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Selectboard Meeting 06/27/2023 Immediately following the Special Mtg.

Present at the meeting were Tim Bullard, Ricky Morin, Clayton Whittemore, Melissa Whitcomb, Teleia Pastore, and Craig Rounds.

1. Tim opened the meeting at 5:40pm.

2. Additions and Deletions: A complaint from a White Road resident was discussed. A letter will be sent to the resident addressing the complaint.

The Board moved to number 4 to allow more time for citizens to arrive.

4. Four orders were signed.

To accommodate those present, the Board moved to number 7.

7. Craig discussed positioning for Candy's memorial bench. Clayton would like to see it before it is made permanent. Craig moved beach rule signs to more conspicuous locations. He has increased enforcement and people are responding well. Two local teens may be interested in the lifeguarding positions but not until later this summer or next year. Speeding has become a serious problem; Craig will install speed bumps and speed limit signs. The Rain Garden dealt well with all the rain last week and the people love the canoe rack. Day Use revenue is somewhat low because of all the rain we've had.

Returning to number 5.

5. Ricky motioned to accept the meeting minutes for the 6/13/24 Special and Regular Meeting Notes both with corrections, and the 6/20/23 meeting notes as written. Clayton seconded, approved.

6. Reviewed dog bite complaint from Knowles Flat Road.

Returning to number 3.

3. No citizen input.

Returning to agenda number 8.

8. Highway Department

a) Right of Way Excavation Permit for Glenn Goodrich: Clayton motioned to approve to town specs. Tim seconded, approved with policy attached.

b) Paronto Rd. Bridge: Looks good. The Blakeville Road dry hydrant has been replaced and is in good working order. The Boy Scout Rd hydrant is no longer in working condition. Paving on East Hill is complete. A mower is rented next week for roadsides. Albany Road work will begin in mid-July and Ricky is making sure there is a current Stream Alteration Permit. Ricky will be grading Camp Road and a letter will be sent to any residents with property in the right of way. The Bradshaw Enterprises bill for the sweeper should be very similar to last year's due to discounts received this year.

9. Ricky motioned to ratify the additions and deletions of 06/13/23: the Department of Labor Complaint. Clayton seconded, approved.

10. Discussed options for how to spend the remaining ARPA money with the main focus being an addition to the Town Office.

11. Other Business:

a) No update on school as emergency shelter.

b) Town Office Update: Discussed appreciation for Leslie White and Tracey Morin.c) Salary Review for 2023/2024: Selectboard made a few minor changes to the Salaries effective July 1, 2023. Clayton moved to approve with changes, Tim seconded, approved. Ricky abstained as a Town employee.

12. Ricky motioned to approve the Delinquent Tax Policy as written. Clayton seconded, approved.

13. FYI: Brent Lanpher from the Fire Department said they have an offer on the rescue truck for \$135k. They want to use the net profit from the truck to pay for new airpacks. They will keep that truck until the new one arrives. Still can't find a cab and chassis for the new truck. Clayton mentioned contacting someone he knows about possible grants for the airpacks and Teleia will look for grants as well. Teleia let everyone know the Hazard Mitigation Plan 2022-2023 has been officially approved by the State.

14. Clayton motioned to adjourn at 7:34pm and Tim seconded the motion. Adjourned.

Teleia Pastore, Assistant Town Clerk and Treasurer