

Town Wide Radio System Committee

Thursday January 21, 2016

Town St. Firehouse 7:00 P.M.

Committee members present: Craig Mansfield, Bob Bennet, Joe Szezech, Kevin Cavallo, Ray Swol, Bruce Dutch, Guest Dave Moffett.

Meeting called to order by the chair at 7:00 pm

1. Approval of meeting minutes from December 17, 2015: A motion was made by Kevin and seconded by Bob to approve previous minutes. Approved by unanimous vote.
2. Mt. Parnassus Project update: Bids have been opened by the state and requests for more info and clarification have been sent to bidders. Also see scanned documents
3. Frequency filing update: See scanned documents
4. Project update: Kevin and Joe with the help of Dave agreed to make a presentation for the B.O.E. March 8th meeting in regards to a possible tower site at the new Middle School 73 Clark Gates Rd. Craig will communicate with Valley Shore Communications about the Ed Williams Rd. tower. Also see scanned documents.
5. Next meeting: February 18, 2016 and March 3, 2016 if needed for final approval of presentation to B.O.E. Both to be at the Town St. Firehouse at 7:00 pm
6. Adjournment: A motion of adjournment was made by Bruce at 8:20 PM.

WQSV758 Business License

Licensed Frequencies/Granted

1. 452.525
2. 452.5625

License Notes:

Power levels licensed

- 25 watts @ MT Parnassus
- 14 watts @ #7 Main Street

Omni directional antennas ✱

Currently two licensed sites

- #7 Main Street
- MT. Parnassus

2nd Extension filed for Parnassus
11-20-2016

WQSA737 Public Safety License

Licensed
Frequencies/Granted

453.500

453.625

Pending
modification/Add
453.400

- On coordination hold
- Low power/Omni antenna possible

License Notes:

Power levels licensed

- 7.5 watts @ MT Parnassus
- 14 watts @ #7 Main Street

Restricted pattern antennas

- 41 degrees AZ, 110 degrees beamwidth

Currently two licensed sites

- #7 Main Street
- MT. Parnassus
- 2nd Extension Filed for Parnassus 8-23-2016

Status of WQSA739

- 453.500 shared with Brainard and Bradley Airport Fire
 - Attempted to get concurrence for MT Parnassus Omni Antenna denied
- 453.625 shared with DOT
 - Attempting to get concurrence for MT Parnassus Omni antenna
- 453.400 new application/on hold.
 - Attempting low power Omni antenna
 - Co-channel users Bloomfield and State of CT, Storrs

Considerations

- Status of Valley Shore Simulcast Project
 - Seeking grant funding
 - Possible channel solution

