

TOWN OF HARTFORD

LISTERS MEETING

June 2, 2015, 2:15 PM Draft Meeting Minutes

Members Present: Emile Grondin, Terry Chesbro, Susan Foster

Staff Present: Clarissa Holmes (Assessor)

Meeting called to order @ 2:15 PM

Grievance Hearings

a) Quechee Gorge Friendship Inn

Property address: 5817 Woodstock Road

Assessment: \$3,137,800

Owners Opinion of Value: \$ 2,450,000

Owners had a professional commercial appraisal done on the property as of April 19, 2014,

which is the basis for the appeal.

b) Karen Jennings

Property Address: 824 Hard Road #A1

Assessment: \$172,200

Owner's Opinion of Value: \$110,000

The condominium was purchased last year for \$110,000. It was purchased out of a Trust set up by her father. An appraisal done at that time indicated a value of \$120,000, however, since then there has been costs associated with the unit that the owners feel affects the

value.

c) Steven Kvinlaug

Property address: 24 Sugarhouse Lane

Assessment: \$ 574,100

Owners Opinion of Value: \$500,000

The owner has spoken with Real Estate professionals who feel the value of the property is

between \$500,000 and \$539,000.

d) Kenneth Baldwin

Property Address: 0 Quechee Hartland Road

Assessment: \$82,700

Owners Opinion of Value: \$60,000

The property is vacant land located on the Hartford/Hartland town line. Although the property has good road frontage on the Quechee Hartland Road, engineering studies have determined that the land is almost completely in Zone A of the North Hartland Dam Backwater Flood Zone. It would therefore be very costly to build on and include \$16,000 in

FEMA fees without the possibility of acquiring Flood Insurance.

Other Grievance Applications/Inspections Only:

a) Charles & Lynn Dowds

Property Address: 292 Hard Road

Assessment: \$564,000

Owners Opinion of Value: \$525,000

The taxpayers estimate of value is based on 2 recent sales, at 88 Hartness Way, and 536

Royall Tyler Road, both in the Quechee Lakes development.

Deliberative Session

Discussion of values

Meeting Adjourned at 4:00 PM