

**Minutes of Special Select board Meeting
Saturday March 16, 2013
Town Garage**

Members Present: Peter Magnant, Yvon Dandurand, Kyle Lothian, Andy Godin, Wayne Laroche

Guest: Ron Lontine, Howard Vansette, Kim Gates-Maynard, Nat Worman

Peter Magnant called the meeting to order at 10:04 a.m.

The meeting was moved outside to view the proposed location for the sand shed.

Discussed the location of the proposed sand shed south west of the current sand shed. The opening of the sand shed would be the south end. Kim asked if it could be a stick built structure instead of a hoop structure. Yvon explained that the hoop structure was proposed to lower the cost as well as adding more light to the building. Kim is concerned about the aesthetics being so close to the village. Kim also expressed concern about the grade of the sand pile being so high compared to the municipal parking lot. Peter stated that with the approval of the Board he would contact Cross Consulting to come back and reassess the water runoff and grade of the land with the proposed sand shed site.

Nat said that he feels that the Select Board should go back to square one. He asked the Board "what do you want your legacy to the Town of Franklin to be?" Nat would like to see the Town Clerk's office moved to another location so it would be out of the flood plane and have a better meeting place for the Select Board. He suggested moving it to the Fire Station location and moving the Fire Station to where the Town Garage presently is.

Kyle made a motion to adjourn with Yvon seconding. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 10:58 a.m.

Submitted by
Peter Magnant, Board Chair
March 20, 2013

These minutes are not official until approved at the Select board's next regular meeting. Approved by Selectboard on April 9, 2013.