

The Finance Committee

Town of Charlemont

February 27, 2015

Present: Amy Wales, Toby Gould, Rich Filoramo, Ron Smith, Beth Bandy, Vaughn Tower, Peg Dean.

The meeting was called to order at 8:39 AM.

The minutes of the January 16 meeting were accepted.

It was moved, seconded, passed unanimously that the Finance Committee supports the proposal to fund and build the Wired West network in Charlemont.

Our report for the 2015 Town Meeting has been sent.

Gordon Hathway presented the highway department budget requests for 2015. There are several items suggested for increase. Gordon will be available for questions.

Free cash has been certified at \$335,745.

Carlene Millet presented the Assessor's budget requests which contain small increases.

COLA for 2015 is 1.7%.

Vaughn presented the problem of leaking water line which supplies village fire hydrants.

Next meetings are March 6, March 13 and March 20, all at 8:30 AM.

Add a meeting on Saturday, March 28 @ 8:30AM.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:14 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Toby Gould