

## Board of Abatement

January 7, 2016

Board Members Present: Mark Pelletier, Joanne Mills, Donna Bryan, Cathy Brown, Meg Hudson and Patrick Giordano

Matt Peone was present to request that the Board abate interest and penalty assessed to the November 15<sup>th</sup> payment. They purchased the property on August 26<sup>th</sup>. At the closing they paid the first half of the taxes but did not get a copy of the 2015 tax bill. The only notice they received that taxes were owed was when they received a delinquent notice. They request abatement due to a manifest error as no bill was received and they do not feel that late payment was their fault.

Richard Furman requested that the Board abate interest and penalty on his 2015 property tax bill. He has paid taxes since 1980 on time. However, last year and this year his payment was late. He paid the taxes on December 14<sup>th</sup>. The total amount due is \$307.57.

The motion was made and seconded to abate the \$5.67 interest and \$45.39 penalty assessed to the Peone tax bill. Approved.

The motion was made and seconded to deny the request for abatement for the Furman tax bill. Approved.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:45 P.M.

Cathy Brown, Town Clerk