

## COLCHESTER SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board of Education/Joint Select Board Meeting  
Colchester Meeting House

Tuesday, July 27, 2010  
7:30 p.m. (General Session)

### MINUTES (General Session)

The Colchester Board of Education held a joint meeting with the Select Board on Tuesday, July 27, 2010 at the Colchester Meeting House. Those in attendance were: School Board Chair Dirk Reith; Directors: Dick Pecor, Paul Smith, and Mike Rogers; Superintendent Larry Waters; Business and Operations Manager, George Trieb; Town Manager, Al Voegele; Select Board Chair: Dick Paquette; Directors: Roger Derby, Marc Landry, Mickey Palmer, and Nadine Scibek. There were approximately 20 audience members.

#### **I. Call to Order**

Select Board Chair Dick Paquette called the meeting to order at 8:20 p.m.

#### **II. Use of District Property for New Police Station**

A lengthy discussion ensued between two the Boards concerning land mitigation, meeting complicated state regulations, traffic concerns on Blakely Road, and several other issues. Colchester resident Moe Germain said that when voters approved the new police station they were unaware of the state regulations regarding construction of a municipal building on school property. Now that we have more information, he questioned whether residents should vote on this issue again. Chief Charles Kirker said that although the state regulations are complex, the proposal is basically the same one that voters approved in November.

Motion by Director Dick Pecor, second by Director Mike Rogers:

“I move that the Colchester School Board grant the Town of Colchester and the Colchester Select Board the ability to lease 4 acres southwest of the intersection of Blakely Road and Laker Lane, and that the land necessary for Natural Heritage Mitigation shall be allotted from the used portion of the 38.6 acres set aside in 2007 for construction of CSD athletic fields.”

Motion passed: 3 Yes, 1 No

#### **III. Adjourn**

School Board Chair Dirk Reith moved, seconded by Director Mike Rogers to adjourn at 10:00 p.m. Motion passed unanimously.

Recorder:

Board Clerk:

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Cathy Ward  
Reporting Secretary

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Paul Smith  
Board Clerk