

**Town of Nahant, MA
Board of Selectmen**

**Meeting Minutes
Thursday, February 7, 2019 7:00 PM**

**Chesley R. Taylor Jr., Chairman
Richard J. Lombard, Vice Chairman
Francis J. Barile, Recording Secretary
Antonio Barletta, Town Administrator**

Attendance: Chesley R. Taylor, Francis J. Barile & Antonio Barletta (TA)

1. Meeting Opening 7:00 pm

Pledge of Allegiance- Led by Chairman, Chesley R. Taylor Jr.

a. Opening Comments-

Mr. Taylor would like to add to January 24th meeting minutes: “to work on compromises”. He would also like to add; “Mr. Lombard stated that the chairman has been having secret meeting with Northeastern University”.

Mr. Barile made a motion to Approve January 24, 2019 & January 31, 2019 BOS Meeting Minutes with the two updates.

Mr. Taylor seconded

Unanimous vote in favor

2. Citizen’s Forum

a. Christian Bauta- 3 Swallow Cave Road-

- 1) Delivering a few words on behalf of Susan Solomine and Alice Court. They received Northeastern University’s response. Their response raised additional questions. They plan to prepare additional questions for Northeastern University. These additional questions will be publicly available once complete.
- 2) Christian asked the Board and T.A if they had a chance to review the response and if they had anything to say about Northeastern University’s response?

Mr. Barile stated that they can ask questions and that he has some questions for Dr. Solomine when she returns. Additionally, he also has some questions for Keep Nahant Wild.

Mr. Taylor is preparing additional questions too. He thanks Susan and Alice for submitting questions as well.

Mr. Barile regarding right of ways- He would like to have a public meeting with including all the different boards; building inspector, ZBA, Planning Board and determine who has the authority, how we clarify and how we move forward to open these right of ways back up.

T.A. stated that he would speak with DPW placing the signs back in those areas. T.A will also do a bit more research on this topic.

3. New Business

4. Town Administrator Report

T.A mentioned that the Town had a water main break, yesterday, between Summer and Winter Streets. Water was turned out for those residents overnight. T.A thanked the DPW for working throughout the night and the residents impacted by the break and containment.

- a. Snow & Ice: T.A stated that the Municipal Modernization Act changed the law of requiring approval regarding excess spending on snow & ice. Although we don't have to go through the approval
- b. Town Budget

5. Ongoing Business

6. Closing Announcements

7. Adjourn:

Meeting adjourn 8:25pm

Meeting Minutes prepared by Bobbie-Jo Blair, Administrative Assistant

Minutes approved by the Board of Selectmen on the _____ day of _____ 2019.

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