

Town of Paris

Minutes

Selectperson's Meeting

Date and Time: Thursday, November 26, 2007 @ 7:00 p.m.

Location: Paris Town Office Conference Room

Attendees:

First and Last Name - Title
Ernest Fitts – Chairman
David Ivey – Vice Chairman
Raymond Glover
Gerald Kilgore
Glen Young
Sharon Jackson, Town Manager

1. Mr. Fitts called the selectmen's meeting to order and welcomed visitors at 7:00 pm.
2. Pledge of Allegiance was led by the Town Manager.
3. Adjustments to the agenda. Add agenda item #10A – Accept resignation from Carole Kelley as of 11-29-07.
4. Report from Interim Assessor Carole Kelley Report given by Carole Kelley, Carole stated that there is still a lot of work to be done, E. Fitts asked her if she recommended a full time or a part time assessor. Carole stated that without question a full time assessor is needed here. Please listen to tape for full report.

4a (Item 9 has been moved to 4a) Discussion and action on placement of Veterans Memorial in Moore Park. Motion was made to approve the use of Moore Park for the Veterans Memorial in the area from the south for 165 feet from peak, this is a 10' set back for Memorial area, motion was made by R. Glover, seconded by G. Kilgore. Motion was made by G. Kilgore to amend first motion, seconded by G. Young, four (4) voted in favor. Amended motion is to approve the 176' for Memorial. All five (5) voted in favor.
5. Discussion and action on the minutes of November 15, 2007. Motion to accept was made by D. Ivey, seconded
By G. Kilgore.
6. Discussion and action on Accounts Payable Warrants #46 and Payroll Warrants #37 and #45. Motion to accept
was made by R. Glover, seconded by G. Kilgore.
7. Manager's Update:

Manager's Update, November 26, 2007

Scheduled Meetings – Meetings are subject to change if needed

Tuesday	November 27	7pm	Planning Board
Monday	December 3	6pm	Recreation Committee
Wednesday	December 5	6:30pm	Oxford County Municipal Officers Dinner Meeting Rumford
Sunday	December 9	1:00pm	Dedication of Paris Elementary School
Monday	December 10	7pm	Selectmen – Town Office
Tuesday	December 11	7pm	Planning Board
Wednesday	December 12	7pm	X-Tra Mile ATV Club
Thursday	December 13	7pm	Cemetery Committee

Monday December 17 7pm

NPSW

Tuesday December 25

Christmas – Offices Closed

Thursday December 27 7pm

Selectmen – Town Office

- 12. Time Warner will be sending a price increase letter to all customers. The increase will be effective January 15, 2008. Copies in packet and copies to Cable Committee.
 - 13. SAD 17 has scheduled the dedication of the Paris Elementary School for Sunday, December 9 at 1pm. Please let me know if you will plan to attend so I can let the school know who will be attending.
 - 14. Copies of the financial reports as of today. Our spending is on line for where we need to be right now. The majority of major purchases will not be authorized until the first of May when the second half of the tax money is due and received. We track receipts and expenditures on a monthly basis. So far there are no red flags.
 - 15. 30 Foreclosure notices totaling \$28,752 were sent November 19 to real estate property owners and mortgage holders with unpaid balances on the 2006 taxes. Payment has been received from 3 of the 30. Automatic foreclosure will take place on December 28.
16. Citizens Comments: Mark Stearns commented on the ability for citizens to make comments during open meeting, Troy Ripley on hiring 2 part time assessors to avoid paying for benefits
17. Discussion and action to approve the renewal liquor license for Maurice Restaurant, 109 Main Street. Motion to approve was made by G. Kilgore, seconded by G. Young. All five (5) voted in favor.
- 10A Accept resignation from Carole Kelley, effective as of 11-29-2007. Motion to accept was made by D. Ivey, seconded by G. Kilgore.
18. Motion to go into executive session pursuant to 1 M.R.S.A. §405 (6)(/A) to review applications for the Assessors position. Motion to do so was made by D. Ivey, seconded by G. Kilgore. Executive session entered at 7:44, exited at 8:03
19. Adjournment. Motion to adjourn was made by D. Ivey, seconded by G. Kilgore. Adjournment was at 8pm.

Respectfully submitted:

Sharon Jackson, Town Manager

SJ/ap

Approval;

Board of Selectpersons, Town of Paris, this ____ day of _____, _____

Name	Signature
Ernest Fitts, Chairman	
David Ivey, Vice Chairman	
Raymond Glover	
Gerald Kilgore	
Glen Young	