TOWN GOVERNANCE STUDY COMMITTEE

Northfield Town Hall

23 July 2018

Date

6:00 PM Time

Meeting Minutes

Members Present:

Barbara "Bee" Jacque, Robert MacEwen, Tammy Pelletier, Emily Walker (Clerk) (Chair) (Vice-Chair)

Others Present:

Max Marcus, Joseph Stacy, Jeremy Underwood,

Meeting began at 6:00 PM

- 1. Reviewed minutes from July 16, 2018:
 - · Noted correction to minutes (add/record selection of Walker as Vice-Chair)
 - · On a motion by MacEwen, seconded by Walker, voted to approve corrected minutes
- 2. Discussed importance of reviewing documents and per MacEwen, "understanding history:"
 - October 2013 Final Report of prior Northfield Town Governance Study Committee (https://www.northfieldma.gov/sites/northfieldma/files/uploads/tgscfinalreport2014.pdf)
 - · Clarify whether there is a longer version of this Final Report document
 - Minutes from prior Committee and relevant minutes from Town Meeting
 - · MacEwen will put together notebooks with some suggested documents to review
 - · Consensus re: importance of this effort for Northfield and for taking time to review material
- 3. Discussed Citizen Interest forms for two/2 Committee openings:
 - · Interested citizen Joseph Stacy thought voting/appointment would occur at this meeting
 - Chair Pelletier apologized for any confusion
 - MacEwen motioned, Walker seconded, to appoint citizens at tonight's meeting: MacEwen and Walker voted Yes; Jacque and Pelletier voted No; Motion does not pass
 - Interested citizen Jeremy Underwood was present and interviewed
- 4. Discussed meeting time/schedule:
 - Next meeting to be Monday, August 6 @ 6:30 PM
 - · Should contact remaining Interested Citizens re: attending next meeting
- 5. On a motion by Walker, seconded by Jacque, voted to adjourn @ 7:00 PM

Recorded by Barbara L. Jacque, Clerk