

Town of Isle La Motte
Special Town Meeting
May 14, 2016/10:00 AM/Isle La Motte Elementary School

Present: Steve Stata-Selectman, Rustam Spaulding-Town & School Moderator & Selectman, Selby Turner-Selectman, Michele Murray-Town Clerk & Treasurer, Barbara Larvey, Art Larvey-Trustee of Public Funds, Betty Lockerby-Justice of the Peace, Carol Michaels, Peter Murray, Joyce Tuck, Terrance Tuck, Paul Zera, Jane Zera-School Board Director, Marjorie Bertram, Toby Peacock, Dale Patnode, John Yartz, Allen Hall, Mary Graziano, Cathy Tudhope-Justice of the Peace, Edith Plouffe, Sarah Senesac, James Senesac Sr., Harriot Schwenker, Tom Brennan, Diane Brennan, Lucinda Varga, Robert Varga, Betsy Howland, Bill Howland, Mary LaBrecque-Delinquent Tax Collector, Diane Carson, Paul Carson, Alma Patnode, Lorraine LaBombard, Elizabeth Lee, Paul Hinman, Sharron Hinman, Linda Fitch, Timothy Leonard, Beverly Noble, Bruce Noble, Louise Koss-School Board Director, Michael Koss, Andrea Parker, Beverley Camp, Audrey Bromley, Chet Bromley Real Duteau, Dorothy Duteau, Mark Zera, Torre Zera, Brenda Dulude

Rustam Spaulding-Town Moderator called the meeting to order at 10:00 AM on Saturday May 14, 2016.

A brief explanation: the country store closed for the first time. There are five places of notice postings; country store, school, website, town hall and the Islander paper. Because the store closed, the requirement for posting was missed. We have gained the ability to post at the post office. In Isle La Motte there are not that many public places to post, the area for posting needs to be approximately 32 square feet, for 20+pages of postings.

If this is not passed, it is not clear what the process would be, perhaps all voting will have to be done over again.

People in town were watching, if the law was not followed no one knows what may have happened. No questions from the room.

Moderator read from the warning:


The legal voters of the Town of Isle La Motte are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Isle La Motte Elementary School on Saturday May 14, 2016 at 10:00 AM to transact the following business.

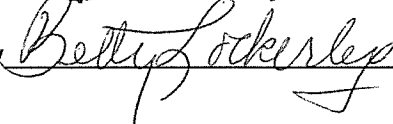
ARTICLE 1: Shall the action taken at the meeting of the Town of Isle La Motte, held on February 27, 2016 and March 1, 2016 be re-adopted, ratified and confirmed, in spite of the fact that the posting of warning and notice of the meeting did not occur in strict conformance with 17 V.S.A. 2641(a), and any act or action of the municipal officers or agents taken pursuant thereto or in reliance thereon (including newly elected officers) be similarly re-adopted, ratified and confirmed?

Debbie Spaulding made a motion to accept, 2nd by Betty Lockerby, all in favor.

Debbie Spaulding made a motion to close the Town meeting, 2nd by Betty Lockerby, all in favor.

Respectfully submitted: Michele Murray, Town Clerk

Rustam Spaulding  Date: 5-19-2016

Betty Lockerby  Date: 5/20/16