



BOARD OF SELECTMEN

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Paul Szatkowski, Selectman
Kevin L. Cleary, Selectman*

MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING

Monday, February 25, 2008

6:45 p.m.

Bethel Municipal Center - Meeting Room "A"

PRESENT: First Selectman Burke, Selectman Szatkowski and Selectman Cleary.

First Selectman Burke called the Special Meeting to order at 6:45 p.m.

Consideration of request to form the Taste of Bethel Committee

Daniel O'Grady was present at the meeting to discuss the formation of a Taste of Bethel Committee. This idea, in part, stems from the Plan of Development which encouraged localized unique events. The concept, which is still in its planning stage, is essentially to hold an event, perhaps in the fall, which would showcase Bethel and its local restaurants and various businesses.

Mr. O'Grady solicited input and conceptual support from the Board of Selectmen. It was thought that it would be better to form the committee and operate as a 501C corporation. It was agreed that the intent of the event would not be to raise profits but merely to bring the community together.

Mr. O'Grady will keep the Board of Selectmen updated on the venture.

As there was no further business on the agenda, Selectman Cleary made a motion, which was seconded by Selectman Szatkowski, to adjourn the meeting at 6:55 p.m. Vote, all in favor, motion unanimously approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Wendy Smith, Recording Secretary

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