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**AGENDA
MEETING OF THURSDAY MARCH 03, 2016**

**BOARD OF ASSESSOR'S OFFICE
3 NO. MAIN ST., ASSONET, MA 02702**

8:30 P.M. Call to Order. Chairman Lee Baumgartner calls the meeting to order. Others present are Selectmen Paul Sadeck and Highway Surveyor Charles Macomber. Selectmen Pacheco is absent from the meeting.

Consent Agenda:

Board of Selectmen: Action relative to:

- Interviews for Highway dept.

Antone Amaral - Selectmen Sadeck asks him about himself. He explains he is a good worker with no injuries. He has worked for the same place for the last 17 years. Mr. Macomber explains this job has a lot of different things to do within it. We advertised for a Truck driver but that is the last thing you do. Snow plowing you will work a lot of hours. Mr. Amaral will need to get a hoisting license still. Mr. Amaral asks about the benefits.

David Swangren - Mr. Macomber explains to Mr. Swangren that this job is more than just a truck driver position. The highway dept does more than just road things. Snow plowing is a big part in the winter and long hours. Mr. Swangren understands it. Selectmen Sadeck would like to know his experience. Mr. Swangren says he was an Aux Officer in Stoughton he would do many things up there not just officer things. At AA Will he did many different things. He took over a Foundry family business. He wanted to work for Freetown because it is close to where he lives. Selectmen Baumgartner says you need to obtain your licenses which you don't have. Mr. Macomber says you need to obtain a 2B, 4E and a 4G. Mr. Swangren would have 6 months to obtain them.

Nathan Macedo - Mr. Macomber explains the job to Mr. Macedo. He lets him know that he won't be behind the wheel that much. He will do what needs to be done for the town departments when needed. He asks about him going to get his licenses. Mr. Macedo says he won't have any issues going to get his licenses. He explains the long duration of snow days while they plow. Mr. Macedo is looking for a job with stability.

Steven Hanify - Mr. Macomber explains working for the Town, the ins and outs. He says it's not just a truck driver position we do things for all departments. He tells him he does need to get a 2E and a 4G and you only have 6 months to obtain them. Selectmen

Baumgartner says the licenses are a must. Selectmen Sadeck says he wants to know where he learned how to use the equipment. Mr. Hanify learned to use it with his relative's equipment and friend's equipment. Mr. Hanify asks about the Health Insurance.

Jordan Costa – Mr. Macomber explains the job to Mr. Costa. Mr. Costa says that is basically what they do in Westport. Mr. Macomber says he will need to get some Licenses within 6 months. Mr. Costa is already in the process of scheduling a class for the 4E. Selectmen Baumgartner asks Mr. Costa you know do what you would be doing. Mr. Macomber says if we offer you the position today and then Westport offers you a fulltime position what would you do? Mr. Costa says Westport lost out, he has been waiting 2 years there. Selectmen Baumgartner says you know the job because you are already doing the job, and asks what would his friends say about him. Mr. Costa says they would say he is a good person that is always there for them.

Steven Ferreira - Mr. Macomber explains the job to Mr. Ferreira. Selectmen Sadeck asks him if he is a mechanic now. Mr. Ferreira says he went to school for a few months but dropped out and has been taught to fixed things. Mr. Macomber tells him he needs to get licenses. Mr. Macomber asks when he will go for his CDL. Mr. Ferreira says he will know in 2 weeks. Selectmen Sadeck wants to know why he wants to work for Freetown. Mr. Ferreira said he loved working for Berkley and he knows he would love working for Freetown, he wanted to try to go to college but it just didn't work out. Freetown is also close to home for him. Selectmen Sadeck wants to know why he is going for a Class A. Mr. Ferreira says he was told a Class A is better than what he currently has.

Kyle Grenier - Selectmen Sadeck asks why he wants to work for Freetown. Mr. Grenier wants to work close to home. He is in the process of driving school now for his CDL A. Mr. Grenier has a CDL C which is just endorsements. He works as a mechanic now at Reliable Bus. Mr. Macomber explains the job and also the long hours with the snow plowing.

Selectmen Baumgartner rated Costa 1 and Ferreira 2 and Amaral 3.
Selectmen Sadeck rates Ferreira 1st, but notes but he doesn't have the CDL.

Motion (Sadeck/Baumgartner) to hire Jordan Costa. Passed unanimously.

Motion (Sadeck/Baumgartner) to adjourn at 11:01p.m. Passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,



Ali Golz, Administrative Assistant