

Minutes
Board of Selectmen Special Meeting on May 5, 2022

Clerk: Don Lowe

The meeting was held on-site at the Alice Schneckenburger house, 14 Route 37 Center, in Sherman.

Meeting was called to order at 7pm.

Present were Selectmen Bob Ostrosky and Joel Bruzinski. First Selectman Don Lowe was also present and he served as the meeting's clerk. Also present was realtor Alan O' Doherty. Additionally, Karen Cardillo, a member of the public and chairman of the proposed new Senior Center workshop group, was present.

Mr. O' Doherty took everyone present on a tour of the house and grounds in consideration of this location to be used as a new Senior Center. The selectmen discussed the pros and cons of the building. All agreed that the location was ideal. The two selectmen asked the First Selectman to try and get some idea of what the necessary remodeling for space considerations and ADA considerations would be. All people at the meeting, after the tour, were impressed with house, the grounds, and the barn. Both Ostrosky and Joel Bruzinski expressed concerns for what the costs would be to change the use of this building into a municipal building. Otherwise, they both expressed that it should be considered. Don Lowe brought up parking and septic. All said that more info was needed. At the meeting's conclusion, all three Board of Selectmen members agreed to look into this location further for consideration as a new Senior Center.

Regarding the second item on the agenda: A motion by Don Lowe was made to set the 2022/23 mill rate at 18.18. Bob Ostrosky seconded it. The motion passed unanimously.

Don Lowe moved to adjourn the meeting. Bob Ostrosky seconded it. The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Don Lowe