Dalton Select Board Remote Meeting Wednesday, May12, 2021 6:30 PM Working Session

Jo Beth called the meeting to order at 6:55 pm. The start of the meeting was delayed due to technical difficulties. Carol Sheltry and Jo Beth Dudley were present for the entire meeting. Tamela Swan was present for part of the meeting.

The Select Board reviewed the proposed budget as presented at the Budget Public Hearing on May 10, 2021. Specifically, they considered requests from the public to increase the overall budget and the highway budget due to rising fuel costs as a result of the ransomeware cyber-attack on the east coast pipeline, and a request to increase the Welfare budget by \$2,000. Due to the resolution of the pipeline cyberattack, and the availability of rent support through the covid relief and stimulus packages, the Select Board agreed to request budget appropriation at the level presented to the town at the Budget Hearing.

Jo Beth made a motion to request a budget appropriation of \$871,782. The motion was seconded by Carol, and passed by unanimous roll-call vote.

Jo Beth made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:15 pm. Carol seconded the motion. Motion passed by roll call vote (Sheltry and Dudley, Swan had already left the meeting due to other obligations.)

Minutes Respectfully submitted by Jo Beth Dudley

Minutes Approved On: 05/17/2021	(date)
Jo Beth Ordlag	
Jo Beth Dudley	
Carol Sheltup	

Tamela Swan

Carol Sheltry