BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING TOWN OF HUDSON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2025 MINUTES

I. OPEN MEETING

- N. Veazie opened meeting at 5:36 PM
- Members Present- N. Veazie, M. Kelley, R. Gray, and D. Gray

II. EXECUTIVE SESSION

- 1 M.R.S.A § 405 (6) (A)- Personnel Matters- R. Gray made a motion to go into Executive Session at 5:36 PM. M. Kelley 2nd the motion. Discussion- None. Vote 4-0.
- Open Session- R. Gray made the motion to come out of Executive Session at 5:50 PM. M. Kelley 2nd the motion. Discussion- None. Vote- 4-0.
- 1 M.R.S.A § 405 (6) (A)- Personnel Matters- R. Gray made a motion to go into Executive session at 5:51 PM. M. Kelley 2nd the motion. Discussion- None. Vote-4-0.
- Open Session- R. Gray made a motion to come out of Executive Session at 6:05 PM. M. Kelley 2nd the motion. Discussion- None- Vote- 4-0.

III. OPEN REGULAR MEETING

- N. Veazie opened meeting at 6:10 PM.
- Members Present- N. Veazie, M. Kelley, Jay Grover, R. Gray, and D. Gray.

IV. BOARD OF ASSESSORS/MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

- N. Veazie moved a. Tax Commitment from new business to the top before warrant signing
- Tax Commitment- D. Davis recommended we keep the same mill rate as last year. We did

pick up quite a bit of assessments from new builds N. Veazie stated he would like to keep and eye on excise tax as we can't always rely on that amount coming in and we may have to take from somewhere else especially with the school and county tax increasing increasing. N. Veazie made the motion to keep the mill rate at 16.25. R. Gray 2nd the motion. Discussion- None. Vote- 5-0

- Warrant Signing- N. Veazie went over AP/Payroll warrants. R. Gray made a motion to accept warrants as written. M. Kelley 2nd the motion. Discussion- None. Vote- 5-0.
- Select Board- R. Gray stated the Bicentennial Committee is holding a follow up meeting and whatever money is left in the account will be transferred in care of the rec department for a Town Celebration if we choose to do it again next year. He would like to put a warrant article for a town celebration. R. Gray also explained he got an email from adaptive housing and they are extending to link to residential Maine. These programs ensure that individuals with disabilities have the resources and support they need in their communities
- Community Center Flag Pole- R. Gray received some estimates on flag poles. These are self contained so easier to put the flag up and down. One estimate was for a 25 ft and the other for a 30 ft. N. Veazie stated he thinks it would be best to have the same size as the one at the rec building. M. Kelley made a motion to go with the 30 ft flag pole for the community Center. R. Gray 2nd the motion. Discussion- D. Gray asked where the money was coming from? N. Veazie stated it could come from the Capital Building and Improvement account. Vote- 5-0.

V. EXECUTIVE SESSION

- a. 1 M.R.S.A. § 405 (6) (A)- Personnel Matters- R. Gray made a motion to go into executive session at 6:45 PM. M. Kelley 2nd the motion. Discussion None. Vote- 5-0.
- Open Session- R. Gray made a motion to come out of executive session at 7:53 PM. M. Kelley 2nd the motion. Discussion- None. Vote- 5-0.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

• J. Grover made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:54 PM. M. Kelley 2nd the motion. Discussion- None. Vote- 5-0.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Jennifer Williams Town Clerk

_ Norman Veazie (Chair)

Dean Gray

Mike Kelley

Jason Grover

Roger Gray