

MINUTES OF BOARD OF SELECTMEN JANUARY 23, 2013 SPECIAL MEETING

Members present: Craig Olson, Susan Schnur, Sandra Oliver and Archibald Gillies

Absent: Jay Zlotkowski

Also present: Steve Miller, Kimberly Tucker, Fred Porter, Page Clason and Town Manager Janet Anderson

The meeting was called to order at 6:15pm as a quorum was established.

Steve Miller reported on the 1/12/2013 report prepared by Richard A. Clarke of Good Harbor on "All Hazards Risk Assessment for the Proposed Bulk LPG Facility, Searsport, Maine.

Richard A. Clark's testimony to the Searsport Planning Board has been rescheduled for February 11, 2013.

Steve says there is a lot of information in this report and recommends in particular to looking at Landside Assessment (page 15 of report) and Appendix A.

Mr. Clark's conclusion was recommending Searsport Planning Board not allow the permit to DCP for the LPG facility for a myriad of safety reasons. He compliments the emergency response capacity in the region, but what's available would not be sufficient for an LPG emergency. Mr. Clark also drew attention to a dramatic change in marketing LPG from importing to exporting LPG in the future. DCP first spoke with the Town of Searsport in 2010.

Upon a motion by Schnur and seconded by Oliver it was voted to send a letter written Steve Miller to the Searsport Planning Board urging them to deny this permit.

VOTE: All in favor

Upon a motion by Schnur and seconded by Oliver it was voted to appoint Arch Gillies to be the Board's *media** spokesman in this LPG matter.

VOTE: All in favor

- A copy of the signed letter will be attached to these minutes.
- A copy of the letter will be sent to: Maine Members of the United States Congress,
- County Commissioners, Regional Representatives and all Penobscot Bay Towns.

Adjourned at 7:10pm

Respectfully submitted,

Janet R. Anderson
Town Manager

***Approved 1/30/2013 with this addition**