

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS 11/9/ 2015 7:00 PM ASSESSORS' OFFICE TOWN HALL MARSHFIELD, MA02050

In Attendance: John Cantwell – Chairman; Michael Maresco; Member Elizabeth A. Bates, MAA – Principal Assessor/Appraiser

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM. Motion (MM) to open the meeting was made and seconded (JC). Vote unanimous.

Discussion commenced with Libby (EB) giving the Board an update on the financial situation as it relates to the Assessors' office. The office is well on its way to commencing the RECAP and has an estimate of New Growth of approximately \$671,000. Libby expressed some concern regarding the timely issuing of tax bills by the town due to transitions going on in the Collector's office. Should the tax rate setting process be delayed and the tax bills go out after January 1st, the filing period for abatements will be extended to May 1st.

At 7:35PM on a motion by Michael Maresco and seconded by John Cantwell, the Board went into executive session to consider a number of Exemption applications. The Board exited at 8:45PM and voted to reaffirm their decision regarding the exemptions.

Having no other business, on a motion of Michael Maresco and seconded by John Cantwell, the Board voted unanimously to adjourn at 9:05PM.

John Cantwell – Chairman

Patrick J. Harring, MAA (not present)

Michael A. Maresco