

**TOWN OF POMFRET  
BOARD OF SELECTMEN MINUTES  
MONDAY, MARCH 21, 2011 AT 8:00 AM  
POMFRET SENIOR CENTER**

In Attendance: First Selectman James Rivers, Selectmen Tony Emilio, Maureen Nicholson. Also present: Richard Coduri, Grace Coduri, John Carter.

**I. Regular Meeting**

1. **Open Regular Meeting/Approve Minutes March 7, 2011** – J. Rivers opened meeting at 8:05 AM. T. Emilio motioned to approve minutes of March 7, 2011. M. Nicholson seconded. All in favor.
2. **Items to Add to Agenda** – None. In absence of objection J.Rivers moved to put Senior Discussion to New Business item 1 and move Reappointment to item 2.
3. **Citizen Participation & Communications** – R. Coduri stated that the Ambulance Board of Directors are in favor of an Ambulance garage at the Town Highway property.

**II. New Business**

1. **Pomfret Seniors – Questions & Discussion** – Richard Coduri asked about their ability to pay for some small items through a fund. He and/or Gail McElroy the Senior's Treasurer will meet with the town Treasurer's office to review their options. The newly formed group will be known as the Pomfret Senior Center Board of Directors. He asked about how grants should be handled and reviewed some of the upcoming events at the Center.
2. **IWWC Reappointment – William Gould** – J. Rivers moved to reappoint William Gould as an alternate on the Wetlands Commission to serve another 3 year term. M. Nicholson seconded. All in favor.

**III. Current Business**

1. **Road Issues** - None
2. **General Discussion** – T. Emilio asked about a review of the tree removal process in Town such as money spent, who looks at what and how decisions are arrived at. Some discussion. J. Rivers stated that some damage was done during a winter storm to part of the wall at the Town Green. The Town is being looked to for payment of repair. Some discussion on how to handle this.
3. **Highway Department – Review of Highway Policies for Snow Removal, Winter Roads and Potholes** – Tabled to next meeting.
4. **Discussion – Application for Zoning Text Amendment/Amateur Radio Operators Change** – J. Rivers stated that there has been some interest in this area. Paul Rollinson will be invited to future meeting and some text reviewed at that time.
5. **Pistol Permits Issued:** None

- IV. Tax Refunds/Abatements** – DCFS Trust, COC, \$47.64 – M. Nicholson moved to approve. T. Emilio seconded. All in favor.
- V. Citizen's Comments** – John Carter stated that some of the retaining wall at the Old Townhouse was damaged by a plow over the winter. Can this be paid through the current grant?
- IX. Adjournment** – T. Emilio moved to adjourn. J. Rivers seconded. Meeting adjourned at 9:40 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Bonnie Ryan, clerk

Date approved\_\_\_\_\_