

Chester Municipal Electric Light Department

15 Middlefield Road, Chester, MA 01011

**Commissioner's Meeting**

June 3, 2015

Present:

Commissioners: Terry Murphy, Deryck Savoy and Mike Hickson

Manager: Jill Moretz

Meeting was called to order 7:00 pm

- Minutes of the May 20, 2015 meeting were reviewed. Terry made a motion to accept the minutes as written. Mike seconded and the motion passed.
- The pay raises for the employees were put on hold until Jill could gather more information for the commissioners.
- The Selectman unanimously passed splitting the cost of the Pole Barn with CMELD at their last meeting. Frank is continuing to get more bids and prices on the material and labor for the Pole Barn. Deryck had asked about the price of a color roof vs. non-color and if it cost more for color. According to the vendor it would cost more to strip the color off and then treat the roof with a protectant than to purchase it with color. The commissioners asked if Frank could check into that further. Terry mentioned to check out Bradco Supply (aka ABC) in Springfield.
- The 1992 Bucket Truck will be brought to the Auction yard this week.
- Our contract with Integrys ends in December of this year. We do have the option of possibly extending it for another 2 years. Jill has invited Tim Hebert from Energy New England to our next meeting. Tim negotiated our last rate with Integrys. He will come prepared to answer any questions.
- Jill will put in some sort of explanation about the RNS charges in the Watts News.
- Deryck asked if all the flags were up. He said his grandmother was asking about the flags on Skyline Trail. She said some were missing by her house. Jill will speak to Frank.

- Next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, June 17, 2015.

With no other business to discuss the meeting was adjourned at 7:50 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Jill E. Moretz