

**Town of Franklin  
7 Meetinghouse Hill Road  
Franklin, Connecticut 06254**

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**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE  
FRANKLIN BOARD OF SELECTMAN  
March 31<sup>st</sup> 2021 at 9:45am**

**CALL TO ORDER:** First Selectman Charles Grant called the meeting to order at 10:00 am.

**PRESENT:** Selectmen Russell Beisiegel, Thomas Craney, Charlie Grant, Administrative Assistant;  
Heather Glidden

**RECOGNITION OF VISITORS:** Matt Maynard; Towne Engineering and Lynda Craney; Town Clerk.

**CORRESPONDENCE:** None

**MOTION #1:** Selectman Russell Beisiegel made motion to move Old Business: A) Murphy Road Widening to this place on the agenda. Selectman Thomas Craney seconded the motion. Motion carries unanimously.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

- A. Murphy Road Widening:** Matt Maynard reported he added 10% retainage for 60 days. A discussion was had regarding the specifications of paving a certain area near the bridge.

**REVIEW OF MINUTES:**

- A. March 18<sup>th</sup> 2021:** Old Business: B) 2021-2022 Budget Requests should read: 'Line items were reviewed and discussions were had. Modifications were made as needed'.

**MOTION #2:** Selectman Thomas Craney made motion to accept the minutes as amended. Selectman Russell Beisiegel seconded the motion. Motion carries unanimously.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

- B. Budget Request:** Line items were reviewed and discussions were had as well as modifications made when needed.
- C. COVID-19 Response:** Transportation to the Senior Center is set. CDC guidelines regarding the capacity limit still needs to be looked into. Tables are able to be spread out enough to adhere to social distancing. A discussion of possibility having TVCCA make premade meals were had.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:** None

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING:** The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Franklin Board of Selectman is on April 14<sup>th</sup> 2021 at 8:45am.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

**MOTION #3:** Selectman Thomas Craney made motion to enter executive session for the discussion of the union contract. Selectman Russell Beisiegel seconded the motion. Motion carries unanimously.

**MOTION #4:** Selectman Thomas Craney made motion to exit the executive session for the discussion of the union contract. Selectman Russell Beisiegel seconded the motion. Motion carries unanimously.

No action was taken.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

**MOTION #5:** Selectman Thomas Craney made motion to adjourn the meeting at 11:45 am. Selectman Russell Beisiegel seconded the motion. Motion carries unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Heather Glidden  
Administrative Assistant to the First Selectman