MINUTES TRURO BOARD OF ASSESSORS' MEETING 24 TOWN HALL RD. – OLD HISTORIC ROOM Monday, November 18, 2015, 1p.m.

Present: Bruce Boleyn, Chairman; Michael Forgione; Cathy Fryxell, Deputy Assessor

The meeting was called to order by Chairman, Mr. Boleyn at 1:05pm.

At the previous meeting, Mr. Forgione asked if there were revenue implications to the Town if residents were not on the annual census. Ms. Fryxell followed up with the Town Clerk, Cindy Slade who said there is no revenue generated for the Town.

At the previous meeting, Mr. Forgione inquired about the funding source of the Senior Work Off program and why it is not charged against the individual Town dept. that participates in it. Ms. Fryxell followed up with the Town Accountant, Trudi Brazil who said the funding comes from the Town Manager's budget to allow work off volunteers to move among departments if necessary.

Signatures:

FY2016 Statutory Exemptions – Clause 41C: \$ 2,060.00 FY2016 Statutory Exemptions – Clause 17D: \$ 251.00 FY2016 Personal Property Abatements: \$125.58 2015 Motor Vehicle Abatements November 2015: \$ 765.40

Ms. Fryxell told the Board about a program available to the Town's Veterans through Ch. 108, Sec. 8A, Veteran Work-off Abatement Program. It's designed very similarly to the Senior Work-off Abatement Program that the Town currently has accepted. The Board supports unanimously to go forward for presentation and implementation.

Upon a motion by Mr. Forgione and seconded by Mr. Boleyn, the board entered into Executive Session to discuss abatement applications, roll call was taken, so voted. Session began at 1:06pm and concluded at 1:20pm. Upon a motion to exit Executive Session by Mr. Boleyn and seconded by Mr. Forgione, it was so voted. All actions to grant or deny were approved within Executive Session upon a motion by Mr. Forgione and seconded by Mr. Boleyn, unanimously. The Board signed the abatements that were granted and/or denied. Three exemptions and three abatements were granted.

The next Board meeting is scheduled for November 30th, 2015 at 1pm. Mr. Forgione said he will not be in Truro commencing January 8 - April, 2016.

Mr. Boleyn moved to adjourn the meeting at 1:21pm, Mr. Forgione seconded.

Respectfully submitted,

Cathy Fryxell, Deputy Assessorax Collector

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Approved on December 4, 2015 by: