



# Town of Ashland

M A S S A C H U S E T T S

## BOARD OF SELECTMAN

### Minutes

April 24, 2018 – 7:00PM

Town Hall

***Vision Statement*** - *The Town of Ashland will be a prosperous and fiscally sound community with a full range of housing, business, cultural, educational, and recreational opportunities in a safe and attractive environment for residents and visitors.*

***Mission Statement*** - *The Ashland Board of Selectmen is dedicated to promoting responsible fiscal management, advocating for sustainable development & growth and providing excellent municipal services which will enhance the quality of life in our diverse community. The Ashland Board of Selectmen is committed to providing clear goals and objectives for Town management and creating effective engagement and public participation with residents, state legislators and other elected officials in order to achieve our mission.*

Rob Scherer called the meeting to order.

Present at the meeting was Chair Rob Scherer, Vice-Chair, Steve Mitchell, Yolanda Greaves, Joe Magnani, Carl Hakansson, Town Manager Michael Herbert and Assistant Town Manager Jenn Ball.

### ***Re-open 2018 Annual Town Meeting Warrant***

Steve Mitchell made a motion to re-open the warrant. This motion was seconded by Joe Magnani and had a unanimous vote of 5-0.

Michael Herbert explained that the warrant language for Article 15 needed to be changed to reflect the bylaw language on the ballot. This included removing the public consumption subsection and replacing it with the medical marijuana exemption.

Additionally, there was a typo discovered on Article 9 that needed to be corrected. The FY19 Community Preservation Act Undesignated Reserve should read \$709,043.20.

Steve Mitchell made a motion to correct warrant to reflect the correct Undesignated Reserve amount of \$709,043.20 in Article 9: Annual Consent Article: Community Preserve Act and to change the language in Article 15: Recreational Marijuana Prohibition to reflect the language on the ballot. This motion was seconded by Yolanda Greaves. It passed unanimously, 5-0.

### ***Close and Post 2018 Annual Town Meeting Warrant***

Steve Mitchell made a motion to close and post the warrant as amended. This motion was seconded by Yolanda Greaves, and passed unanimously, 5-0.

### ***Adjournment***

Steve Mitchell made a motion to adjourn. This motion was seconded by Yolanda Greaves with a unanimous vote of 4-0-0.