

**SELECTMEN'S MEETING
SEPTEMBER 17, 2003**

Chris Calnan came in to discuss getting the town a new fire truck. He has looked into, Government Acquisitions, Inc., a company that will lease the town a fire truck for \$1.00 for 3 years. They sell advertising space to cover their costs. Peggi made a motion to have the papers sent to the town lawyer, David Brant, to check out the company and the lease agreement. John seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous. John will talk to the people that he knows in Clinton that have been involved with this situation.

Rob Millard came into discuss the "Ye Olde Yard Sale" situation. He wanted to know what the town would settle for. Peggi made a motion to accept court costs, lawyer fees, and a permanent injunction. Vinal seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.

Vinal is going to call David Brandt for more information on the Merc litigation.

There was a discussion on the church parsonage. They don't have taxes charged against them. It was decided that they would stay exempt. There was also a discussion about the tax-assessing program. Peggi thought if the measurements and the age of the house were entered in to the assessing program, that a realistic valuation could be assessed. Vinal explained that there should be an actual visitation to assess the condition of the house.


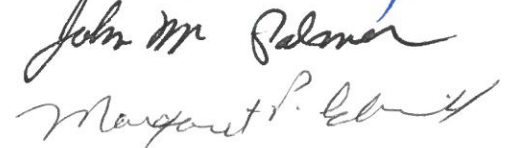
The minutes from the last meeting were signed. The accounts payable and the payroll warrants were signed.

Diane wanted to know what kind of a checking account should be opened for the bond money for the new fire truck. A now account seemed to be best at a service cost of \$7.00 a month, \$.13 a check and \$.08 for a deposit. The now account was agreed on.

Diane had some 801 forms for CN Brown and New England Tool that needed to be signed. Abatements were signed for Gustie Day-Cooledge, Primestar, Robert Sawyer, and Joe Foley. Diane wants to get Mr. Moller to give us a new personal property list, so that if it looks more equitable he will pay his back personal property taxes. Supplements were signed for Joe Foley and York Cumberland Housing.

Chirstine Ouellette has two lots that are side by side and can be combined so that she only gets one tax bill. The common lot that is divided between the abutters of the Pine Acres Association will be straightened out after the reevaluation.

Diane also stated that she is going to open the office on the last Saturday of the month from 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM.


John M. Palmer

Margaret P. Edith