Town of Arlington Board of Selectmen Meeting Minutes July 26, 2018 6:00 PM

Selectmen's Chambers, 2nd Floor, Town Hall

Present: Mr. Dunn, Chair, Mrs. Mahon, Vice Chair, Mr. Greeley, Mr. Curro and Mr. Hurd Also Present: Mr. Chapdelaine, Mr. Heim, Ms. Maher

1. For Approval: National Grid Resolution

Mrs. Mahon thanked her colleagues for bringing this to a meeting. She explained that in the mist of negotiations National Grid locked the workers out of work and they lost all of their benefits including health insurance. Mrs. Mahon stated that her number one concern is the safety and well-being of the residents of the Town of Arlington.

Joe Kirylo president of the Boston gas local of the United Steel Workers Local 12003 came before the Board and explained that over 900 members that have been locked out of work that have lost their health instance. They have met multiple times with National Grid and they are holding firm with their decision. The workers have given up a lot including marking out the streets which would be classified as a public safety concern.

All members of the Board agree that there is a public safety concern regarding the lockout.

Mr. Chapdelaine questioned the language regarding the resolution confirming that no new nonemergency permits for gas construction projects whether they be for change overs from oil heat or new construction would not be issued but in the case of an emergency, repair work and leak work; they would be able to make those repairs.

Mrs. Mahon moved approval.

SO VOTED (5-0)

A true record: Attest

Ashley Maher Selectmen's Office

Next Scheduled Meeting of Bos August 13, 2018

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Agenda Items	Documents Used
1	National Grid Proclamation 2018