

## Minutes of the Roxbury Selectmen's meeting Jan. 17, 2017

In attendance: Selectmen Gerry Davis, Tim O'Brien and Jim Rousmaniere; Treasurer David Jewett

The meeting opened at 7 p.m. Minutes from the meeting of January 3 were approved.

Almost the entire meeting was devoted to a discussion of budgets, both past (2016 actual) and future (2017 projected); toward that end, Treasurer Jewett most helpfully presented a digital display of town finances. It was determined that some spending categories for services to the town need to be updated, specifically for the use of the transfer station in Marlborough and the stand-by services for Fire Mutual Aid.

It was tentatively agreed that, to accommodate individual scheduling, the budget hearing for 2017 will be held on Monday, Feb. 20. (*ADDENDUM: It was later agreed that there will be two budget hearings, the first to be held at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 13 and the second to be held at 6:30 p.m. on Monday Feb. 20*)

It was noted that practically all departmental reports for the Town Report have been received; editing work on the Town Report will be immediately.

The selectmen voted to suspend the Tru-Green fertilizer treatment of the town park for 2017.

Selectman Davis prepared the manifest of bills to be paid; the manifest was signed by the selectmen.

The meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Minutes approved by the Selectmen