MINUTES OF THE SELECTMEN'S MEETING MARCH 26, 2012

PRESENT: Daniel W. Trabucco (Chairman), Lewis W. Stone (Vice Chairman), Willard J. Boulter, Jr. (Selectman), Arthur P. Boyle, Jr. (Selectman), Edwin J. Thorne (Town Administrator), Sabrina Chilcott (Executive Assistant), John Mattinson (PMB Cable), Mike Melanson (Pembroke Mariner & Express) and others.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Board thanked Carol Allen and PJ Lowe coordinating the Taste of Pembroke held Sunday, March 22 benefitting PHS Hockey and Soccer. Mr. Boulter and Mr. Stone were at the Braintree Armory when Staff Sgt James Cannone, 1st Lt Charles Jacobs, Specialist Joe Marangiello and Sgt Peter White Jr. returned from serving in Afghanistan on Monday morning to their families. Mr. Boulter thanked and recognized individual contributors to the Birthday Party for the 300th Celebration. To be added to the mailing list, please email Janet Fahey at: ifahey@townofpembrokemass.org. There will be a form available for download to add anyone for recognition for their contributions to the 300th. The names will all be added to the time capsule. April 1 begins the television shows on Pembroke Media Broadcast; they will also air on Youtube and Facebook and www.pembroke300.com. April 27 and April 28, Arbor Day, the 300th Committee will plant 300 Atlantic White Cedar trees at Windswept Bogs on Glenwood Road at 10:00 am. Contact Bill Boulter to join this committee billb138@verizon.net. The North River Watershed announces the annual cleanup of the river on Saturday, April 28 10am-12pm. The sites include the Driftway Conservation in Scituate. Union Street Canoe Launch in Marshfield, Hanover Canoe Launch off of Elm St, the South River Watershed Willow St Bridge in Marshfield and the Marshfield Town Landing on Ferry Street. There will be a cookout at 12:00 pm for participants. For more information call 781-659-8168. A message from the Town Clerk states that the last day to register to vote for Town Meeting and the upcoming Town election is Monday, April 9, 2012. Town Meeting is April 24, 2012 at 7:30 pm at Pembroke High School, 81 Learning Lane. The Town Election is Saturday, April 28, 2012 and polls are open from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm.

CONSIDER RESIDENTS REQUEST TO HOLD NEIGHBORHOOD YARD SALE

No action required; Residents of Little Sandy Pond notifying BOS of request to hold neighborhood yard sale in Little Sand Pond area, Cedar Terrace, Woodbine, etc 9am-1pm.

CONSIDER 90 DAY EXTENSION OF FIRST RIGHT OF REFUSAL: 51 REDWOOD

Mr. Boyle moved to extend the Town's Right of First Refusal on 51 Redwood Circle, Pembroke for a period of 90 days. Mr. Stone seconded. The vote was unanimously in favor.

RECLASSIFICATION REQUEST: VETERANS' OFFICE, POLICE DEPARTMENT

Mr. Thorne stated that a request was received by David McPhillips, Veterans Service Officer, for reclassification of the position of Principal Clerk to Assistant Veterans' Service Officer/Administrative assistant. Mr. Boyle moved, acting as the Wage and Personnel Board, to grant the reclassification of position of Principal Clerk to Assistant Veterans' Service Officer/Administrative assistant. Mr. Stone seconded; the vote was unanimously in favor. Mr. Thorne stated that a request was received by Chief Michael Ohrenberger for reclassification of the position of his current Secretary-Assistant to Administrative Assistant and his Principle Clerk to Secretary. Mr. Boyle moved, acting as the Wage and Personnel Board, to grant the reclassification of position of Secretary-Assistant to Administrative Assistant and the position of Principle Clerk to Secretary. Mr. Stone seconded; the vote was unanimously in favor. Mr. Boulter inquired as to when these reclassifications would take effect. Mr. Thorne stated July 1, 2012.

OPEN SPECIAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Mr. Boyle moved to open Special Town Meeting Warrant with anticipated close of March 29 at 4:00 pm. Mr. Boulter seconded the motion. The vote was unanimously in favor.

MINUTES

Mr. Stone moved and Mr. Boyle seconded to accept the minutes of the meeting of March 19, 2012 as presented. The vote was unanimously in favor.

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

Mr. Thorne updated the Board on the Household Hazardous Waste Day held Saturday, March 24. This year's combined totals for the two events were consistent with last year's totals.

ASK THE SELECTMEN

Mr. Boulter mentioned, during a discussion on the new electronic speed control machines, that residents may contact the police department and request that the machines be placed on their streets if they believe speeders to be an ongoing problem on their streets. The Chief will try to prioritize the placement of the machines by the volume of the requests or by need at his discretion.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Mr. Stone moved, seconded by Mr. Boyle, to go into executive session to discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining or litigation if an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body and the chair so declares concerning T-Mobile vs. Pembroke ZBA, and upon conclusion no further votes or public business to be discussed.

Roll call vote: Boulter, yes - Boyle, yes - Stone, yes - Trabucco, yes.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 pm.