SELECT BOARD MEETING AGENDA

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2020 @ 6:00 PM OFFICE OF THE SELECT BOARD, 1ST FLOOR 3 HOLLOW ROAD, WALES, MA

OPEN SESSION MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT 6:00 PM

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §18, and the Governor's March 15, 2020 Order imposing strict limitation on the number of people that may gather in one place, this meeting of the Wales Board of Selectmen is being conducted in-person and via remote participation. No in-person attendance of members of the public will be permitted, but every effort will be made to ensure that the public can adequately access the proceedings in real time. In the event that we are unable to do so, despite best efforts, we will post on the Town of Wales website an audio or video recording, transcript, or other comprehensive record of proceedings as soon as possible after the meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

- Vote to ratify the emergency action taken by the Board of Selectmen on December 6, 2020
 Motion by Selectman Valanzola; seconded by Selectman Grasso; to engage Inland Docks Inc. to provide shoveling
 and sanding/salting services related to the December 5, 2020 snow event for the Town Offices, Library, Senior
 Center, Old Town Hall and the Church Street/Route 19 crosswalk. Selectman Grasso yes; Selectman Valanzola –
 yes; Chairman Matchett abstain.
- Vote to approve a Goods and Services Agreement effective December 11, 2020 through June 30, 2021 with Inland Docks Inc. to provide shoveling and sanding/salting services to the Town of Wales pursuant to Estimate #2020-182 dated December 7, 2020
- Vote to appoint a budget liaison to the Wales Elementary School Committee
- Vote to appoint a budget liaison to the Tantasqua Regional School Committee
- Calendar year 2021 license fees
- Discussion and vote that the Town of Wales elects to engage in the process to change health insurance benefits under M.G.L. c. 32B, §§ 21 through 23 (MV)

OLD BUSINESS

- COVID-19 update/discussion/action plan
- Transfer station operations

ADJOURNMENT

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*Note: The items listed which may be discussed at the meeting are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law. Members of the Board, the Executive Secretary, staff or others who prepare background material for the meeting should make an effort to have such material available by the morning of the meeting. If background information is insufficient or complicated, or if complex memos or motions are presented at the meeting, which were not in the Board's meeting packet, any member should feel free to request the tabling of the item to allow careful study of the material presented or the motion. All documents relative to the meeting's agenda items shall be made available the business day following the meeting, upon request.