

Town of Van Buren  
Regular council meeting  
January 26, 2015

**1. Called to order/attendance.**

All councilors present, town manager present.

**2. Adopt council meeting minutes of January 5, 2015.**

Motion by Clayton Belanger, seconded by Dick Chabre to adopt council meeting minutes of January 5, 2015.

Motion carried

**3. Accept/modify agenda.**

Add item I under new business, K/C liquor license renewal.

Motion by Dick Chabre, seconded by Don Dumond to accept agenda as amended.

Motion carried.

**4. Old business.**

a. Sewer abatement.

Motion by Don Dumond, seconded by Clayton Belanger to grant sewer abatement to account number 666 in the amount of \$184.92.

Motion carried.

**5. New business.**

a. Sewer abatement.

Motion by Paul Nadeau, seconded by Dick Chabre to grant sewer abatement to account number 544 in the amount of \$525.30.

Motion carried.

b. Quit claim deed.

Motion by Clayton Belanger, seconded by Dick Chabre to sign quit claim deed, Van Buren Yacht Club.

Motion carried.

c. Service dispatch contract.

Motion by Paul Nadeau, seconded by Dick Chabre to sign dispatch service contract with the Aroostook County Sheriff's Department in the amount of \$14,528.71, beginning January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015.

Motion carried, 1 abstain.

d. Appoint Nancy Troeger town registrar.

- o Motion by Paul Nadeau, seconded by Dick Chabre to appoint Nancy Troeger as town registrar commencing on January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2016.  
Motion carried, one abstained.
- e. Approve Joey Ouellette as waste water committee member.  
Motion by Clayton Belanger, seconded by Dick Chabre to appoint Joey Ouellette to a three year term to the waste water committee. 1/26/2015 – 1/26/2018.  
Motion carried.
- f. Approve the ambulance billing write-offs.  
Motion by Paul Nadeau seconded by Dick Chabre to accept ambulance write offs, to be sent to collections.  
Three in favor, 2 abstain, motion carried.
- g. Approve a general fund transfer of \$10,000 to a separate Recreation Dept. checking account.

Motion by Dick Chabre, seconded by Don Dumond to approve of the transfer of \$10,000 from the general fund account to a separate recreation department account. These funds are from a grant that was given to the recreation department approximately 1.5 years ago.

Motion carried.

- h. Discuss Ferry street land purchase.  
Motion by Don Dumond, seconded by Clayton Belanger to sell the parcel of town owned property to Lajoie Growers in the amount of \$1.00 plus a legal fees. Tax Map 18, Lot 48, approx 3.66 acres.

Motion carried.

- i. Knights of Columbus liquor license renewal.  
Motion by Paul Nadeau, seconded by Don Dumond to approve liquor license renewal for the Van Buren Knights of Columbus.  
Three in favor, two abstained, motion carried.

**6. Town manager report.**

**7. Town councilors report.**

**8. Public comments.**

**9. Sign the warrants.**

**10. Distribute financial reports.**


**11. Adjourn.**

Motion by Don Dumond, seconded by Dick Chabre to adjourn meeting at 7:09 PM.

Motion carried.

  
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Paul Nadeau –secretary



Date adopted