

**TOWN OF ACTON  
SELECTMEN'S MEETING  
SEPTEMBER 12, 2006**

**Tony Cogliandro called for a MOMENT OF SILENCE in remembrance of all those who lost their lives on September 11, 2001, due to the terrorist attacks.**

**1. PUBLIC FORUM:** Jeremy asked what was the deal with the warrant posted outside relative to the Flat Ground Association. Nancy replied that two abutters had come to the office and requested a new meeting be set up since the minutes themselves reflect the previous meeting was not legally called because 5 abutters were not notified. Also, there were multiple problems with the way the association was originally formed. Jeremy said it is not fair to call all the people who attended the meeting to come back to do it over. He had asked selectmen to present another question to MMA. Nancy said she waited all week for Jeremy to submit the question and he did not. David Cote noted that 30 day notification is a must for a called association meeting. Dennis stated he was disappointed with the way the selectmen have handled this issue.

Richard Neal asked if the selectmen were ready for commitment. Nancy said they are working on it. He also asked about the trees next to the Acton Corner Cemetery that are dead. Nancy said Road Commissioner Mooney has given permission for a neighbor to cut them.

**2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:** Approved as written.

**3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF LAST MEETING:** Approved as written.

**4. WARRANT:** Approved and signed.

**5. OLD BUSINESS:**

(A) **ASSESSING:** Rod is coming in this week.

(B) **CABLE CONTRACT:** Possibly Friday.

**6. NEW BUSINESS:**

(A): Selectmen signed a document for the Treasurer that will allow one signature to approve a warrant for benefits and salary only.

(B): **DEPUTY REGISTRAR OF VOTERS:** The State of Maine requires that if the Registrar of Voters is not the Town Clerk, then the Town Clerk must be appointed as Deputy Registrar of Voters. On a motion by Nancy, Jennifer Roux was appointed.

(C): **SPECIAL TOWN MEETING:** A Special Town Meeting has been set for October 11. Warrant and Finance Committee will meet on September 27, and a public hearing is scheduled for September October 3.

**Nancy reported she attended the Emery Mills dam meeting at Shapleigh. They are hoping to get funds to purchase a device that measures how much water is going over the dam. Next meeting October 23.**

**7. ADJOURNMENT:** Adjourned at 8:55 p.m.

**8. MEETINGS:** September 18 - 11 Town meeting on TABOR.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Nancy Ruma, Tony Cogliandro, Jim Driscoll

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Dennis, Gail, Jeremy, Michael, Brian, and Carol Long, Bob Anderson, Percy Lowell, Dick Neal, Lisa Moss, David Cote, Richard Michaud, Chip Venell, Lorraine Yeaton