

**TOWN OF SHEFFIELD
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
JANUARY 11, 2006
TOWN HALL**

Board Members Present: Janet G. Stanton, Chairman
David D. Macy, Selectman
Julie M. Hannum, Selectman

Other Staff Present: Robert Weitz, Town Administrator

Others Present: Bruce Philbrick, American Legion
Mark Bachetti, American Legion
"Doc" Nourse, American Legion
Milt Barnum, American Legion
George Oleen, American Legion
Charles & Pauline Schumann, Council on Aging Member
& Husband
Grace Campbell, Council on Aging Member

Chairman Stanton called meeting to order at 7:30PM

AMERICAN LEGION RE: SENIOR CENTER

The Board met with the representatives of the Sheffield Post Home, Inc. who provided the attached proposal re: transferring to the town a piece of land for the purpose of constructing a Senior Center. The Board's initial response was favorable but will take the proposal up at their next meeting.

TREE REMOVAL POLICY

Selectman Macy moved to vote to have a policy that any non-emergency tree removal will be preceded by a letter to the abutting property owner, seconded by Selectman Hannum. Motion carried unanimously.

NAME FOR BUSINESS PARK ROAD

During discussion, the board decided to ask the tenants to suggest a name for the Business Park Road.

SOUTHERN BERKSHIRE CHAMBER OF COMEMRCE – MEMBERSHIP

Selectman Hannum asked the Board to consider membership in the Southern Berkshire Chamber of Commerce. Selectman Macy moved to have the town become a member of the Southern Berkshire Chamber of Commerce, seconded by Selectman Hannum. Motion carried unanimously. Selectman Macy moved to have Selectman Hannum serve as the town's representative to the Southern Berkshire Chamber of Commerce, seconded by Selectman Stanton. Motion carried unanimously.

Selectman Macy moved to adjourn, seconded by Selectman Hannum. Motion carried unanimously. Chairman Stanton adjourned the meeting at 8:25PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert A. Weitz, Town Administrator

ACTION LIST FROM JANUARY 11, 2006 MEETING:

AMERICAN LEGION RE: SENIOR CENTER

- Bob to write a press release announcing that the Selectmen are considering voting on presenting a senior center proposal to the Town Meeting.
- Bob to contact Berkshire Housing about architect costs.
- Place on 1/17th agenda

TREE REMOVAL POLICY

- Notify (send memo?) Ron Bassett or anyone else responsible for tree removal about the new policy

NAME FOR BUSINESS PARK ROAD

- Send letter to tenants asking for them to suggest a name for the Business Park Road.

SOUTHERN BERKSHIRE CHAMBER OF COMEMRCE – MEMBERSHIP

- Prepare and submit membership application