

Leyden Broadband Committee Meeting
Informational Meeting at Greenfield
March 9, 2016 at 10:25 AM

Minutes

Attendees:

Greenfield: Carol Collins, Robert Haigh, Dan Kelley, Mayor Martin

Leyden Broadband Committee: Lance Fritz, Jeff Neipp, Bob Hardesty and Bob Ryan

The Leyden Selectboard was meeting with Mayor Martin on 3/9/16 to discuss a range of issues one of which was Broadband. Bob Ryan was invited to join this meeting to discuss the Broadband issue with Mayor Martin. Below is an extract from that meeting relative to Broadband.

"Extract from the 3/9/16 Leyden Selectboard Minutes"

"Meeting with Mayor Martin

Meeting (*in Greenfield*) started at 10:25am. First discussion was about Greenfield's high speed internet network, and if it would be feasible for Leyden to join their network by connecting at the Greenfield/Leyden Town line.

Bob Ryan, Leyden Broadband Committee, joined the discussion, asked questions concerning service, Town costs, and costs per Leyden resident. Dan Kelley explained the operation and financials of the system. Leyden would build its own network, and own its own MLP. Leyden would probably be financing through a general obligation bond. Estimated cost for internet and phone would approximately \$40.00 per month. Bob will discuss the information with the Broadband Committee at next meeting."

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Ryan, Chair