

Northbridge Republican Town Committee Meeting Minutes
August 11, 2016
Meeting called to order: 7:03 pm

Present: Mr. Chairman (Brian Massey) Vice Chairman (Richard Griggs), Secretary (Alicia Cannon), (Treasurer) Meagan Brouwer, David Muradian, Tim Burke, Bruce Caisse, Harry Berkowitz, Henry Lane, Dorcas Carlson, Jim Berkowitz, Ken Chilton

1. Rep David Muradian-
 - a. discussed Governor's budget and decisions...couple of major bills passed (by end of July).
 - b. While we are now in campaign season, there are still sessions going on for local items, etc...while David is running unopposed as of now, there are still plenty of Republican candidates who are facing opposition. There is still a small chance that David could have an opponent.
 - c. No additional fundraiser this year is anticipated. But maybe something for the end of the year to help close the books...
 - d. Standout every Saturday in the fall, 9-11 AM, all 3 communities if numbers allow for it.
 - i. Saturday, September 10 is the first one. Grafton (Swirls and Scoops), Northbridge (Plummer's Corner) and Upton is old Rebecca's Place
 - ii. 9/17
 - iii. 9/24
 - iv. Saturday, October 8
 - v. Saturday, October 15
 - vi. Saturday, October 22
 - vii. Saturday, October 29
 - viii. Saturday, November 5 (prior to election day)
 - ix. Sunday, November 6, 12-2
 - x. Monday, November 7,
 - xi. Election Day, Tuesday, November 8- full day
2. No new members
3. Banking- EIN filed for but denied. There is a state level one and Brian has reached out to them...Brian found the old bank accounts/owners at Unibank and has reached out to them. We need to open an account and then we can transfer the money over...there will be multiple signatures on the account.
4. Facebook page- up and going.
5. Google Drive- Brian opened up. Post minutes, banking information. All members will have access to that.
6. By laws- Meg sent out the changes that were reviewed at the last meeting in June. General consensus that folks need more time to review. Brian will put the bylaws on Google drive with track changes on and send a notification to folks.
7. Candidates running- Bruce/Brian will reach out to Jen C about anything she may need.
8. Meeting minutes from June-

- a. Edit from XXX Ken from Southborough not Westborough.
 - b. No other changes noted.
 - c. Rich motion to accept, xx second. All in favor.
9. Fundraising- future agenda item, next meeting...Harry noted that we cannot "sell" anything; we can only accept donations. We need to look into this.
10. Dues- are we allowed to collect them or are they just voluntary donations? Brian will add this to the October agenda.
11. List of all Republican and unenrolled voters in town- we will have access to this.
12. Brian requested that folks send him agenda items for future meetings.
13. Next meeting is Thursday, September 8, 7-8 at WCC