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Holliston Board of Assessors
January 6, 2017
8:30 am Selectmen's meeting room #105

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Executive Session of the Board of Assessors was called to order at 8:25 am unanimous by polled vote. Present were: Brian Loughlin, Chair, Peter Barbieri, Vice Chair, John Cronin, Clerk and Kathryn Peirce, Principal Assessor.

- BOA discussed salary issue for Ms. Peirce. Ms. Peirce stated she would settle for "\$85,000/year or higher \$84,000+". Mr. Barbieri stated he did not envision any increase beyond 3% due to likely pushback from Personnel Admin. Mr. Loughlin agreed. Mr. Cronin stated an interest in using FY17 funds (surplus) to offset FY18 needs with year-end encumbrance. Ms. Peirce expressed dissatisfaction with any outcome that continues to fund her salary at levels demonstrably below her peers in the profession and in Town Hall.
 - Mr. Cronin offered to work with Ms. Peirce by phone on 1/6/17 to try and identify any funds that could be used to apply for a salary increase in for Ms. Peirce while staying within the 1% FY directive.
- BOA voted to adjourned executive session and resume regular session at 9:15 am by polled vote. Motion by Peter Barbieri, all in favor by hand: John Cronin, Peter Barbieri, and Brian Loughlin.