

Minutes of the Meeting of the Royalton Board of Abatement
Wednesday, June 17th, 2020 at 6:30 p.m.
Town Offices: Front Lawn at Ainsworth Memorial Bench
2460 Vermont Route 14, South Royalton, Vermont 05068

Members present: Justices of the Peace: Chair Joshua Powers, Bill Ballou, John Dumville, Allison Fulcher, Hoyt Bingham and Peg Ainsworth. Selectboard: Tim Murphy, Jerry Barcelow, John Dumville and David Barker. Listers: Samantha Bruce. Clerk: Karmen Bascom.

Members absent: Justices of the Peace: Bruce Post, Rebecca Foulk, Charlie Bascom and Matt Angell. Selectboard: Chris Noble. Listers: Walter Hastings and Jeff Barcelow. Treasurers: LuAnn Bingham and Rita Hull.

Witnesses: none.

The Royalton Board of Tax Abatement met outside of the Royalton Town Offices on Wednesday, June 17th at 6:30 p.m. The meeting was called to order by Chair Joshua Powers at 6:35 p.m.

Chair Powers read **Article I: Shall the Royalton Board of Abatement commence integrating a Zoom conferencing option for meetings and abatement hearings?** Allison Fulcher motioned. Tim Murphy seconded. Minimal discussion.
Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

Chair Powers read **Article II: Shall the Royalton Board of Abatement allow abatement evidence to be sent to board members prior to meetings, following appropriate rules of evidence?** Jerry Barcelow motioned, David Barker seconded. Minimal discussion.
Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

III Public Comments: None.

IV Other Business: None

Chair Power called to adjourn. Jerry Barcelow motioned, Samantha Bruce seconded.
Motion carried.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Karmen M. Bascom, Royalton Town Clerk