

FINANCE COMMITTEE ON ROADS  
MINUTES  
FEBRUARY 17, 2009 @ 8:00am

ATTENDANCE – Carl Akins, Matt Spinale, Jack Walsh  
Superintendent of Streets –Craig Hughes  
Selectmen’s Liaison – Joe Melican  
Warrant Committee’s Liaison – Peter Smith

MINUTES – Minutes of the January 20, 2009 were approved as amended.

CAPITAL BUDGET – Craig reviewed an hourly rental vehicle cost proposal. .  
Recommendation is to continue to rent/hourly lease and to closely monitor the costs.

HANDOUT – Joe provided a copy of a chart that was in the 1/15/09 issue of the Boston Globe which depicted the cost of snow and ice removal per 1000 residents in 2008 in the MetroWest area. He also provided a comparison of the cost per road mile for Dover and the contiguous towns for our analysis. The results were similar but until we understand what made up the costs we agreed to have Craig find out what was included and continue the discussion at our next meeting. We agree that our roads are well plowed and safety is our top priority.

HAZARDOUS WASTE DAY – scheduled for April 18,2009 in Medfield

ROADSIDE CLEAN-UP – scheduled for March 28, 2009

LETTERS – Resident’s letter regarding speed on Farm/Bridge Street. Chief Griffin has responded.

Letter regarding x-walk on Center Street . Resident has been notified that a berm and resurfaced sidewalk will be installed in the springtime at that location.

NEXT MEETING – March 24, 2009 @ 8:00am at the Town Garage.  
Meeting adjourned at 8:40am

Respectfully submitted, Jack Walsh  
Jack Walsh