

Chilmark finance Committee & Selectmen Joint Board Meeting

February 16, 2011 Minutes

Chilmark Town Hall Selectmen's Meeting Room

Present: Selectmen: Chairman Warren Doty, Jonathan Mayhew, Frank Fenner,
FinCom: Chairman Marshall Carroll, John Maloney, Bruce Golden, Frank Yeomans,
Sarah Mayhew Shipway, Richard Williams, Others: Executive Secretary Tim Carroll,
Accountant Emily Day, Treasurer Melanie Becker, Administrative Assistant Diana DeBlase,
Board of Health Chairman Katy Carroll, Police Chief Brian Cioffi, Aquinnah Police Chief Randhi Belain, Reporter
Jim Hickey.

ABSTRACT from minutes posted online

In closing Mrs. Becker would like to clarify about pay grade changes that were discussed at an earlier budget hearing. At that meeting it was implied that she and the accountant were upset about not getting a grade increase also. She would like to clarify that in a recession it's not good to have individual grade increasing. She would recommend that an evaluation of all positions be done professionally by a consultant. This would be an equitable and impartial way to do this. The personnel board in this town has not done this in the past 15 years.

Mr. Williams moved to recommend town pursue a warrant article for \$15,000 to hire a consultant to review all position grades for the Town of Chilmark for a STM this fall. Mrs. Mayhew Shipway seconded the motion. **SO VOTED: 6 Ayes**