

Special Board of Selectmen's Meeting – June 29, 2023 (Unapproved minutes)

Robert McGarry called the meeting to order at 6:41 pm at the Haddam Volunteer Fire Company, Community Hall, 439 Saybrook Road, Haddam, 06438

Kate Anderson was present. Sean Moriarty was absent.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited at Town Meeting 10 minutes ago, did not recite again.

Tax Refunds: Anderson made a motion to accept the tax refunds in the amount of \$719.64 No discussion. Motion carried unanimously. (Attached as Schedule I)

Discussion of Transfer Station: McGarry made a motion to increase the GWI weight limit from 11,000 lbs to 14,000 lbs. and the fee for vehicles over 11,000 will be \$150.00. McGarry allowed public comment during this discussion.

Public Comment: John Breton, 30 Camp Bethel Rd: commented that he tows a large boat and needs his large truck to tow it. He is capable of putting the same amount of trash in a passenger vehicle. He is not against paying more money for the pass.

Eric Rettberg: - commented that the bed is smaller, everyone should incur the cost of the increase. He won't buy a new car just to bring trash to the Transfer Station.

John Boothroyd: Commented that there shouldn't be any 2 axel trailers at the Transfer Station, will you start enforcing all of the rules?

Tim Lucas: 33 Summersweet Drive: Commented that the Town should prevent commercial dumping. It shouldn't matter what the resident drives. Police what is being brought in. Charge a tipping fee, not the vehicle. He also suggested anyone who got a pass last year should get one this year, be grandfathered in, while these issues are figured out.

Rich Williams: Commented the weight should be more than 14,000 lbs.

Don Gibowski: commented if a contractor is doing work in Haddam the trash should be allowed to go to the Haddam dump and suggested the contractor show the contractors permit.

McGarry asked for further discussion on the Motion. Kate suggested the weight be increased to 14,500 based on the public discussion. McGarry amended his motion to increase the GWI weight limit from 11,000 lbs to 14,500 lbs. and the fee for vehicles over 11,000 lbs will cost \$150.00. No further discussion. Motion carried unanimously.

Adjournment: Anderson made a motion to adjourn. No discussion. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 7:09 pm. Minutes taken by JoAnn Ricciardelli

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<u>Last Name</u>	<u>Bill Number</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Prior/Current</u>
Real Estate (01)			

Total: **\$0.00**

Personal Property (02)

anrg	20210240751	\$32.25	current

Total: **\$32.25**

Motor Vehicle (03)			
baxley, richard	2019-04-80075	\$226.54	prior
nissan infinity	2020-03-56538	\$460.85	prior

Total **\$687.39**

Motor Vehicle Supplement (04)

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Total: **\$0.00**

Grand Total: **\$719.64**