

EDEN TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE  
71 Old  
Schoolhouse  
Road Eden  
Mills, 05653

Phone: (802) 635-2528 Fax: (802) 635-1724

Website: [www.edenvt.org](http://www.edenvt.org)

Selectboard Special Meeting 06/01/23 5pm  
At the Paronto Road Bridge

Present at the meeting were Tim Bullard,  
Ricky Morin, Clayton Whittemore, Melissa  
Whitcomb, Teliea Pastore, Brian Bonneau  
from CCS Constructors and Branden Martin  
from Stone Environmental

At 5pm, the Selectboard met with Brian (CCS) and Branden (Stone Environmental) at the location of the Paronto Road Culvert Project. Tim opened the meeting at 5:04pm. Ricky started the conversation with a brief discussion about the concerns about the Blakeville Road Project going over budget with no initial communication as well as some items that had to be finished in the Spring after the project was slated as complete. The Town is hoping not to have the same with this project and is only looking for the specifics and quality that we are paying for. Clayton asked that communication of budget concerns or otherwise be sent to Melissa so that the Selectboard can be notified as the issues arise and determine whether any steps need to be taken to get back on track. Branden stated that he would in fact make sure to contact Melissa. Brian stated that the project should be pretty cut and dry except possibly the quantity of materials needed. Clayton suggested that they go over the Center Line plans. Branden explained that the road is not parallel to the culvert as the culvert must line up with the brook which it will. The guardrails will line up with the road so looking at it as a whole, it may appear off. Brian stated that he had checked all of the control points for accuracy. He also said that some of the smaller pieces will be dropped off Monday and they will start setting cutoff walls. Branden said that the project does not call for baffles and asked if it was alright to install some large rocks as an added failsafe. Everyone agreed that would be fine. Brian created an access on the other side of the culvert for the homeowner who prior to that was going to park on the other side and walk through to his property. Now they will not have to worry about pedestrians in the work area.

Before finishing up the conversation, Brian relayed to the Board that they had gone back to Blakeville Road to check the dry hydrant that has been an issue for the fire department since the project there was started. He stated that the pipe was full of mud and did say there was a leak in the head so he will put a new one on and let John Savage know so he can test it. That should be fixed early next week. They are also going to replace a piece of guardrail that was seemingly damaged by their equipment.

Clayton motioned to adjourn at 5:18pm, Tim seconded, approved

Melissa Whitcomb, Town Clerk and Treasurer

