

**Representative Town Meeting Coordinating Committee  
November 18, 2008**

**Present:** Richard Peterson (2), Walter St. Lawrence (2), Catherine Shuman (3), Agnes Woodbury (3), Charles Beale (9), Tom Richards (9)

No votes were taken during meeting as a quorum was not present.

**Report from Jay Maslen:** Maslen reported to R. Peterson that the question of who should vote at RTM Coordinating Comm. should be referred to Town Counsel. Issue has been sent to Mark Fisher.

**Goals:** Issue of stipend and incentives for members has been tabled until economy improves.

Redistricting: Election Commission will be contacted to see if they will meet with us. T. Richards suggested that a state election commissioner visit and explain how redistricting is done. Hopefully we will have a local and/or state commissioner at January meeting. Members are requested to bring ideas about redistricting in writing to December meeting.

Members will research what optimum number of RTM members should be. This will be discussed at a later meeting.

M. Fisher will be invited to Dec. meeting to discuss wage comparisons with other towns and how this can be presented to members before voting on local salaries and compensations.

R. Peterson will send letter to M. Fisher requesting an inventory of local vehicles with short descriptions of each.

Meeting adjourned at 8:13 PM.

Next meeting will be **December 2, 2008 at the Police Station.**