

Shutesbury Finance Committee
December 20, 2005
7:00 P.M.
Shutesbury Town Hall

Members Present: Russ Wilson, Lori Tuominen, Al Springer, David Dann, Eric Stocker, Becky Torres, Al Beswick.

Expense report in perspective: Accidental death benefit for fire fighters for 2007 was discussed as a new expense for the future.

Russ Wilson volunteered to represent the Finance Committee on David Dann's evaluation committee.

Chief of Police will meet with FinCom on January 10, 2006

Library and Highway Superintendent will meet with FinCom on January 31, 2006

Part time Conservation Commission Clerk was discussed.

Walter talked about the Fire Department budget. It is level funded. More fire fighters are needed as there are 7 at present time. Walter also discussed the requirement for training a volunteer, hours, classes, etc. A lot of increased paper work is state mandated.

The FinCom discussed maybe next year going over all town's liability coverage. Walter will attend the next FinCom meeting.

8:00 P.M. Voting Machine, Conservation Commission Clerk, Police Chief's salary increase, and Quinn bill were discussed. Conservation Commission will be asked to meet with FinCom on January 31, 2006.

Meeting adjourned at 8:39 PM

Al Springer
Recorder