



Town of Ayer

*Ayer Board of Selectmen Meeting Highlights from February 5, 2019

- The Ayer BOS Meeting was called to order in Open Session at 7:00pm.
- The BOS conducted a Public Hearing for the application for all alcohol beverages license for The Vineyard, LTD, 63 Park Street and voted (3-0) to approve the license application.
- The BOS received an update from MART regarding the successful bid for the construction of the Ayer Rail Trail Commuter Parking and Access Improvement Project and next steps for the project.
- The BOS received the Ayer Shirley Regional School District FY 2020 Budget presentation from Dr. Mary Malone, ASRSD Superintendent.
- The BOS voted (3-0) to award the bid for the DPW Highway Storage Garage in the amount of \$746,600.00 to Nadeau Construction.
- The BOS voted (3-0) to update the Town's Traffic Regulation with a list of existing one-way streets on recommendation of the DPW Superintendent and Police Chief. The BOS voted (3-0) to adopt Prospect Street (westbound from School Street to Elm Street) as a one-way street on recommendation of the DPW Superintendent and Police Chief. The BOS voted (3-0) to issue a letter of recommendation for the DPW's application for a municipal vulnerability preparedness grant.
- The BOS received an Administrative Update from the Town Manager which included an update of the FY 2020 Budget process. The BOS voted (3-0) to appoint two Ayer Residents to the Council on Aging Executive Board.
- The BOS voted (3-0) to approve the Rail Trail Lot Eminent Domain Takings as authorized by the 2018 Annual Town Meeting.
- The Town Manager reported that the Town will be initiating an Adopt a Street Program per the BOS and that Westford Road will be the first pilot street for the program.
- The BOS under New Business at the request of Selectman Livingston discussed the idea/concept of the Town of Ayer potentially becoming an internet service provider (ISP) for the purposes of improving internet service in the Town of Ayer. More research to be done.
- The BOS voted (3-0) to approve the meeting minutes from January 15, 2019. The BOS voted (3-0) to adjourn the meeting at 9:07pm.

**(Note: The BOS Meeting Highlights are for public informational purposes only and do not constitute an official record of the BOS nor do they constitute the official meeting minutes.)*

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Ayer Board of Selectmen will be on Tuesday, February 19, 2019 at 7pm