

Joint Board
of the Towns of
New London, Newbury and Sunapee
April 1, 2020

Due to the COVID-19/Coronavirus crisis and in accordance with Governor Sununu's Emergency Order #12 pursuant to Executive Order 2020-04, this Board is authorized to meet electronically. The public has access to contemporaneously listen and participate in this meeting through the video conferencing platform Zoom.us: <https://zoom.us/j/874452634?pwd=RjJiTElRL0orWXNqTGxBWlBmaWx5dz09>, Meeting ID: 874 452 634, Password: 685281 or by phone: 1- 253- 215- 8782 or 1-301-715-8592 Meeting ID: 874 452 634

Ms. Hallquist called the meeting to order at 10:00 AM.

Roll call of members present: Kim Hallquist (New London Town Administrator); Janet Kidder (New London Selectman); Gary Daniels (Newbury Resident); Dennis Pavlicek (Newbury Town Administrator); Sue Gottling (Sunapee Selectman), Donna Nashawaty (Sunapee Town Manager), Linda Tanner (Sunapee Resident)

Ms. Hallquist noted that at the next meeting new members would be welcomed: a selectman from Newbury and a resident from New London; leaving the Board would be the resident in Newbury (Gary Daniels) and selectman in Sunapee (Sue Gottling). Membership generally changes sometime after Town Meeting when each town can make appointments.

Appointment of Kris McAllister as Chief Assessor

The Board discussed the managers recommendation that Kris McAllister be appointed as Chief Assessor to replace Norm Bernaiche who resigned to accept a position in Hanover. The managers noted that they have spoken with Ms. McAllister about the need for management training with one area of focus being effective communication skills. The managers are confident that Ms. McAllister will work to expand and improve her management skills and will continue to perform her assessing duties at the high level she has performed over the past several years, and her selection to assume the Chief Assessor position is in the best interests of the Tri-town Assessing program.

**IT WAS MOVED (Gary Daniels) AND SECONDED (Sue Gottling) to approve the offering of the Chief Assessor position to Kris McAllister and to allow the managers to set the rate of compensation within the budget. Roll Call vote: Hallquist: YES; Kidder: YES; Nashawaty: YES; Gottling: YES; Tanner: YES; Daniels: YES; Pavlicek: YES
THE MOTION WAS APPROVED**

The meeting adjourned at 10:05 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Kimberly Hallquist
New London Town Administrator