

MINUTES

Board of Assessor's

Date: October 22, 2020

Time: 11:00AM

Place: ZOOM MEETING

Meeting called by: Richard Morse

Type of Meeting: Regular

Facilitator & Note Taker: Elizabeth Duffy

Attendance: Board of Assessors Richard Morse, Chair, LeGrand Hines, Member, Kenneth Hargreaves Member, Elizabeth Duffy, Principal Assessor

Call to Order 11:20 am

No Public participation

Approved Minutes for September 10, 2020 meeting: Richard Morse motioned to accept, LeGrand Hines motioned to accept

Motor Vehicle Abatements

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| • 09/07/2020 to 09/11/2020 | \$ | 595.22 |
| • 09/14/2020 to 09/18/2020 | \$ | 646.04 |
| • 09/21/2020 to 09/30/2020 | \$ | 3,048.75 |
| • 10/01/2020 to 10/02/2020 | \$ | 178.10 |
| • 10/05/2020 to 10/07/2020 | \$ | 383.96 |

Vote - Richard Morse motioned to accept, LeGrand Hines and Kenneth Hargreaves accepted motion

Motor Vehicle Warrants, Notices to Commit & Commitment Sheets:

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| • 2018 Commit # 93 | \$ | 298.75 |
| • 2019 Commit # 92 | \$ | 1,963.15 |
| • 2020 Commit # 91 | \$ | 1,675.20 |
| • 2020 Commit # 5 | \$ | 53,363.34 |

Discussion concerning Motor Vehicle Commitments for FY 2018 and 2019.

RM: Why are they being billed long after the billing period and how are we notified?

ED: Periodically RMV send a vehicles with a late registration or Tax Town Error. In some cases it may be receives by another Assessor in the incorrect community.

Vote - Richard Morse motioned to accept, LeGrand Hines and Kenneth Hargreaves accepted motion

Sign Schedule for Uncollectable for:

- 2013 & 2014 Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes

Discussion concerning uncollectable vehicle taxes.

KH: Why are some vehicles owned by lease companies or businesses known to be still operating considered uncollectable? Doesn't the RMV suspend the registration?

ED: Yes, the registration is held up if the local taxes are not paid.

KH: Mentioned a couple he recognized as active businesses.

ED: I will investigate to see how they are bypassing the registration hold. They may be registering in a different ownership.

Vote - Richard Morse motioned to accept, LeGrand Hines and Kenneth Hargreaves accepted motion

Executive Session, was deemed unnecessary. No confidential matters were discussed.

Principal Assessor update

Classification hearing is Monday 11/16/20 at 6:30 PM.

Reviewed the Residential Exemption for Town Council

Next BOA Meeting will be 11/12/2020 at 11 am.

Adjourned by Richard Morse at 12:20 pm.