

# TOWN COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES MARCH 31, 2015

Gregg Garrison, At Large 2015 Mark Lunt, District 1 2015 Dillon Pesce, District 2 2015 Christopher Brunelle, At Large 2016 Eric Metivier, District 1 2016 Roger Bickford, District 2, 2016 Dale Crafts, At Large 2017

CALL TO ORDER & PLEDGE TO THE FLAG. The Chairman, Dillon Pesce, called the meeting to order and led the pledge of allegiance to the flag at 8:21 PM.

ROLL CALL. Members present were Councilors Lunt, Bickford, Crafts, Pesce, Garrison, Brunelle, and Metivier. Also present were Diane Barnes, Town Manager; Ryan Leighton, Public Works Director; Larry Fillmore, Finance Committee Member; Karen Paradis, Planning Board Chairman; Don Fellows, Planning Board Member; and others totaling approximately 5 citizens in the audience.

## COUNCIL ORDERS, ORDINANCES, & RESOLUTIONS

### RESOLUTION - PUBLIC WORKS HEAVY DUTY TRUCK FINANCING

**VOTE** (2015-74) Councilor Bickford, seconded by Councilor Garrison moved to adopt the attached resolution authorizing borrowing of up to the aggregate principal amount of Fifty Two Thousand Six Hundred and Sixty Nine Dollars (\$52,669) from Kennebec Savings Bank, at an interest rate not to exceed 2.39%, for a term not to exceed 4 years, and to execute a Promissory Note and related loan documents to Kennebec Savings Bank, for the purchase of a 2015 Ford F-550 truck from Whited Truck Center, which had been previously awarded by the Council on November 5,2014 Vote 2014-237 and authorized the Town Manager or the Finance Director, either singly, permission to execute and deliver the Promissory Note and related loan documents.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** Larry Fillmore asked if the Finance Director reviewed the purchased and approved of this financing method. Mrs. Barnes indicated he had a problem with lease purchases and did recommend this method. Mr. Fillmore thanked the Council for allowing the public permission to speak prior to the vote and encouraged this practice to continue. He said once the vote has been taken there is no point to giving public opinion.

Order passed – Vote 7-0.

#### AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION & RESPONSE FOR AGENDA ITEMS - NONE

### **ADJOURNMENT**

**VOTE** (2015-75) Councilor Bickford, seconded by Councilor Metivier moved to adjourn at 8:25 PM. **Order passed – Vote 7-0.**