

MINUTES OF SELECT BOARD MEETING

**Hope Select Board
Thursday, March 2, 2023
6:00 p.m.
Hope Elementary School**

Board Members Present:

- Sarah Ann Smith, Dick Crabtree, Charlie Weidman, and Michael Schultz

Others Present:

- Samantha Mank

Call to Order:

- The meeting was called to order at 6:07 p.m. by Sarah.

Agenda Adjustments/Approval:

- Michael made a motion to approve the agenda with the removal of the Town Administrator Report. It was seconded Dick.

Motion passed 3-0

Public Comment:

- None

Minutes:

- February 14, 2023: Michael made a motion to approve the 2/14/23 minutes. It was seconded by Charlie.

Motion passed 4-0

Warrants 58, 59, & 60:

- The Select Board reviewed the warrants. Michael made a motion to approve and sign warrants 58, 59, and 60. It was seconded by Charlie.

Motion passed 4-0

New Business:

- Liquor License Renewal – Hope General Store: The Select Board reviewed the application from the Hope General Store. Charlie made a motion to approve and sign the application. Dick noted that he thought the distance on the application from door to door of the Sweet Tree School might not be accurate. It was seconded by Michael.

Motion passed 4-0

- Appointment Confirmation Bookkeeper – Chelsea Summers: Dick made a motion to confirm the appointment of Chelsea Summers as the Bookkeeper. It was seconded Charlie.

Motion passed 4-0

Old Business:

- None

Other Business:

- Michael asked the Select Board to think of various ways the Town could help get out the word that there are approximately 990 slots for applications to receive fiber optic installations through the ConnectME grant which is the Hope and Appleton Broadband Expansion Project trying to make fiber optic 100% available throughout the Town.

Adjournment:

- Charlie made a motion to adjourn at 7:16 p.m. It was seconded by Dick.

Motion passed 4-0