

Town of Eden
71 Old Schoolhouse Rd
Eden Mills, VT 05653

November 8, 2022 Selectboard Special Meeting

The Eden Selectboard held a special meeting on November 8, 2022. The purpose of this meeting was to perform driveway access site reviews and the Blakeville Road Bridge 13 replacement project review. The meeting opened at 5:00pm.

Present: Ricky Morin, Clayton Whittemore, Tim Bullard and Freeda Powers.

- 1.) Conduct driveway access inspections. The Board reviewed seven approved driveway accesses to ensure compliance with permit profile and road standards. Each driveway access was visited and evaluated by the Board; approval or denial were agreed upon. Notices will be sent out to each property owner with the results of the site visit.
- 2.) Blakeville Rd. BR13: The Board visited the Blakeville Road bridge replacement project site to inspect the work. The Board felt the site needed further attention to the clean-up aspect of the project, including grading, seeding and repair to damage caused by the heavy machinery. The Board voiced concerns about poorly ripped portions of the bank and wingwalls, loose bolts and excess space below the guardrail and a dip in the paving on both approaches to the bridge deck. At this time, CCS and Stone Environmental, the contractors and engineers of this project, have been notified of these issues and have agreed to addressing and completing several items of concern including the loose guardrail bolts, damage caused by machinery, grading to improve storm water run off and smaller stones added to the bank to reduce scouring between the large rip rap stones. Further communication and coordination with these stakeholders will take place in the following week or two until the project is satisfactorily completed. We are very pleased to have this town road reopened after three years.
- 3.) Other Business: None.
- 4.) Adjourn: The meeting adjourned at 6:02pm.

Minutes Approved as written on 11/22/22 by Ricky Morin, Clayton Whittemore, Tim Bullard.

Freeda Powers, Town Administrative Assistant