

**Appleton Select Board  
August 21, 2018**

1. Convene, 7 p.m. (Gushee, Wyman, Fenner, Beckett, Costigan)
2. Reminder: Meetings are recorded.
3. Costigan: Motion to approve warrant #17, \$5,214.52, town expenses. Wyman: Second. Unanimous.
4. Beckett: Motion to approve minutes of August 14, 2018. Fenner: Second. Unanimous.
5. Gushee: Motion to approve language for tax bill notice. Beckett: Second. Unanimous.
6. 2018 Mil Rate: Assessor has set the taxable valuation at \$119,122,800. Depending on determined overlay, the mil rate will be between \$22.80 to \$23.00 per \$1,000 of valuation depending on selectmen-approved municipal overlay, to be determined at the next meeting. Gushee: Motion to approve tax rate August 28. Wyman: Second Unanimous.
7. Road Commissioner: Culvert for the Midcoast Lot town forest/driveway permit needed. Remaining crushed stone at town sand shed will be spread on Appleton Ridge Road near border with Searsmont. Wishes to extend sand contract delivery date with Dave's World delivery to Sept. 15 to allow staffing on-site during delivery. Gushee; Motion to extend delivery date to Sept. 15. Beckett: Second. Unanimous. Snow Plow Contract Extension: Contractor's insurance company requests a letter from town indicating no change to contract.
8. Other: Gushee Scholarship Fund will be able to accept donations beginning next week. David Bragg will be at Pine Grove Cemetery by Labor Day. Trees have been marked for bid specs by foresters.
9. Beckett: Motion to adjourn, 8:05 p.m. Wyman: Second. Unanimous.