

New Ashford Select Board Meeting/Community Compact Signing  
New Ashford Town Hall  
March 15, 2018

Board Present: Jason Jayko (chair), Mark Phelps

Absent: Ken McInerney

Others Present: Lieutenant Governor Karyn Polito, Lori Jayko, Stephen Jayko, Tammy Daniels, Jen Lescarbeau, Allen Seney, Jen Welch, Juan Vega, Dan Gates, A.J. Enchill, Representative John Barrett

Meeting opened at 12:46

1. Community Compact Signing with Lieutenant Governor Karyn Polito: Jason spoke about the two best practices that the town filed for the Community Compact. One was through information technology to get a generator for the Town Hall for back-up power for the broadband equipment. Also, the Town Hall is the town's designated emergency shelter. The second best practice focused on energy efficiency for the Town Hall to address aging furnaces and/or to replace the windows.

Lieutenant Governor Polito commended the Board for undertaking these best practices and for their stewardship to the town. The board gave her an update on the broadband project.

Jennifer Welch mentioned that the town is facing challenges with school concerns.

Jason and Lieutenant Governor Polito signed the Community Compact.

The Lieutenant Governor, Representative Barrett, Juan Vega from the Executive Office of Housing and Economic Development, and A.J. Enchill from Senator Hinds' Office spent time looking at the Town Hall and talking with the residents present.

Meeting adjourned at 1:13