

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF
THE STRAFFORD BOARD OF SELECTMEN
July 28, 2014

Pursuant to 1 V.S.A. § 312 (b) (1) Selectboard meeting minutes include

- (A) All members of the public body present;
- (B) All other active participants in the meeting;
- (C) All motions, proposals and resolutions made, offered and considered, and what disposition is made of same; and
- (D) The results of any votes, with a record of the individual vote of each member if a roll call is taken.

Although meeting minutes have complied with 1 V.S.A. § 312 (b) (1), any additional information is included as a courtesy.

The meeting was called to order at 7:35 a.m.

Members of the public body present:

Rod Maclay, Chair, Brian Johnson, Brent Cadwell, and John Freitag, Members

Other active participants:

Lisa Kendall, Town Clerk

General: Lisa presented a handout for calculating the 2014 tax rate and reviewed the breakdown for tax amounts to be raised. Lisa also consulted with Steve Willbanks as a former Selectboard member to verify the tax rate as they had done in the past.

Town Rate .6852

Education Rate Resident 1.4496

Education Non-Resident 1.3764

Total Residential Tax Rate 2.1348

Total Non-Residential Tax Rate 2.0616

This represents an increase of .3491 over 2013. Town increase of .1654; Education increase of .1837.

Brent made a motion to accept the tax rates as presented by Lisa, Brian Seconded. All in Favor.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50 a.m.

The next Select Board meeting is Wednesday August 13 at 7:00 p.m. at the Town Clerk's office.

Respectfully submitted by Lisa M Kendall