

Correction: Minutes taken March 25, 2010

Date: January 25, 2010

Place: Lower Hearing Room, Wat. Town Hall  
 Meeting called to order at 7:45 p.m.

Present: Steve Owens, Wat Bowler, Maria Saij, Sarah Emond, David Cotton, Mary McCarthy, Kathleen McGrath, Dan Seidman, Irene Beach, John Gannon, Marian Ferro, Dennis Duff, Dawn Duff, Valerie Vigoda, Brian Chesney, Tina Paineexter, Melvin Paineexter, Pam Schofield, Laura Appleton, Sengil Inkiaba, Kate Bazinsky, Tom Holloway.

Announcements: Ilana Mainelli has resigned as affirmative action & outreach officer & Theresa Brezeale, a full member has moved to Boston. Both will need to be replaced.

Candidates for Auditor: Guy Gladis, Sheriff of Worcester County, & Mike Lake, Special Assistant for White House Operations under Pres. Clinton, spoke about their campaigns for State Auditor.

- There were no Treasurer's or Secretary's Reports.
- There are 4 new full members of the committee: Jim Scafidi, Marian Ferro, Valerie Vigoda, & Jordan Bazinsky.
- Melvin Paineexter was unanimously elected affirmative action & outreach officer for the committee.
- Sarah Emond presented a very comprehensive list of 14 reasons on "Why Health Care Reform is Good for America". It was suggested that we try to disseminate this information as widely as possible.
- Maria Saij was elected to replace Theresa Brezeale as a full member of the committee.
- Dennis Duff, a member of the Charter Review Committee,

West Point Community Center

Date: February 27, 2010

Place: Lower Meeting Room, West Point Hall  
Meeting called to order at 7:45 PM.

announced that the Committee meets every other Tuesday (opposite Town Council meetings) and that he would welcome any input from members of the Committee. This topic may be on the agenda in the future.

- Congressman Ed Markey was scheduled to visit the Watertown Library on Wednesday, March 31 to take part in a panel discussion on climate change & energy efficiency. He is the author of a House bill on this subject.
- The Committee elected 5 new Associate members: David Catton, Kathleen McGrath, Laura Appleton, Sengil Inkiata, & Tom Holloway.
- The meeting adjourned at 9:17 PM.

Respectfully Submitted  
Dorothy Bauer

- Mr. Markey was unanimously elected as the new member of the committee.
- Mr. Markey presented a very comprehensive list of 14 reasons or "Why should our town be a leader in energy efficiency?" It was suggested that we try to disseminate this information as widely as possible.
- Mr. Markey was elected to replace Thomas Duggan as a full member of the committee.
- Pamela Puff, a member of the Greater Watertown Committee,