

Meeting : February 17, 2016  
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Oral Health Commission – February 17<sup>th</sup> 2016

The meeting was held at the town offices at 5:30 PM

Present: Mary Lou Albert, Jim Carroll, Dr. Rob Cauley, Marylou Chicote, Tom Jacobs, Jackie Kelly, Don Miller. Absent: Michael Brady.

- First line of business was to unanimously approve the minutes from January 19<sup>th</sup>.
- Don passed out the draft rules of procedure, discussed the open meeting law, asking each Commissioner to review the same for consideration at next meeting.
- A suggestion was made by Jackie Kelly to ask Superintendent Jim Culkeen for a recommendation on whom to invite from the school district. Don will call Jim.
- Marylou presented an update on the Middle School Dental Program and the Oral Health Coalition. A packet put together by the coalition was distributed.
  - Marylou mentioned that funding is needed for Lisa's position.
  - Marylou announced a Train the Trainer session on March 18 @ 10:00 @ Bennington College.
- The group discussed the fact that we should track relevant legislative initiatives as they work their way through the legislature.
- Mary Lou recommended preschool oral health education of parents and children from birth.

- The next meeting date and time was scheduled for March 16, at 5:30 PM at the town offices.

Respectfully submitted

*Marilyn Chicote*