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SELECTBOARD

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*Minutes
Selectboard
Thursday, October 30, 2014*

6:30 pm

Selectboard members Darrell Philpot, Karl Dowling, John Carr and Brendan Denehy were present along with Town Administrator Tad Putney.

Darrell opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Tax Rate

The Selectboard reviewed a comparison of the 2013 v. 2014 tax rate using 0 unassigned fund balance. The State recommends a minimum of 5% unassigned fund balance of \$902,548. We are at \$826,397 before setting the 2014 tax rate. **Darrell** asked what a bridge would cost if it collapsed and we needed to use the unassigned fund balance. That figure was not known. **Brendan moved, seconded by Karl to use \$100,000 of the unassigned fund balance to set the tax rate at \$32.86. Voted yes 4-0.**

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 pm.

Minutes submitted by Rena Duncklee.

Darrell Philpot

Karl Dowling

John J Carr

Brendan Denehy