

THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN MINUTES/ WORK SESSION OF 5-9-05 APPROVED

The work session was called to order at 7:00 p.m. at the Raymond High School Media Center by Chairman Norman Weldy. Members present: Dick Wood, Jack Barnes, Frank Bishop and Greg Bemis. Also present: Town Manager Rick Bates.

Chairman Weldy led a salute to the flag.

Ethics Training

The Board of Selectmen had their annual Ethics Training/Refresher course. Mr. Frank Bourque and Patrick Larney were in attendance from the Ethics Committee to provide the training. The Board of Selectmen thanked Mr. Bourque and Mr. Larney for their time.

Special Presentation to the Raymond High School Band and Chorus

The Board of Selectmen presented Proclamations to the Raymond High School Band and Chorus for their achievements in obtaining Gold, Silver and School Spirit Award at the Heritage Festival.

Mr. LaCasse, the Raymond High School Band and Chorus Music Director is on hand to accept the Proclamations on behalf of the Band and Chorus. Mr. LaCasse gave a speech and thanked the Board of Selectmen.

Raymond Business and Economic Development Interviews

Each person that requested an interest in being on this committee was asked to send in a letter of request, those interested were put on a list. Each person will be awarded 10 minutes, they will be asked five questions. The following is a list of the people interested in the committee:

Richie Ladd, Jonathan Wood, Dennis Lydon, Ed French, Wayne Welch, Andy Harmon, Peter Buckingham, Tim Louis, Kathy Hoelzel, Bob Carlberg, Don Tenney and Paul McCoy. Mr. McCoy was out of town and therefore was not interviewed.

The above were given the five questions and interviewed by the Board. The Board will take all interviews under advisement and will make the appointments at the May 16th meeting.

Motion to adjourn by Selectman Bishop, seconded by Selectman Bemis. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at approximately 9:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy L. Cramer
Executive Secretary/Selectmen's Secretary