Select board members present:
Roger Strobridge
Cheri Goldstein
James “Ted” Lamb

Guests present: Katie Winkeljohn, Brian Powers, Marci Young, Larry McEnany, Kirk Artus

The meeting was called to order by Roger at 6:30 p.m.

Cheri moved to accept the minutes of the July 18, 2016 Selectboard meeting. Roger seconded. Motion passed.

Public Input: Marci Young was present to poll the Selectboard about the primary concerns regarding the town. Marci is running for the House of Representatives.

New Business: Equipment bids for a new excavator were opened and reviewed. Cheri motioned to accept a bid to purchase a Kobelco SK75SR at the amount of $16,459 per year for seven years. Ted seconded. Motion passed.

Roger motioned to approve Joe Audet for roadside mowing for no more than $2,700. Ted seconded. Motion passed.

Old Business: Traffic counters will be placed on Downs Road from August 9th through August 14th. Traffic study is needed in order to reduce the speed limit on the road from its current posting of 35 mph.

Local Hazard Mitigation Plan was tabled until next meeting.

Town Hall sprinkler system was reviewed. It will need to be converted to a dry system by 2020. No action was taken.

Correspondence: Bill Haines sent a letter to the Selectboard inquiring about the conversion of town street lights to LED. Apparently the conversion took place last year.

Announcements: The next regularly-scheduled Selectboard meeting will be on August 15th at 6:30 pm at the Worcester Town Clerk’s Office.

Bills: Signed as presented.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.
Attest: James “Ted” Lamb