



Town of Hopkinton, NH

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Nonpublic Session Minutes Select Board

Date: April 16, 2018

Members Present: Jim O'Brien, Chair
Ken Traum, Vice Chair
Robert P. Gerseny
Steven Whitley

Staff Present: Neal Cass, Town Administrator

Motion to enter Nonpublic Session made by Mr. Gerseny, seconded by Mr. Traum.

Specific Statutory Reason cited as foundation for the nonpublic session: RSA 91-A:3, II(d) - *Consideration of the acquisition, sale or lease of real or personal property which, if discussed in public, would likely benefit a party or parties whose interests are adverse to those of the general community.*

Roll Call vote to enter nonpublic session:	Jim O'Brien	Yes
	Ken Traum	Yes
	Robert P. Gerseny	Yes
	Steven Whitley	Yes

Entered nonpublic session at 8:55 p.m.

Description of matters discussed and final decisions made:

Mr. Gerseny informed the Board that he had received an email from the Land Management Bureau, NH DNCR - Division of Forests and Lands saying that they had become aware of a planned timber cut on the land owned by the Town near the Mast Yard Forest. This would affect the value of the land authorized by Town Meeting to be traded with the State.

Mr. Gerseny moved that no logging shall take place on Town owned land, Map/Lot 246-006-000 located between the Mast Yard Forest and the Contoocook River. Mr. Traum seconded the motion.

VOTE: Select Board Members O'Brien, Traum, Gerseny, and Whitley voted in favor; no and the Chair declared the motion to have carried (4-0).

These minutes were not sealed.

Motion to leave nonpublic session and return to public session by Mr. Gerseny, seconded by Mr. Traum.

Motion: PASSED

Public session reconvened at 9:13 p.m.

These minutes recorded by: Neal A. Cass, Town Administrator