

~~Unapproved~~ **Approved**  
**Candia Selectmen's Public Meeting Minutes**  
**Monday, February 23, 2009**

**Attendance:** Chairman Fred Kelley, Vice-Chair Rick Lazott, Selectmen Tom Giffen, Selectman Joe Duarte, Selectman Carlton Robie, and Secretary Andria Hansen.

**7:00 p.m.** Chairman Kelley called the Public Meeting to order and immediately followed with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**The Board to discuss the Heritage Commissions spring road side clean up.** Selectman Robie explained the Heritage Committee would like to do a roadside clean up in April, when the snow melts. He further explained they would like to not have to recycle the trash. It was the consensus of the Board to not require the Heritage Committee to recycle the trash from the clean up. Selectman Robie motioned to allow the Heritage Committee to do the roadside clean up in the spring and dispose of the without sorting or recycling it. Seconded by Selectman Lazott. All were in favor. Motion carried.

**Town Clerk Dupere to discuss with the Board proposed SB99.** Town Clerk Dupere read from the attached hand out explaining proposed SB99, which would allow car dealerships to registrar cars at the dealership. Chairman Kelley stated he had put in a call to Senator Gatsas to invite him to the meeting and he did not respond. Town Clerk Dupere explained the State would not train the dealerships, they would expect the Town Clerks to do it. She further explained that she is not a salaried position and is paid on the fee revenues. If SB99 were to pass the Town in which dealerships are in would get the fees. Town Clerk Dupere further explained it would be a significant loss of income to the Town. She wanted the Board to be aware of the bill and how significantly it would impact Candia. Town Clerk Dupere stated she would be going to Concord next Tuesday to testify and would like the Board's support. Selectman Giffen thought this bill would not be a benefit to Candia or other small Town's. It would only be a benefit to the larger Towns and Cities. Selectman Lazott instructed Secretary Hansen to draft a letter stating the Selectmen are unhappy with SB99 and it would adversely affect Candia and other small Towns.

**The Board to discuss Election Day schedule.** The Election Day Schedule will be as follows:

Chairman Kelley:	6:00 a.m. on
Selectman Lazott	6:00 a.m. on
Selectman Giffen	6:00 p.m. on
Selectman Robie	11:30 a.m. on
Selectman Duarte	12:00 p.m. on

**Approval of Previous Minutes: Public meeting minutes and non public minutes of 02/09/09.** Selectman Giffen moved to approve the public meeting minutes of February

9<sup>th</sup> as amended and the non public meeting minutes of February 9<sup>th</sup> as submitted. Seconded by Selectman Duarte. All were in favor. Motion carried.

**Other Business**

Chairman Kelley noted the new Selectmen's Assistant Cheryl Eastman would be starting on March 2<sup>nd</sup>. Selectman Giffen moved to hire Cheryl Eastman to fill the Selectmen's Assistant vacancy at a rate of \$19.00 per hour and a \$0.50 increase after 90 days. Seconded by Selectman Duarte. All were in favor. Motion carried.

The next regularly scheduled Selectmen's meeting is March 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.

Selectman Giffen motioned to adjourn. Seconded by Selectman Duarte. All were in favor.

Respectfully submitted,  
Andria Hansen, Recording Secretary