

# SelectBoard December 13 8am

In Attendance: John Ogden, Steve Hall, Andrea Ogden, Chrystal Cleary, Hal Wilkins  
public: Jay Merrill, Joy Kitchell

call to order: 8:07am

1- Joy Kitchell from the Bennington County Association Against Child Abuse introduced herself and the work of her agency on behalf of children and seniors (people of all ages, really). She is seeking to petition the voters for a Community appropriation for \$500, on the Town Meeting ballot in March.

2- Jay Merrill came by for his winter contract, which Andrea will prepare and the Selectmen will sign, anticipating no changes from last year's contract.

3- Hal Wilkins attended the Vermont Connectivity Conference and made contacts with 5 internet service providers. Discussion at the SB meeting identified the service terminus homes of the various telecom lines so Hal can seek out providers who might be interested in completing the infrastructure to the last few homes.

4- Clerk Chrystal Cleary informed the board that there will be a Special School District Election on January 22nd with a single question to repeal the requirement that ballots be commingled for School district elections. The warning will follow shortly and the election will need to be staffed.

Meeting adjourned 9:12AM  
Minutes by Chrystal