

**DUDLEY BOARD OF ASSESSORS
DUDLEY MUNICIPAL COMPLEX
71 WEST MAIN STREET, DUDLEY, MA 01571**

DATE: 10/13/2023

TO: ASSESSORS

CC: TOWN CLERK

FROM: LISA L. BERG, PRINCIPAL ASSESSOR

ROOM: 315, 8:00 A.M.

RE: MINUTES: ASSESSOR'S OCTOBER 13, 2023 BOARD MEETING

Assessor Durgin stated the Board of Assessor's Meeting is being recorded.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Assessor Durgin called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

Assessor Szymczak made a motion to approve the regular meeting minutes from September 15, 2023. Assessor Durgin seconded. Passed.

The Board signed various vouchers.

Assessor Szymczak made a motion to approve the motor vehicle abatements for the month of September in the amount of \$2,135.82. Assessor Durgin seconded. Passed.

Assessor Szymczak made a motion to approve the Boat Excise abatements for the month of September in the amount of \$30.00. Assessor Durgin seconded. Passed.

Assessor Szymczak made a motion to approve the FY2024, Levy 2023 Boat Excise Commitment #30 in the amount of \$4,386.00. Assessor Durgin seconded. Passed.

Old Business:

None

New Business

Ms. Berg informed the Board she had interviewed several candidates for the Assessor Clerk position. After the interviews she made the decision to hire Lena Buccelli Costen. Ms. Costen accepted the position and will start on October 10, 2023.

The next meeting was scheduled for November 10, 2023. The Town Hall is closed that day in observation of Veteran's Day. The next meeting can be held on November 2, 17, or 24. Ms. Szymczak suggested waiting until Mr. Allen returns from vacation and see which date is best for him. Both Board members stated they were available for any one of those dates.

Assessor Szymczak made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:04 a.m. Assessor Durgin seconded. Unanimous. Passed.

Assessor Durgin made a motion to convene into Executive Session under M.G.L Chapter 30A § 21 (a)(7), to comply with, or act under the authority of, any general or special law or federal grant-in-aid requirement: discussion of applications for tax abatement(s) and/or exemption (s), including any necessary votes pursuant to G.L. c. 59 § 60 and/or G.L. c. 214, § 1B (as applicable). Not to re-convene into regular session. Assessor Szymczak seconded. Unanimous. Passed.

Roll Call:

Assessor Szymczak - Aye

Assessor Durgin - Aye

Lisa L. Berg, MAA
Principal Assessor