

Taxation Aid Committee

Tuesday, March 15, 2016

Rev. 3-18-2016

The meeting was called to order by Alejna Brugos, Chair at 11:05 AM in the Upper Town Hall. Members attending were: Linda Hawkes, Alejna Brugos, Ken O'Brien and Dick Skinner
Guest (and future member) attending Joyce Gilmore

Linda moved to accept the minutes of 2-23-2016 as amended, seconded by Ken. Unanimous vote to accept.

We agreed to send a letter to the BOS requesting the appointment of Joyce Gilmore to the Taxation Aid Committee.

We then discussed the application for taxation aid which took up most of the meeting.

Linda researched whether the Friends of the Mendon Elders, a 501(c)3 organization, could make contributions to our group. The answer is yes, and we agreed that we are OK with accepting contributions from the Friends if they are OK with making them or acting as a conduit for others to make contributions to the Taxation Aid Fund.

We also discussed a possible presentation at the Special Town Meeting as well as the request from the Town Crier for our names and addresses (for their reference only) when we place an article in the Town Crier. Dick said that he had written a letter to the State Ethics Commission about contacting individuals directly about contributions to the Taxation Aid Fund.

Assignments for the April meeting:

1. Dick will update the application for aid and distribute it to all
2. All – review the revised application
3. Dick to speak to the President of the Friends of Mendon Elders about contributions to our fund from the group

The next meeting: Tuesday, April 12 at 11:00 AM in the Upper Town Hall

Motion to adjourn by Dick and seconded by Linda.

The meeting adjourned at 12:56 PM

Respectfully submitted,
Dick Skinner