

**Kingston, New Hampshire
Board of Selectmen
Meeting of May 1, 2017
MINUTES**

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm in the Selectmen's Office of Kingston Town Hall. The meeting was not broadcast. In attendance were Chairman Mark Heitz and Selectman Peter Broderick.

Discussion of George Road Status

Bob and Christine Michaud of George Road were present to discuss with the Board whether their road is a public right of way. The Board advised that, although the town has no deed to the roadway, it has been maintained and plowed by the town for several years and is therefore considered a Class VI roadway, open to travel by the public. As such, there is to be no blocking of the roadway or obstruction of public travel. The Board prepared and signed a letter to that effect, which will be mailed to the residents on the road.

Administrative Issues

The Board signed a letter to Unitol authorizing Chief Briggs to work with them in a temporary removal of bulbs from street lights at Route 125 intersections slated to be discontinued by the Department of Transportation. Removal of the bulbs will give the town an idea of the impact on intersections that full discontinuance will have.

An approval of an application for renewal of a retail automotive license for Daher Motors was signed.

A special event permit for a triathlon at Camp Lincoln scheduled for July was signed.

A permit to allow the 39th Army Band to perform on August 31st on the Plains was signed.

A letter to the Fire Department requesting an opportunity for the Board to provide input to the list of needs to be met in the proposed new Fire Station was signed.

The Board agreed that a lot line merge application submitted in March but not approved by the Planning Board until after April 1st will not be recognized for tax purposes until the 2018 tax year.

Adjournment

There being no further business before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 8:05 pm.

**Respectfully submitted,
Catherine Grant,
Administrative Assistant**