

**Milton Economic Development Committee
Regular Meeting
August 2, 2016
Town Hall, Milton NH**

Members in Attendance: Cubbi Lirette, Nick Marique, Bob Bourdeau, Mike Beaulieu

Absent Members: Eric Knapp

Public Attendance: Jason Pohopek, Justin Avery

Vice Chairman Nick Marique called the meeting to order at 5:35pm.

Brief discussion on:

1. New Mobile Station
2. China Pond Right of Way (DOT) B. Boudreau suggested writing a letter to DOT addressing the right of way for China Pond parking area and will present it to the BOS on August 8th to review and possible approval.

Board held discussion on expanding the revitalization area beyond downtown area.

Board held discussion about the surveys on RT 75.

Board discussed raising \$2,500 for UNH Coop. Extension Program. Will present to BOS in the future. M. Beaulieu suggested a tax relief incentive program for new or expanding business's in the future. The board suggested a 3 year incentive program such as:

- 1st year: 30% of assessment
- 2nd year: 60% of assessment
- 3rd year: 100% of assessment

Board continued discussion on other ideas to enhance growth in Milton.

Justin Avery was sworn in as a new member and brought to the board.

Election of Officers: M. Beaulieu motioned to have J. Avery as Chairman. B. Bourdeau seconds the motion. All in favor, motion passed. J. Avery will be the new Chairman.

Approval of Minutes: May and June minutes tabled.

M. Beaulieu motions to adjourn. B. Boudreau seconds the motion. All in favor, meeting adjourned at 6:25 pm.

Respectfully submitted: Mike Beaulieu