future requests for this type of event include recommendations and/or comments from the Police Department.
Approval: Minutes

April 2, 2012, Special Session
Selectman Hogan moved to approve the Special Session minutes of April 2, 2012. Seconded by Selectman Zenkin and approved. (4-0-1 with Selectman Runyan abstaining)

April 9, 2012, Executive Session
Selectman Hogan moved to approve the Executive Session minutes of April 9, 2012. Seconded by Selectman Zenkin and approved. (4-0-1 with Selectman Runyan abstaining)

April 9, 2012 General Session
Selectman Hogan moved to approve the General Session minutes of April 9, 2012. Seconded by Selectman Zenkin and approved. (4-0-1 with Selectman Runyan abstaining)

Old/New Business

None.

Adjourn
Motion: Selectman Zenkin moved to adjourn at 7:10 p.m. Seconded by Selectman Hogan and approved. (5-0-0)

Respectfully submitted,

Betty McDonough
Acting Recording Clerk