Town of New Fairfield Board of Selectmen 4 Brush Hill Road New Fairfield, CT 06812

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Board of Selectmen Public Hearing Thursday, April 10, 2014 7:00 PM Community Room at 33 Route 37

Members present:
Susan Chapman, First Selectman
Mike Gill, Selectman
Kim Hanson, Selectman

Other Town Officials Present:
Tom Nolton, Milone and MacBroom

<u>Call To Order</u> – First Selectman Susan Chapman called the Public Hearing to order at 7:00pm.

The purpose of this Public Hearing was to discuss long-term potable water solution for the Town of New Fairfield.

Tom Nolton from the firm of Milone and MacBroom spoke of the project for the town and showed a Power Point presentation. Mr. Nolton discussed the following:

- Background of the project
- Consent order- the reason for the project
- <u>Alternatives considered</u>- Alternatives were discussed and it was noted that some were feasible but not recommended at this time.
- <u>Recommended Alternatives</u>- These are described in the Engineering Report- It was noted that the total estimated cost would be approximately \$1.64 million.
- Next steps- Mr. Nolton spoke of the time frame including help with filling out the grant applications. It was noted that there is grant money in the amount of 100% of the reimbursable costs.

Mr. Nolton spoke of Average Day Demand and Peak Day Demand and discussed the margin of safety.

Mr. Nolton noted that the Public Hearing phase of this project is open until May 12th. Questions can be submitted to the town.

Public Comment

Members of the public asked questions specifically regarding whose responsibility it is to clean up the water, time frame, options for the project and the property on Memorial Field.

Adjournment

The Public Hearing closed at 7:49pm.

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