

Town of Greenland  
Budget Committee Meeting  
January 22, 2009

Present: Mary McDonough, Chairperson, John Weeks, Bob Krasko, Mike Marsh, R.B. Laurence, Pat Walsh, Ron Gross, Sandra Trull-Smith, Charlie Cummings, Selectman's representative (taking place of Mr. Sanderson who could not attend) and Jim Haslam, School Board representative

Also present: School Board Members: Anne Mayer and Martha Stone  
Jim Katkin, School Administrator,  
Peter Smith, principal  
George Cushing, Superintendent

Meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. After introductions were made, the purpose of the meeting was stated as review of the school's proposed 2009-2010 budget. The budget was reviewed line by line. The school board answered questions as they arose. The proposed warrant articles were reviewed as well.

The teacher's collective bargaining agreement was reviewed.

There was discussion regarding potentially developing a warrant article for a generator. The ideas of renting versus purchasing were discussed. Mr. Cummings stated he would discuss this with the selectmen at their meeting next Monday. Mrs. McDonough and Mr. Krasko will attend and liaison any information back to the school board. The general conscientious is that the town needs a generator to be able to help the townspeople in light of a future natural disaster.

With no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:15 The next budget meeting is scheduled for January 28, 2009 at 6:45 at Town Hall to continue review of the town and school budgets.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary McDonough  
Chair, Budget Committee